

PRESTO Senior Scholarship Application

Applicant Name: _____

Goal of Scholarship:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">To provide financial support for post-secondary education to any eligible SM West Orchestra student
Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Applicant must be a senior SM West Orchestra student graduating from SM West High School in the current school year and continuing his or her education at an accredited college or university. It is NOT a requirement of this scholarship that the applicant intends to be a music major.Applicant must be in good academic standing with SM West High School.
Amounts:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">One scholarship in the amount of \$500 and up to two scholarships in the amount of \$250 will be awarded to the recipients selected by the PRESTO Senior Scholarship Committee.Scholarship checks will be jointly issued to recipients AND the accredited colleges/universities upon recipients' proof of registration to those colleges/universities.
Submission Deadline:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Submit completed application and essay to the Counseling Office at SM West High School on or before April 15 of the current school year.

Essay Topic

- Describe how participating in the SM West Orchestra program has impacted your life and how you will incorporate what you have learned into your future endeavors.

Essay Instructions

- Do not exceed a single, typed page (8.5 X 11), single or double spaced, with one-inch margins, in 12-point Calibri font.
- Do not include your name on the essay page or within the essay itself.

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Please do not put your name on this page.

Place a checkmark in the box next to any orchestra-related activities in which you participated during your high school years. Please **do not** list further information about each activity (venues, private teachers' names, scores, etc.), as our goal is to protect applicants' anonymity throughout the judging process.

- West Strings high school helper
- SM West Orchestra quartet/quintet participant (at fundraising/community events)
- SM West Orchestra officer
- SM West Chamber Orchestra participant
- Community/church/other orchestra or small ensemble
- Community/church/other soloist
- Pit orchestra for theater productions (at SM West or elsewhere)
- KSHAA solo and ensemble participant
- Outside competition participant
- Private lessons
- Orchestra camp
- Youth symphony

In the space below, please identify any **SM West Orchestra-related** activities in which you were involved that are not already listed above.
