



2025 Kent & Carolyn Hojem Music Scholarship

The Washington State Fair Foundation is pleased to present scholarship opportunities to students for continuing education. Scholarship awards are made possible through the generosity of the Foundation's donors and Board of Directors.

Scholarship Description: The \$4,000 Kent and Carolyn Hojem Music Scholarship is awarded to one student from across the state of Washington who demonstrates true dedication to achieving excellence in their chosen career path. The scholarship is designed to aid deserving individuals passionate about a career in the music industry including performance (musicians, vocalists) as well as music education, music history and music therapy.

Criteria:

- Must be a resident of Washington
- Graduating high school senior or adult learner (at least one year out of high school)
- Attending an accredited two- or four-year college, university or trade/technical school
- All applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7.
- Currently working, volunteering or involved in a school-sponsored activity at least 8 hours per month, on average (preferred, but not required)
- Prior involvement with the Fair (4H, FFA, etc.) and financial need may be considered, though neither is a requirement
- Most recent copy of transcript (unofficial)
- Two letters of recommendation: one from a scholastic contact and one from an employer, volunteer contact, or advisor of school-sponsored activity. Letters written by relatives of the applicant are not allowed.

Application: The Kent and Carolyn Hojem Music Scholarship application is available online. By completing our online application, we will automatically apply you for all online scholarships that you qualify for.

Apply online at <https://thefairfoundation.awardspring.com/> beginning December 1, 2024.

Deadline to apply: Wednesday, January 31, 2025 at 11:59 p.m.

For questions and additional information, please contact us, at 253.841.5120 or by email at scholarships@thefair.com.

The mission of the Washington State Fair Foundation is to financially support the scholarship and educational programs of the Fair and to help preserve and improve the Fair for future generations. More information can be found at www.thefair.com/foundation.