

DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE

Scholarship Application for Incoming Undergraduates

APPLICATION

Name: _____

Last 4 digits of SS #: XXX-XX-_____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Background Information

When will you graduate from high school? _____

What high school are you attending? _____

Have you been admitted to Ohio State? Yes No

Will you be majoring in Theatre? Yes No

What is your current Grade Point Average? _____

Reference

A teacher with whom you have worked must agree to serve as a REFERENCE and write a letter of recommendation supporting this application. Hopefully the teacher can talk about your work in theatre, but the teacher could be any educator with whom the student has worked (not necessarily a drama or theatre teacher). Make sure the teacher forwards his/her recommendation to the Director of Undergraduate Studies by the application deadline.

Reference Name

Reference Title

One-Page Self-Assessment and Resume

Attached to this application form, please provide a ONE-PAGE SELF-ASSESSMENT of your background in theatre. You may want to discuss your production experience and the kinds of courses you have taken in high school. Additionally, you might mention any other school or community service, honoraries, extra-curricular activities, or volunteer work which you feel reflects favorably upon your record and which helps the Department of Theatre's scholarship committee to obtain a complete picture of you. Please include a RESUME as well with your application.

Deliver Application Materials To:

Director of Undergraduate Studies
Department of Theatre
1089 Drake Performance and Event Center
1849 Cannon Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43210
theatre@osu.edu

Deadline

Application Deadline:

March 22, 2019

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ELIGIBILITY AND INSTRUCTIONS

The Department of Theatre currently has one scholarship available to new/incoming undergraduate students. The Helen W. Wildermuth Scholarship is a one-time award for incoming theatre majors. The awardee must be a graduating high school senior from Ohio, as well as a declared theatre major in the first year of enrollment.

The scholarship committee takes many things into account when considering scholarship applications: involvement in theatre; grade point average; overall achievements in high school.

Incoming students, who are currently high school seniors, apply for these scholarships by submitting:

- the application form
- required self-assessment
- letter of recommendation from a high school teacher

Recommendation letters can be submitted along with the other application materials or mailed directly to the Department of Theatre. Letters must arrive by the application deadline.

Applications are evaluated by the Undergraduate Studies Committee of the Department of Theatre, and awards are announced during the end-of-year awards dinner in late April. If you are receiving a scholarship, the Director of Undergraduate Studies will contact you prior to the awards dinner.

If you have any questions, please contact the Department of Theatre at 614-292-5821 or theatre@osu.edu.

The Department of Theatre recommends that all interested students tour the university and the department before applying for admission. To arrange a tour of the department, visit theatre.osu.edu/schedule-department-visit. To arrange a tour of the university, visit Undergraduate Admissions at undergrad.osu.edu/visit.

FOR TEACHERS WRITING RECOMMENDATION LETTERS:

If you are writing a letter of recommendation for a student, please remember to have the letter submitted by the application deadline. Letters are not to be long; in most cases, the recommendations are one page in length, with highlights of how you know the student and descriptions of one or more of the student's accomplishments or strengths. Specific details about how the student has performed in your class or productions are very helpful to the committee.