

NwHS Private Lessons Assistance Grant Program Application Form

This program is intended to support the private musical education of students (grades 5-12) with significant financial need whose circumstances would normally prohibit access to private music lessons. Grants of up to \$500 will be available on an annual basis, and students can reapply provided they meet the conditions. The award period shall be September through August.

Please fill out the following items and submit the required materials to Justin Stanley, the Scholarship Chair of the NwHS, at justinmstanley@gmail.com .

Name: _____

Year in School: _____

Ethnicity: _____

Name of private lessons teacher: _____

(If you need help identifying a private teacher, please contact Dr. Gina Gillie, President of the NwHS at gilliegc@plu.edu , and she will be happy to help locate a teacher in your area.)

The following items should be submitted with this application:

- 1.) A statement of financial need and a description of your goals for private lessons.
- 2.) A proposed budget that identifies the price of each lesson and how many lessons will be received (total shall not exceed \$500).
- 3.) A letter of recommendation from a mentor or teacher that speaks to your financial need and qualifications for receiving this award. This letter should also confirm that you have identified a private teacher who has agreed to provide the lessons.
- 4.) If selected for an award, you will be required to submit a report of your progress in the specified private lessons by the end of the funded period (August 31).

Students applying for this grant must be members of the Northwest Horn Society. Membership for High School students and younger is free. Students can join on the Northwest Horn Society's website: www.nwhornsociety.org . Award winners will be notified by the Northwest Horn Society President and Scholarship Chair.