



## Scholarship Essay Contest Guidelines Six Months of Music Lessons

- **Two 6 month (24 lessons) scholarships** will be offered to all area students
- **Please write a short essay** of 500 words or fewer to express what music means to you and why you want to take lessons.
- **The value of the scholarships is up to \$720.** Two winners, one from grades 1-5 and one from grades 6-12, will be chosen from the submitted essays.
- **This contest is open to all students** whether or not they currently take music classes at the Academy.
- **Essays can either be submitted** electronically at [newstudents@marionmusicacademy.com](mailto:newstudents@marionmusicacademy.com) or mailed to 940 8<sup>th</sup> Ave, Marion, IA 52302 by October 11, 2019.
- **Please include this cover page** with the student's name, parent's name, grade level, and contact information.

Thank you and we look forward to reading your essays!

### **Deadline for entries: October 11, 2019**

We will send confirmation that we received your entry. Thank you!

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

*We don't teach kids to make great musicians; we teach music to make great kids!*

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