

# CECILIA SLOWINSKI SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

## Scholarship Checklist

- 1.) Return the completed application to your child's teacher by the posted deadline.
- 2.) The applicant must be a student in good standing and a returning student to SOA. Upon returning in August for the school year following the summer study program and presenting the Booster Club with receipts showing payment to the summer program the student will be reimbursed the scholarship amount approved by the Booster Club Executive Board.
- 3.) Funds will not be awarded to prior recipients of the Cecilia Slowinski Scholarship.
- 4.) Depending on the number of applications received, they will be forwarded to the secretary of the Booster Club board.
- 5.) The secretary/teacher will make a copy for each judge excluding the student's name and personal information.
- 6.) Each application will be assigned a cover sheet with a number.
- 7.) Judges will be School of the Arts faculty consisting of one high school teacher, one middle school teacher, and one artistic teacher from an area other than dance.
- 8.) Applications will then be distributed to each judge in individual packages, divided by middle school and high school, with a rating sheet.
- 9.) Judges will rate the applications in descending order on the rating sheet and return them to Ms. Jones of the dance department.
- 10.) At the next convened Booster Club meeting the board will review the judge's choices. If a small number of applications are received, the board will decide on the number and amount awarded.
- 11.) Scholarships may be awarded in full or partial amounts. This will be determined by the amount of funds available.
- 12.) It is the desire of the dance faculty and the Booster Club Executive Board to award at least one middle school student and one high school student with a scholarship. However, because of funding, they will have the ultimate decision on the amount and number awarded.
- 13.) All applications along with the judge's rating forms will be kept on file for one year in the dance department.

7. Attach a copy of your acceptance letter

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Dear Parent/Guardian and Student:

Below is a checklist of all items that must be turned in with the Cecilia Slowinski Scholarship Application. Each item must accompany the application in order for the package to be considered complete. If there are any items missing the package will be returned as incomplete.

1. Scholarship Checklist

2. Completed Application with Signature

3. Essay

4. Teacher Recommendation

5. Attach a copy of the course outline or program description to your application, as provided by the school, teacher or mentor. Outline should include cost of the program. **Please note: the Booster Club Executive Board will no longer be issuing checks to students prior to attending the summer study program. Scholarships will be issued on a reimbursement method after the student has completed the program and can provide proof that they attended.**

6. Attach a copy of your most recent report card

7. Attach a copy of your acceptance letter



# Cecilia Slowinski Scholarship Application

## S.O.A. Dance Department

### Applicant Information

Full Name:			Date:	
Last		First	M.I.	
Address:	Street Address		Apartment/Unit #	
City		State	ZIP Code	
Phone:	( )	Cell Phone:		
E-Mail Address:				

### Education

Current Grade Level:		Primary Field(s) of Dance that you are engaged in:	
Years of formal instruction:		What are your dance goals?	

### Proposed Program of Study

Full Name of proposed school:		Phone:	
Address			
Why are you interested in this particular dance program?			
What is the cost of the program?		State the dollar amount you are requesting.	
Housing:			
Housing cost:		State the dollar amount you are requesting for housing.	
What is the length of the program?		Have you already obtained acceptance into the program?	
Please provide any additional information which you feel would assist the Selection Committee in making its decision?			

### Disclaimer and Signature

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.  
 If this application leads to a scholarship, I understand that false or misleading information in my application may result in loss of funding.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Essay Question**

Explain why you feel that this particular program is beneficial to your development as a dancer?