

## **Arkansas Chamber Singers Vocal/Choral Music Scholarship Application**

**Eligibility:** The Arkansas Chamber Singers Vocal/Choral Music Scholarship is available to any graduating senior from a public or private high school in Arkansas. The student must have a minimum cumulative high school GPA of 3.0 and plan to major in vocal/choral music at an accredited four-year institution of higher education. The student must also be enrolled in the choral music program (curriculum) at the high school in which he or she attends.

**To apply:** Please return this form to the address listed below along with a sealed official transcript, a typewritten essay of at least 300 words (not to exceed 325 words) detailing your desire to have a career in the field of music, and supply three sealed letters of recommendation (one from your choral music teacher, one from another of your teachers, and one from a community leader).

**Deadline:** The completed application must be postmarked no later than **January 1, 2023**.

**Audition/Interview:** All applicants are required to attend an audition and interview on **Sunday, January 29, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. at St. James United Methodist Church**, located at 321 Pleasant Valley Drive, Little Rock in Little Rock.

The applicant will perform (from the classical genre) two selections of contrasting styles. It is requested that the applicants bring their own accompanists. If not able, please send music ahead for ACS accompanist.

**Notification of scholarship recipient selection** will be made as soon as possible after the audition/interview process and all other applicants will be notified of their status. One \$2,000 non-renewable scholarship award will be made payable to the recipient to be used for college expenses.

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ High School \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

3. Email \_\_\_\_\_

4. Name of choral music director \_\_\_\_\_

5. If private voice teacher, name \_\_\_\_\_

6. GPA at end of junior year \_\_\_\_ SAT SCORE \_\_\_\_ (or) ACT SCORE \_\_\_\_

7. Have you definitely decided on a college? ( yes no)

If so, name of college \_\_\_\_\_

8. Have you applied for ( yes no) and been accepted into ( yes no) your college of choice?

9. Name(s) of parent(s) or guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_

10. Address of parent(s) or guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_

11. List music involvement and awards in high school \_\_\_\_\_

12. Write an essay of at least 300 words (not to exceed 325 words) detailing your desire to have a career in the field of music.

13. List title and composer of two audition selections

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

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I AGREE TO NOTIFY THE ARKANSAS CHAMBER SINGERS BOARD OF DIRECTORS IF I CHANGE MY DESIGNATED CHOICE OF COLLEGE, IF I CHANGE MY MAJOR OR IF I DECIDE NOT TO ATTEND COLLEGE.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION POSTMARKED BY JANUARY 1, 2023 TO:**

Chair, Scholarship Committee  
ACS Scholarship Program  
Post Office Box 21002  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72221

**IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR NEED MORE INFORMATION:**

Contact us at 501-377-1121 or visit our website at [www.ar-chambersingers.org](http://www.ar-chambersingers.org)