

# 2020-2021 Tuition Work Credit Program Application



Please mail the completed application and a copy of your 2018 Federal income tax return (1st page only) to: MYS, Attn. Tuition Assistance, 790 Cleveland Ave S, Suite 203, St. Paul, MN 55116, or email a scanned copy to: [mys@mnyouthsymphonies.org](mailto:mys@mnyouthsymphonies.org). **Application Deadline: Monday, July 13, 2020.**

**The MYS Tuition Work Credit Program** provides opportunities for families to earn tuition credit in exchange for completing work assignments at MYS. Assignments may include assisting during rehearsals, concerts or general help at the MYS office.

*Because limited tuition assistance funds are available, financial need is a major consideration when awarding tuition credit. To keep MYS programs accessible to as many students as possible, please give serious consideration to how much you need this assistance and whether an installment plan may meet your needs.*

**- All information is confidential -**

*For families with multiple students in MYS, please submit a copy of the first page for each additional student.*

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (Fall '19): \_\_\_\_\_ Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_  
Family Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student lives with (check all that apply):  Father  Mother  Stepmother  
 Stepfather  Legal guardian(s)  Grandparents

Father/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Place of employment/title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Place of employment/title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Does the student study privately?  Yes  No Private teacher: \_\_\_\_\_  
What is the cost of lessons: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency of lessons: \_\_\_\_\_

**The MYS Work Credit Program** provides tuition credit in exchange for work assignments. To help us better understand your availability, please check the following that apply to you:

- Parent/Guardian is available to work on Saturdays during MYS rehearsals
- Parent/Guardian is available to work at the MYS office during the weekdays
- Parent/Guardian is available to work on Special projects
- Student is available to work before/after MYS rehearsal

Work credit assignments may include: assisting at rehearsals, concerts, general office help, mailings, or special projects throughout the season. Some assignments involve a larger commitment and may require attendance at most MYS rehearsals. Additional work credit opportunities may become available throughout the season.

*Please go to reverse side to complete the application.*

**Confidential Financial Information**

Please attach a copy of the first page of your 201 Federal income tax return with your application. In situations of joint custody, both parents' incomes should be reported, and copies of both Federal income tax returns included with this application. Applications cannot be processed without proper financial records.

Are you the head of your household?  Yes  No

Are you a single parent?  Yes  No Do you receive any child support?  Yes  No

How many children under the age of 18 are living in your household? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list your annual gross family income \$**\_\_\_\_\_

*If this amount differs from the information on your Federal tax forms, please explain:*

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you qualify for the Federal Free or Reduced Price School Meals program?  Yes  No

*If yes, in which school district?* \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain any special financial circumstances (*please be specific*): \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Are you receiving scholarship or assistance for MYS or private lessons from other sources?

(*i.e. music clubs, competitions, school*)  Yes  No *If yes, please explain* \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you receiving assistance from any family or friends to help with the cost of MYS?  Yes  No

Are there other possible family sources of financial assistance?  Yes  No

*If yes, please explain* \_\_\_\_\_

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How much financial assistance do you hope to receive from MYS? \_\_\_\_\_

Check this box if want information about reduced ticket prices available to scholarship students.

*MYS reserves the right to request additional family financial information if necessary.  
All financial information will be held in the strictest confidence.  
Families will be notified of decisions by mid August.*

**- MYS Tuition Work Credit Program Statement of Intent -**

We certify that all the information on this application is true and correct. We have read the information describing the MYS Tuition Work Credit Program, and understand the requirements and responsibilities of the program. We understand that tuition credit may be rescinded if we fail to meet our work assignment responsibilities and/or do not follow the regulations listed in the award letter.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date