

The Sharon Ford FAME Camp Scholarship Application Information

The Mission of FAME is to foster and perpetuate creativity through multicultural arts education:

We believe in the value and power of the arts to kindle the imagination, encourage creative thinking and enhance human development.

Our Vision is to:

* Empower teachers to nurture artistic creativity;
* Celebrate the artist in every child and develop pathways to explore the arts;
* Understand and appreciate diverse cultures through experiences with indigenous

art forms;

* Make the arts enjoyable and a part of everyday life.

FAME is offering a fine arts camp experience for talented artistic students ages 8-14 in northern Indiana. This week-long arts camp, July 10-15, presents the FAME cultural focus in dance, drama, music, and visual art by an outstanding faculty of arts educators. The program offers an opportunity for artistic students to further their current artistic study and to participate in an artist youth community. FAME classes of music, visual arts, drama and dance are offered for campers. Daily talent sharing provides ample opportunities for performance, fun and camaraderie.

FAME will hold this camp in Howe, Indiana at Camp Lutherwald, to provide this artist colony experience to nominated young artists. The cost for the week-long overnight camp is $450 and includes class fees, room and board, and a t-shirt.

To fairly serve all families, a Participation Assistance Application form must be completed. *ALL information will be kept confidential!* Only one application per family is needed.

Please return your **application forms** by June 1, to FAME, 300 E. Main Street, Fort Wayne, IN 46802. All required documentation must be provided in order to be considered for assistance.



**The Sharon Ford FAME Camp Scholarship Application 2022**

*Sharon Ford was an outstanding music educator who inspired hundreds of young people through her love of creating valuable music experiences for children. Sharon was a busy FAME Board Member for over 25 years, and during the summer, she was an enthusiastic FAME Fine Arts Camp teacher! This scholarship is given by her Family in her honor to ensure her legacy and desire for students to experience arts education.*

FAME Camper - Describe your dedication to music and the arts: How has your artistic skill improved while participating in music classes or lessons, choir or band or orchestra either at your school, or at home. What would a week at FAME Camp mean to you? (You may use the back side of this application form if you need more space.)

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Parent – Please add any additional information that shows your commitment to your child attending FAME’s Arts Day Camp.

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Parent - Financial need is taken into consideration when reviewing scholarship applications. Please briefly describe how a scholarship would make a difference in your financial need.

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Date received Sibling Discount \_\_\_\_\_\_ % Reduction\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date awarded Assistance Awarded\_\_\_\_\_ Balance due\_\_\_\_\_

**FAME Camp Participation Assistance Application 2022**

The FAME Board never wants financial circumstances to be a barrier to participating in FAME Camp. Therefore, we are pleased to be able to offer a few scholarships to families who desire to send their child to camp. To fairly serve all families, the following information must be provided to the Camp Participation Assistance Committee. *ALL information will be kept confidential.*

Please return your application forms and attachments by June 1. All required documentation must be provided with the application to be considered.

Child’s Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name(s)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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INCOME DATA: Please include any working parent/guardian, step-parent, etc. who contributes to the household income.

I have attached my previous year’s (2021) tax return (form 1040) to this application. If your family does not earn enough income to file Federal income taxes, please submit a proof of income statement (W2, 1099’s, bank statement). If you have questions, contact the FAME office. Any application submitted without this information will not be considered. No exceptions can be made.

Please indicate appropriate additional information:

Number of people claimed on tax return\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Number of people in household\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please use the back of the application to provide a statement of need, including any extenuating circumstances that are contributing to your need for financial assistance (i.e. medical bills, parents returning to college).

Please read and sign below: In order to assist as many families as possible, full and partial Camp Scholarships are considered. Applications will be reviewed and your family will be notified in writing by July 1. Failure to comply with making your share of Camp payments in a timely manner or falsifying financial information, will result in forfeiting participation assistance funds.

Signed\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Participation assistance funds are made possible through the generous donations of Sharon Ford’s Family. FAME strives to include all people regardless of their race, ethnicity, gender, orientation, ability, economic status, native language, religion, or any other aspect of their background.

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