

David Jonathan José Memorial Scholarship Fund
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2018 DJJ ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

The David Jonathan José Memorial Scholarship Fund is pleased to announce a new “DJJ Arts Scholarship” for the 2017-2018 academic year. **The DJJ Arts Scholarship is in the amount of \$1,000 and will be awarded to one (1) high school senior who is pursuing a major in performing or visual arts or any subset of those disciplines.**

The scholarship will be decided by the DJJ Memorial Scholarship Committee and will be awarded based on a completed application, the response to the essay section, one letter of recommendation, extra-curricular activities, community involvement and the applicant’s academic standing.

Qualifications:

- Must be attending a Massachusetts High School and will be graduating in 2018.
- Must submit a completed application by March 31, 2018.
- Must be willing to submit a recent photo upon request.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: POSTMARKED MARCH 31, 2018

I certify that this application is complete and accurate. I also authorize the release of this information to the appropriate individuals necessary to confirm the details needed to process the scholarship application. I further understand that the scholarship will be awarded in two equal payments: one in the fall and one in the spring semester of the academic school year. This application should be signed in order to be considered for this scholarship.

Applicant’s Name (Printed)

Date

Applicant’s Signature

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A. APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

FIRST NAME: _____ LAST NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/TOWN: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

DOB _____ AGE: _____

B. FAMILY INFORMATION

FATHERS NAME: _____ OCCUPATION: _____

MOTHERS NAME: _____ OCCUPATION: _____

SIBLINGS? YES NO

IF YES, HOW MANY SIBLINGS AND THEIR AGES? _____

FAMILIES COMBINED INCOME: (CIRCLE ONE)

\$20,000-\$50,000 \$50,001-\$100,000 \$101,000-\$150,000 \$151,000+

WILL YOUR FAMILY FINACIALLY CONTRIBUTE TO YOUR COLLEGE EDUCATION? YES NO

IF YES, PLEASE ESTIMATE WHAT PERCENTAGE THEY WILL BE CONTRIBUTING: _____%

WILL YOU BE APPLYING FOR STUDENT LOANS? YES NO

IF YES, ESTIMATED AMOUNT YOU WILL BE APPLYING FOR: \$ _____

WHAT OTHER MEANS DO YOU OR YOUR FAMILY HAVE TO PAY FOR YOUR TUITION:

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C. HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/TOWN: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

SCHOOL'S MAIN PHONE NUMBER: _____

NAME OF GUIDANCE ADVISOR: _____

GPA: _____ OUT OF _____ CLASS RANK: _____ OUT OF _____

YEAR OF GRADUATION: _____

SAT SCORES:
SAT MATH: _____ SAT WRITING: _____ SAT C.R. _____

ACT SCORES (if applicable):

LIST ALL EXTRA CURRICULAR / COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

LIST ALL AWARDS AND LEADERSHIP POSITIONS:

PLEASE ATTACH WITH APPLICATION:

- LETTER(S) OF RECOMMENDATION
- HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT (unofficial transcript accepted)
- FIRST SEMESTER GRADES
- SAT TRANSCRIPT

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PLEASE LIST ALL THE COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES TO WHICH YOU APPLIED:

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY NAME AND LOCATION	HAVE YOU BEEN ACCEPTED?

WHAT COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY DO YOU WANT TO ATTEND THE MOST?

WHAT ARE YOUR CAREER GOALS AND INTERESTS?

PLEASE ATTACH WITH APPLICATION:

- ANY COPIES OF ACCEPTANCE LETTER(S) (if possible)



IN THIS SECTION, THE APPLICANT HAS THEIR CHOICE TO COMPLETE AND SUBMIT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING WITH THEIR APPLICATION:

- I. PROVIDE A VIDEO OR RECORDING OF THE APPLICANT PERFORMING
- Video or recording should not exceed 5 minutes.
 - Accompany video or recording with a 100 word (max) description.

TO SUBMIT THIS PORTION, APPLICANT CAN EITHER:

(please indicate how you will be submitting it by checking the appropriate box)

- EMAIL: DJJscholarship@gmail.com
- MAIL: a flash drive, DVD or CD with application (submitted items will not be returned).
- WEB: Provide us with a link to your YouTube page or other hosting domain.

- II. PROVIDE A PHOTOGRAPH(S) OF A VISUAL PIECE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT
- Applicant is limited to 5 (max) photographs of their work.
 - Accompany the photograph(s) with a 100 word (max) description of the piece and/or an artist statement.

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- III. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING ESSAY QUESTION:
- Essays must be at least 750 words and should not exceed 1500 words.

TO SUBMIT THIS PORTION:

(please indicate how you will be submitting it by checking the appropriate box)

- MAIL: Use a separate piece of paper when answering the essay question and mail it in with your completed application.

ESSAY QUESTION:

What has been your inspiration to pursue a career in the arts?

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- SAT TRANSCRIPT
- HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT (unofficial is accepted)
- FIRST SEMESTER GRADES
- LETTER(S) OF RECOMMENDATION
- ACCEPTANCE LETTER(S) (if possible)
- ESSAY, VIDEO OR PHOTOGRAPH(S)

MAIL ALL COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO:

**Carol East-José, President
DJJM Scholarship Committee
DJJ Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Box 217
Sharon, MA 02067**

Submitting items by Email or ANY QUESTIONS:

Email us at DJJscholarship@gmail.com

Recipient of the \$1,000 2018 DJJ Art Scholarship will be notified once the DJJ Memorial Scholarship Committee has made their selection. We will contact the recipient in a timely manner and arrange a time with the recipient to accept the scholarship award.