

Southwest Classical Dance Institute

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Please include a Scholarship Application Form and Scholarship Audition Form with your application.

As part of Southwest Classical Dance Institute's commitment to its students, the community, and quality instruction for all students of classical dance regardless of their ability to pay, SCDI will be offering scholarships for tuition, private lessons, coaching and rehearsal fees, and new choreography staged on our scholars.

The following will be required of all applicants:

- I. Submit all appropriate applications, providing all necessary information including:
 - a. Scholarship Application
 - i. Applicants most recent transcripts or report card
 - ii. Schedule of classes including instructor name and cost for which scholarship funds will be used
 - iii. Copy of most recent personal income tax return
 - b. Scholarship Audition Form
 - c. Scholarship Requirements Form
2. Demonstrate an obvious and unique talent for classical dance. This will be determined by an audition conducted by the faculty of SCDI.
3. Demonstrate a financial need. Applicants must demonstrate the inability to pay for their training based on annual income and familial status. All parental financial income must be disclosed on the Scholarship Application, and will be verified by means of contacting employers and/or requesting recent tax returns for confirmation.

Final decisions will be made by the Artistic Directors, and notification of scholarship awards will be made in writing as soon as such decisions have been made.

CRITERIA FOR MAINTAINING SCHOLARSHIPS

To remain in good standing and continue on scholarship students must:

1. Attend all classes, rehearsals and other scheduled SCDI events. Absences due to illness or injury must be reported. An inordinate amount of absences as determined by the Artistic Directors will result in the revocation of a scholarship.
2. Maintain steady improvement as determined by SCDI faculty in each class for which a scholarship is awarded.
3. Following the end of each school period for which a scholarship has been granted, complete an essay describing what the scholarship has meant to their development.

Additional criteria for maintenance of a scholarship may be required on an individual basis as determined by the Artistic Directors. Any additional criteria will be included in the notification of award.

Photography Waiver

I, _____, hereby irrevocably consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by Southwest Classical Dance Institute or anyone authorized by Southwest Classical Dance Institute of any and all photographs taken of me/my child by Southwest Classical Dance Institute and its representatives for any purpose deemed appropriate by Southwest Classical Dance Institute. This includes but is not limited to advertising and other publicity, as well as website promotion and the like.

(Print Student Name) (Signature) (Date)

(Print Parent/Guardian Name) (Signature) (Date)

(Address) (City) (State) (Zip)

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Scholarship Audition Form

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Student Name _____ Nick Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone # _____

How did you hear about SCDI?

Years of Dance _____ Years of Pointe _____

Currently training at a: School Studio College / University Company

Name _____ Address _____

Phone _____ Name of Artistic Director/Dean _____

Current Level of Training Beginning Intermediate Advanced

Names of Current Teachers:

Please include a letter of recommendation from at least one of your current instructors.

Please include a short essay describing your goals for training.

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Scholarship Application

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Section I. Applicant

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address, City, State, Zip _____

Social Security No _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Male Female

Race: Caucasian African American Asian Hispanic Native American

Section II. Parents or Legal Guardian

Father

Name _____

Home Address (If different)

Phone _____

Profession _____

Main Phone _____

Private Line _____

Email _____

Annual Income _____

Social Security Number _____

Employer _____

Manager Name _____

Employer Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Employer Phone _____

Employer Fax _____

Mother

Name _____

Home Address (If different)

Phone _____

Profession _____

Main Phone _____

Private Line _____

Email _____

Annual Income _____

Social Security Number _____

Employer _____

Manager Name _____

Employer Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Employer Phone _____

Employer Fax _____

Please include a copy of your most recent individual or joint personal income tax return(s).

Section V. Academic Background—Last School Attended

School Name _____ School Principal _____ Grade _____

Address, City, State, Zip _____ Phone _____

Please include a copy of applicant's most recent transcripts or report card.

Additional Information for Scholarship Consideration:

Section VI. Signature

I am requesting \$ _____ in the form of a scholarship for tuition. I understand all scholarship monies will be distributed on my behalf to the appropriate school or instructor. Please include a schedule of classes including instructor name and cost for which scholarship funds will be used.

Signature of Applicant _____

Signature of Parents/Legal Guardian _____