



Senge Foundation Scholarship Application

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Thanks to the Senge Foundation, we are able to offer two half tuition scholarships to 2009 Blind / Visually Impaired Leading the Way Participants. The Senge Foundation is a Florida based non-profit (501,c,3) organization dedicated to developing the next generation of creative artists. Their motto, "Capability through Creativity" exemplifies their commitment to assist students with physical disabilities in the fields of music, design, and theatrical arts prepare for and build professional careers. Students will be selected based on three criteria:

An interest in pursuing a career in the arts: Do you have an interest in becoming a professional creative artist? These scholarships can support student applicants in a wide range of creative endeavors both "on stage" and "behind the scenes" (i.e. musicians, composers, designers, graphic artists, digital animators, writers, performers, painters, photographers, art conservators, etc.) and all other areas of creative contribution to the fields of visual and performing arts.

Financial Need: Scholarship funds are meant to assist a financially needy student. You are required as described below to provide financial information in order to apply for these funds.

Excellent Essay: Students will be required to submit an essay (see below) as a part of their scholarship application. We will give highest priority to thoughtful, well-written essays on the topic.

To apply, submit a one-page essay (about 500 words) on the topic below and complete and sign the information below.

Essay Topic: Describe why pursuing a life as a professional creative artist is important to you. And, why Leading the Way will help you as you pursue that career path. Please keep in mind that the Senge Foundation recognizes that to be a good artist, in addition to having technical skills, you also need to have self-confidence, self-awareness, global perspective and excellent leadership ability. Consider the diverse ways that the Leading the Way Program might help you in your artistic pursuits in the future. Also, please include 2 or 3 examples of your creative studies and experiences thus far either in descriptive text, or in the form of photographic or recorded representations.

Scholarship Details:

- Half-tuition scholarships are available for Blind/VI participants
- Applications accepted and reviewed as they are received
- Notification typically is within 30 days
- Applicants must have a clear interest in the arts

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Financial Aid Information
(To be completed by parent/guardian)

Date: _____

Student's Name: _____

Parent's Name(s) and Occupation(s): _____

In brief, please describe why you are applying for this scholarship: _____

Please help us fairly assess your need by providing the following information:

Names and ages of other children in your family:

Names of Schools attended and annual costs:

2007 Total Annual Taxable Family Income:
(As reported on 2007 tax return, line 6 in Form 1040EZ, or line 43 in Form 1040)

Other/ Annual Financial Aid Received:

*I hereby certify that all the aforementioned information is true and accurate.
Financial information is confidential and used only to assess financial need.*

Signature of participant

Signature of parent/guardian