



In the Light
 PERFORMING ARTS CENTER & FLEX THEATRE



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Nates Kid's Scholarship Form

Name _____ Age _____ Grade _____
 Address _____ School _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____
 Parent/ Guardian _____ Phone _____
 Parents Work _____ Phone _____

Class or classes interested in _____

Please list below your average grades in school. Your favorite subjects and any extra-curricular activities you participate in:

Please list below any community and church activities you participate in:

Please write a few paragraphs explaining how you feel participating in the fine arts can benefit you and why you want to participate in them:

Please attach one letter of recommendation from a family friend, teacher, pastor or leader that knows you:

Type of scholarship requested:

- Full/Partial Work Scholarship (indicate tuition amount you could pay \$ _____)
- Partial "In Kind" Scholarship (indicate tuition amount you could pay \$ _____)

 Scholarship Committee Recommendation: _____

In the Light ITL grants two types of scholarships to those unable to pay tuition for the programs. The Scholarship Program's intent is to give performance opportunities to youth who may not otherwise be able to afford it. Scholarships are limited, but ITL will award as many as it is able.

WORK SCHOLARSHIP (Partial):

- Work scholarships allow anyone for whom tuition would be a financial burden to "earn" their tuition by working for ITL in a volunteer capacity for an agreed upon number of hours. A participant may request a full Work Scholarship or specify the amount they feel comfortable paying and request a partial Work Scholarship for the difference.
- Full Work Scholarships require a deposit check in the agreed upon amount to be held un-cashed in the ITL office until required work hours are completed. If your hours are not satisfied by the final day of the production run, the check will be cashed on the last day of the production or class. No exceptions.
- Partial Work Scholarships require a deposit check in the agreed upon amount to be held un-cashed in the ITL office until required work hours are completed, If your hours are not satisfied by the final day of the production run, the check will be cashed on the last day of the production or class. No exceptions.
- Partial Work Scholarships require the balance of tuition costs be paid at the time of audition or enrollment. No exceptions.
- Work Scholarship recipients must sign a contract agreeing to work 1 hour of volunteer work for every \$7-10 worth of scholarship awarded. Work may be completed by the recipient, or any other member of his or her immediate family. If the work is not completed, by the last day of the production or class, the recipient will be ineligible for future scholarships.
- Work Scholarship recipients will be provided with a time card when they turn in their deposit check and signed Scholarship Contract. Timecards are held in the ITL office, and it is the recipients' responsibility to get volunteer hours signed off by ITL staff person supervising the work.
- Work Scholarship recipients are required to submit a one-page report at the conclusion of the program describing what they and/or their family got out of participating with ITL. Reports may be used by the fund-raising or marketing departments to promote ITL's scholarship program or solicit donations to support the program. You may request to remain anonymous if materials from your report are quoted. The report must be written by the student participant, not a parent or other family member. The report is due on the final day of the class or productions. If the report is not turned in by the final day, the recipient will be ineligible for scholarships for the remainder of the season.
- Costume costs/Production Fees Are not covered by the scholarship and are still the responsibility of the performer and his or her family.

FULL SCHOLARSHIP:

- Full Scholarships are available only to applicants with limited financial resources or special circumstances. ITL reserves the right at any time to request some form of verification of need.
- Full Scholarships cover all tuition costs and require no volunteer work from the participant or a member of his or her family.
- In lieu of volunteering, Full Scholarship recipients are required to submit a one-page report at the conclusion of the program describing what they and/or their family got out of participating with ITL. Reports may be used by the fund-raising or marketing departments to promote ITL's scholarship program or solicit donations to support the program. You may request to remain anonymous if materials from your report are quoted. The report must be written by the student participant, not a parent or other family member. The report is due on the final day of the class or production. If the report is not turned in by the final day, the recipient will be ineligible for scholarships for the remainder of the season.

- Costume costs are not covered by this scholarship and are still the responsibility of the performer and his or her family.

“In Kind” SCHOLARSHIP (Full or Partial):

- In Kind scholarships allow anyone for whom tuition would be a financial burden to “earn” their tuition by giving to ITL an agreed upon number of items. A participant may request a full “in kind” Scholarship or specify the amount they feel comfortable paying and request a partial in Kind Scholarship for the difference.
- Full In Kind Scholarships require a deposit check in the agreed upon amount to be held un-cashed in the ITL office until required giving is completed. If your items are not donated by the final day of the production run, the check will be cashed on the last day of the production or class. No exceptions.
- Partial In Kind Scholarships require a deposit check in the agreed upon amount to be held un-cashed in the ITL office until required work hours are completed, If your giving is not satisfied by the final day of the production run, the check will be cashed on the last day of the production or class. No exceptions.
- In Kind Scholarship recipients must sign a contract agreeing to donate a specific list of items in order for the scholarship to be awarded. Giving may be done by the recipient, or any other member of his or her immediate family. If the donating is not completed, by the last day of the production or class, the recipient will be in eligible for future scholarships.
- In Kind Scholarship recipients will be provided with a list when they turn in their deposit check and signed Scholarship Contract. A copy of the list is held in the ITL office, and it is the recipients’ responsibility to get giving items signed off by ITL staff person supervising the office.
- In Kind Scholarship recipients are required to submit a one-page report at the conclusion of the program describing what they and/or their family got out of participating with ITL. Reports may be used by the fund-raising or marketing departments to promote ITL’s scholarship program or solicit donations to support the program. You may request to remain anonymous if materials from your report are quoted. The report must be written by the student participant, not a parent or other family member. The report is due on the final day of the class or productions. If the report is not turned in by the final day, the recipient will be ineligible for scholarships for the remainder of the season.
- Costume costs. Are not covered by the scholarship and are still the responsibility of the performer and his or her family.

HOW TO APPLY:

- Complete the Scholarship Application and submit it to the office no later than two weeks prior to the start of class or first day of auditions.
- After your application has been reviewed, you may be invited for an interview with the Scholarship Director. Parents are strongly encouraged to attend the interview if one is requested.
- If you are selected, you will be offered a scholarship contract to sign. If you sign the contract and agree to its conditions, you will be given a copy of the contract to attach to your audition or enrollment form.