

Music Scholarships for Students

**For music teachers in Springfield, Sangamon County, and
Illinois Symphony Orchestra musicians**

The following two pages are the 2019 Scholarship Guidelines and Audition Forms from the Illinois Symphony Guild of Springfield.

Five scholarships for orchestral instruments and one scholarship for vocal performance will be awarded. The piano category has been eliminated since piano scholarships are available elsewhere.

The auditions will be held Sunday afternoon, March 10, at Sacred Heart/Griffin High School, 1225 W. Monroe in Springfield.

Please copy these forms and share them with your promising music students in grades 6 – 12. We hope many of them will audition for these scholarships to be used either for private music lessons or for summer music camps.

If you have questions after reading the following information, please contact Dee Dee Gain, (217) 572-1372 or deedee.gain@gmail.com.

ILLINOIS SYMPHONY
GUILD OF SPRINGFIELD

SCHOLARSHIP AUDITIONS

DATE: SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2019
(Application deadline is March 4 – no exceptions)

PLACE: SACRED HEART GRIFFIN HIGH SCHOOL
1225 W. Monroe St, Springfield, Illinois 62702

TIME: STARTING AT 1:00 P.M.

The following scholarships will be awarded:

Grades 6 – 12: Orchestral Instruments: five awards
(strings, woodwind, brass or percussion)

1st place \$400; 2nd place \$350; 3rd place \$300;
4th place \$250; 5th place \$200

Grades 8 – 12: Vocal (male or female): one \$300 award

All awards must be used for lessons or summer music camps.

Auditions are open to all music students in Sangamon County, or students who are members of the Sangamon Valley Youth Symphony, or students whose teachers are Illinois Symphony Orchestra musicians.

Students auditioning should come prepared to play one selection of their own choosing up to 5 minutes in length. Vocal solos must be memorized.

Students must provide their own accompanist, if necessary.

Students must supply 2 complete copies of the music for the judges, including accompaniment. Number the measures of your composition to assist the judges in their comments.

Last year's first place winner may NOT audition again on the same instrument but must wait one year before entering again with the same instrument.

Contestants will be notified of their audition times by March 9.

Winners are invited to perform at the Central Illinois Young Musicians' Concert on Sunday, May 5, 2019, at 4:00 pm at First Presbyterian Church in Springfield.

Submit applications by March 4 to Dee Dee Gain, 2053 Cardinal Dr. Springfield, IL 62704
email: deedee.gain@gmail.com cell: (217) 572-1372

ILLINOIS SYMPHONY
GUILD OF SPRINGFIELD

2019 MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Auditions are Sunday, March 10
Application deadline is March 4 – no exceptions

NAME _____ AGE _____

PARENT'S
NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____

COUNTY _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

SCHOOL _____ GRADE _____

SCHOOL MUSIC
DIRECTOR _____

INSTRUMENT _____

PRIVATE MUSIC
TEACHER _____

Is your teacher a member of the IL Symphony Orchestra? _____

Are you a member of the Sangamon Valley Youth Symphony? _____

OTHER INSTRUMENTS YOU PLAY _____

MUSICAL ORGANIZATIONS YOU BELONG TO/PREVIOUS AWARDS/HONORS:

AUDITION PIECE AND
COMPOSER _____

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