

# FORT WAYNE PHILHARMONIC

Andrew Constantine, Music Director

## FRIENDS

### 2025 -2026 Scholarship

**Purpose:** This scholarship provides financial aid to promising elementary and/or secondary orchestral instrument and/or vocal students who need assistance in meeting the cost of private lessons **during the coming 2025-2026 academic year**. Scholarships will be awarded for two (2) or more lessons depending on the need, merit and number of students applying. A check will be issued upon receipt of the **"Letter of Intent" form co-signed by teacher and student**.

Please note the eligibility requirements that are in ***bold italics***. Also, you may apply for ***either*** a Friends Scholarship or the Phil Musician's Professional Scholarship ***but not both***.

### Eligibility Requirements & Instructions:

- Applicants must be in ***grades 3-12 for the 2025-2026 school year***
- Vocal students must be at least 13 years old (male voices must have changed)
- Instruments must be orchestral instruments (includes piano & organ)
- Application must be complete and returned by the deadline
- Teacher Recommendation Form is to be submitted by music instructor/teacher (***mailed by teacher***)

### Scholarship Deadlines & Notifications

**November 1, 2025** is the postmark deadline for all applications. Student application forms and Teacher Recommendation forms may be mailed separately, but all forms must be on time. Please mail materials to:

Catherine Duchovic  
Fort Wayne Philharmonic Friends Scholarship Committee  
9113 Yellow Tree Court  
Fort Wayne, IN 46804

All applicants will be notified of scholarship awards after the scholarship committee meets in November.