



## Private Lesson Financial Aid Application

### Policy Statement:

The Fowler Middle School Band Boosters have a specific amount of funds budgeted to **supplement** instrumental private lessons at Fowler Middle School. Only current and qualified Fowler Middle School Band members are eligible. This program is designed to **MATCH HALF** of the current private lesson price of \$20.00. The recipient of these lessons is responsible for the **OTHER HALF** (\$10.00) of each weekly lesson. The recipient needs to make their portion of the payment in advance of their weekly lesson to their private teacher. Abs funds are limited, applications submitted for this assistance are not in any way guaranteed acceptance.

### Criteria:

1. Demonstrate a financial hardship that would prevent payment of the full amount.
2. Demonstrate a willingness to practice for every lesson, making weekly satisfactory progress as deemed by the lesson teacher and the band director.
3. Demonstrate a willingness to attend **ALL** private lesson sessions for the semester. Missed lessons will **NOT** be supplemented (Recipients agree to pay the **full price** for unexcused absences).
4. Be in good academic standing (**ALL PASSING GRADES**. Recipients failing any class will immediately forfeit their scholarship for the semester and must finish and pay for the semester's remaining lessons at full price.)
5. Participate in Fall Band Fundraiser
6. A parent must Volunteer time for at least 2 band events as listed in the Volunteer Form on the Band Booster Website.

### Confidentiality Statement:

All information that you provide regarding your financial circumstances will be read **ONLY** by the Director of Bands, along with the Band Booster President and Treasurer, and will be held in the strictest confidence. All applicants will be notified via email once a decision is made regarding your application. Your lesson teacher will also be notified that you will be paying the reduced lesson price.

Mr. Denis reserves the right to terminate any Financial Aid award for criteria violations.

### Why are you requesting this financial assistance?

- Single parent family
- Unemployment of the primary household earner
- Major Family illness
- Other (please explain):

I, the undersigned, have read and understand the above information/Policy Statement and agree to its terms and conditions.

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Student's Name: PRINTED Instrument

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Parent or Guardian's Name: PRINTED

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Parent or Guardian's Signature

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Date

**NEW APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 3:30 P.M. THE 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH.**