



TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

MUSIC DOING GOOD

President's Leadership College-Bound Fund Scholarship

The Department of Music at Texas Southern University and Music Doing Good, INC. are collaborating to offer two Undergraduate Scholarships for prospective talent in the field of music performance or music education. Our goal is to encourage the pursuit of music as a profession and provide financial assistance to qualifying applicants in the **Greater Houston area** interested in completing a music degree at Texas Southern University.

Scholarships are currently available to high-school seniors who will become full-time freshmen in the fall of 2019 OR transfer students. Students must show exceptional music and academic ability and *must be* admitted to Texas Southern University in order to be selected.

The scholarship funds can be used to cover expenses for tuition, institutional living expenses, books, fees, and/or supplies for the fall and/or spring semesters. Funds will be equally distributed in \$5000 amounts for each semester and will not exceed eight semesters or four years.

Recipients must:

- ◆ Be present at the Music Doing Good Scholarship presentation in the fall of 2019.
- ◆ Sign a media release allowing Music Doing Good to use their likeness and biographical information in newsletters, press releases, and event programs.
- ◆ Perform at one Music Doing Good fundraising event annually

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Applicants must meet all requirements for regular admission to Texas Southern University.
2. Applicants who reside in the U.S. must be legal residents, have been granted permanent residency, or have a valid visa that does not prohibit educational studies.
3. Applicants must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form or the Texas Application for State Financial Aid (TASFA) if international student



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Directions: Complete the application and submit via email (tanya.allen@tsu.edu) or mail a hard copy to the mailing address at the bottom of the application.

APPLICATION DUE DATES:

Application Materials postmarked or emailed by **April 1, 2019**
Awardees receiving award will be contacted by **April 30, 2019**
Awardees must attend scholarship presentation **Fall, 2019**

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT ALL INFORMATION

Name: _____
Last *First* *MI*

Mailing Address: _____
Street *City* *State* *Zip*

Resident of Texas: Yes No **U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident?** Yes No

Email Address: _____ **Telephone Number:** _____

High School Name & Address: _____

Overall GPA: _____ **SAT (Math and Critical Reading):** _____ **ACT Composite:** _____

Are you a first-generation college student? Yes No

Is TSU your first choice of college? Yes No

Are you a student athlete? Yes No

Do you plan to apply for financial aid? Yes No

Are you applying for any other University Scholarships? Yes No

Which ones? _____

Primary Instrument (Include specific instrument):

- Piano Voice _____
- Brass _____ Woodwind _____
- Percussion _____ Other _____

Prospective Concentration Area:

- Performance Jazz Performance Music Education Composition

Online Audition Video: Email a video of yourself performing a solo repertoire piece representative of your training and musical talent. Applicants with no video OR low-quality videos will not be considered. Upload video to YouTube or Google Drive, create a shared link, and email link with your name to: **tanya.allen@tsu.edu**.

Honors, Awards, and Achievements: Include UIL or TMEA awards and honors, memberships in organizations, positions held in organizations, participation in leadership activities, participation in summer programs, etc. (Attach additional sheet if necessary)

Personal Essay: Complete a one-page essay (300 word minimum) describing your music experience, your motivation for pursuing a music degree at TSU, and your hopes and plans for the future.

Two References: Include two letters of reference from a non-relative. One should be from a music teacher and one from a non-music individual, such as a coach, youth pastor, or teacher. Mail letters with application OR references should email their letters directly to: **tanya.allen@tsu.edu**

Mail application materials to:

Office of Music Department, ATTN: Music Doing Good Scholarship Committee
R.S. Music Center #113
Texas Southern University
3100 Cleburne St.
Houston, TX 77004
or **email to: tanya.allen@tsu.edu**

CHECKLIST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Completed application | <input type="checkbox"/> Official high school transcript |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A completed FAFSA or TASFA | <input type="checkbox"/> Two Letters of Reference |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Essay | <input type="checkbox"/> Emailed link to audition video |