

# Fort Worth Museum of Science and History MUSEUM SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION OPEN REGISTRATION FOR SUMMER 2018

The Museum School Scholarship Program offers economic assistance to families in order that their children may experience an educational and exciting Museum School class. Funding for the scholarship program is made possible by generous contributions from individuals whose goal is to help all children gain the life-long benefits Museum School has to offer. A limited number of scholarships are awarded on financial need and are allotted on a first-come basis until all funds for the summer are distributed.

## Qualifications

Eligibility for Museum School scholarships is based upon the 2017-2018 WIC Income Eligibility Guidelines (WIC is Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children.)

### If you are receiving public assistance -

Applicants who are currently enrolled in an official public assistance program (SSI, WIC, CHIPS, Food Stamps, etc.) automatically qualify for a Museum School scholarship. Scholarship awards are based on the current fund and class availability and do not guarantee a place in a class.

### If you are not receiving public assistance -

Full or partial tuition scholarships are occasionally available for families that are not on public assistance and awards are based on financial need, funds and class availability. Scholarship awards are for one class per child.

## Application requirements

### If you are receiving public assistance -

Include a copy of **current** enrollment in a public assistance program (SSI, WIC, CHIPS, Food Stamps, etc.) with the scholarship application.

### If you are not receiving public assistance -

Include a copy of your 2017 tax return OR copies of the last two paycheck stubs of each parent that works along with the scholarship application.

Paycheck stubs must show the gross monthly pay which is the amount before taxes and deductions. If you get paid weekly, include 4 weekly paycheck stubs, if you get paid twice a month, include 2 monthly paycheck stubs and if you get paid once a month, include 1 monthly paycheck stub.

A brief statement of why you are requesting tuition assistance is needed in determining an award.

Museum School summer class scholarships are for tuition only and do not cover the \$25 non-refundable registration fee (per child), which must accompany the completed registration form. On the payment portion of the registration form, write "applying for a scholarship" and include the \$25 registration fee (check or credit card.) The registration fee will be returned if your child does not receive a scholarship.

*Anyone who receives a scholarship for Summer 2018 Museum School will not be eligible for a scholarship for the upcoming Fall/Spring 2018-2019 school year.*

## Attached the completed scholarship application and supporting paperwork to the class registration form and mail it to:

Fort Worth Museum School      1600 Gendy Street      Fort Worth, TX 76107

**(Fax, emailed or in-person scholarship application submittal is not available.)**

### Before you put your papers in the mail, make sure you have included:

- The completed scholarship application
- Copies of either: proof of public assistance OR proof of income
- The completed Museum School registration form
- The \$25 registration fee (check or credit card)

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## RESTRICTIONS:

- Class placement is on a first-come basis. Scholarship awards do not guarantee a place in the class desired, it simply waives the tuition. Scholarship recipients must register according to the procedures outlined in the current Museum School brochure.
- A Museum School scholarship has no cash value. Any unused scholarship tuition may not be carried over to the next Museum School session, nor may it be used for a sibling or another child.

# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - OPEN REGISTRATION - SUMMER 2018 MUSEUM SCHOOL

## STUDENT INFORMATION

Please list all children applying for a scholarship. (Scholarships are for one class per child.)

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_  F  M

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## PARENT INFORMATION

**Parent / Guardian #1** Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Home or Cell? (circle one)

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent / Guardian #2** Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Home or Cell? (circle one)

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

## INCOME INFORMATION

Total number of children in the household? \_\_\_\_\_ Total number of adults in the household? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently receive public assistance?  No  Yes If yes, what type? \_\_\_\_\_

Monthly Gross Income (before taxes and deductions) Parent / Guardian #1 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Parent / Guardian #2 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Do you receive any other household income?  No  Yes What kind? \_\_\_\_\_  
(child / spousal support, unemployment, pension, student grants, etc.)

Monthly Gross Income from this source \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please give us additional information concerning your financial situation that will assist with the scholarship award decision. Use the back of this page if needed.

**The information I have provided is correct. I understand that all information is kept strictly confidential and has been requested for the sole purpose of establishing financial need. I have read and understand the requirements regarding scholarship awards and have attached the required documenting paperwork.**

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_