

2020-2021 Southeastern Minnesota Youth Orchestras (SEMYO)

Instrument Scholarship Program

Having student musicians cover every part in the orchestra is an important component of our success and a need has been identified to increase participation on bass, viola, bassoon, and low brass. For the 2020-2021 season a limited number of scholarships will be offered on the following:

- Bass – All Ensembles (full scholarship: tuition reduced to \$50-\$75 per trimester)
- Viola – All Ensembles (half scholarship: tuition reduced by 50%)
- Trombone and Tuba – Philharmonic & Concert Orchestra (half scholarship: tuition reduced by 50%)
- Bassoon - Philharmonic & Concert Orchestra (half scholarship: tuition reduced by 50%)

If additional assistance is needed students may apply instead for a financial need based scholarship (tax document required). For more information visit <http://semyo.org/scholarships/>. Receipt of scholarship for 2019-2020 does not guarantee assistance for future years.

To apply for a scholarship:

1. A letter of recommendation from a private or public music teacher must be submitted on behalf of the applicant.
2. Student must successfully audition for placement in a SEMYO orchestra.
3. Complete the application on the next page.

Instrument Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Parent or Guardian Name: _____

Instrument: _____

Grade: _____

How long have you played your instrument? _____

Name of Music Teacher (s): _____

E-mail Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Explain in 2-3 sentences how you will benefit from this scholarship and participation in SEMYO.