

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Peaks to Plains Suzuki Institute is proud to offer a limited number of scholarships to student participants in support of their tuition costs. Various businesses as well as individual donors have contributed to make these scholarships possible. Scholarships for students will be awarded primarily on the basis of financial need; additionally, musical efforts, reliability, commitment, and teacher recommendation will also be considered. Parent/guardians of recipients MUST be available to serve volunteer hours at the institute, as determined by the director, to receive the awarded scholarship. A lack of participation in service hours may affect future awards.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR STUDENTS applying for tuition assistance:

1. Download and fill out the Scholarship Application Form for *each* applicant.
2. Submit the online student registration form(s) for the student program(s) you wish to attend and submit the non-refundable registration fee only. Tuition is not due at this time.
3. Make a video recording of the student's most recent polished piece with or without accompaniment. Post recording on YouTube and CLEARLY write the link on the application. *Please make sure the settings allow for all committee members to separately view the shared link.*
4. Provide 2 letters of recommendation; one from your Suzuki teacher with information on the applicant's ability, commitment to music, and financial need, and one from yourself (the parent/guardian) including a statement explaining your interest in attending PPSI and financial reasons for applying for the scholarship.
5. Email the complete application (reminder: the student online registration form must be submitted and the non-refundable registration fee must be paid) to director@ppsicolorado.com
6. Complete application including the non-refundable registration fee must be received on or before April 1, 2025. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
7. Email Income Tax Return. Please email a copy of parent(s)/guardian(s) 2024 Federal income tax return (form 1040) to director@ppsicolorado.com. Please send income tax return by April 16, 2025. If you are filing an extension and 2024 return is not available by April 16, 2025, please submit your 2023 return along with a statement stating any changes to expected gross income for 2024 return by April 16, 2025. Tax Documents will be destroyed after committee meets to review applications.

PPSI 2025 STUDENT Scholarship Application Form

Student's Name _____ Preferred Name _____ Pronouns _____

Date of Birth _____ Age on 7/14/25 _____

Parent's/Guardian's Name and email _____

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Address _____

Parent's/Guardian's Cell Phone # _____

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Student's grade _____ Instrument _____ Years of study _____

Name of most recent polished piece on recording _____

Teacher of Student name and email _____

Teacher of Student cell phone # _____

CLEARLY WRITE OR TYPE YouTube audition video link and make sure settings are set to viewing by multiple people with link _____
It would be helpful if you also typed the link in the body of the email when you email application so that it is easily copied and clickable.

All parents/guardians of this child/dependent please fill out info below:

Parent's/Guardian's Employer _____ Occupation _____

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Other Children or Dependents _____

Check range of TOTAL FAMILY GROSS INCOME(all guardians/spouses/partners) income for 2024 year:

___ under \$10,000 ___ \$10,001-\$29,999 ___ \$30,000-\$49,999 ___ \$50,000-\$74,999
___ \$75,000-\$99,999 ___ \$100,000-\$149,999 ___ over \$150,000

Please make sure you have followed all procedures outlined in the directions above and information is complete, accurate, and all parts of the application are received on or before April 1, 2025. (Copy of 2024 income taxes must be received on or before April 16, 2025.) Incomplete applications will not be considered. A parent/guardian of student awarded a scholarship will be required to provide service hours to PPSI in the summer of your award, number of hours and service duties are determined by the director. Scholarship recipients will be notified by May 1, 2025.

PPSI believes in equal opportunity for all. We welcome everyone interested in attending PPSI. Our community welcomes individuals of all races, religious backgrounds, ethnicities, gender identities and expressions, LGBTQ, marital status, family structures, financial need, or abilities.