

FUND FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF MUSICAL ARTS

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Application for FAMA Funding

GRANT PROCESS

- (1) To pay application fee (\$20) and membership fee, visit www.nfmc-music.org/payment (Deadline: May 1)
- (2) Submit application and supplementary documents to: <https://forms.nfmc-music.org/forms/> (Deadline: May 1)
 - a) 1-page bio of applicant/organization
 - b) 1-page project description (include expected results (goals), duration, detailed budget and specific expense estimates)

NOTE: FAMA grants are **not** available for the following:

- Summer Music Center tuition, travel and/or living expenses
- College tuition, travel, and/or living expenses
- Payment for professional musicians to perform a work or as a stipend/salary for other persons involved in a project

FAMA grants are intended to support a specific music education/outreach project. Grants are non-renewable and are not intended to support ongoing projects. New grant applicants will receive priority over previous grant recipients. Preference will be given to community projects that strengthen music education/music appreciation in the U.S. Committee decisions are final.

Eligibility: NFMC membership for the applicant is required

NFMC Membership Options for a FAMA Grant

Note:

- a) If grant recipient is an individual, the recipient/applicant must be an NFMC member in one of the Membership Options listed below. Individual grant recipient checks are written to the individual member. If the grant recipient is a group, the person submitting the group application must be an NFMC member in one of the Membership Options listed below. The check will be written to the group recipient or designated grant applicant.
- b) Membership dues must be paid by May 1 to be considered for this grant.
- c) NFMC Membership dues are valid from July 1 – June 30

1	Senior CLUB Membership (Adult)	Membership in a Senior Music Club includes all musical benefits and opportunities offered by that club. Contact your local Senior Music Club for membership fees. To pay application fee (\$20), visit www.nfmc-music.org/payment (Membership status in local Senior Club will be verified)	
2	Senior INDIVIDUAL Member (Adult)	\$70 fee	To pay application fee (\$20) and Senior Individual membership fee (\$70), visit www.nfmc-music.org/payment
3	Student/Collegiate CLUB Membership OR Student/Collegiate INDIVIDUAL Membership (Student/Collegiate Ages: Must have reached 19th but not 26th birthday)	\$25 fee	Obtain Student/Collegiate Club Membership (single group) by contacting the students' State Federation Treasurer to pay that State's Student/Collegiate Club membership fee. Pay the application fee (\$20) at www.nfmc-music.org/payment To pay application fee (\$20) and Student/Collegiate Individual membership fee (\$25), visit www.nfmc-music.org/payment
4	Student/Collegiate MASS ENROLLMENT ASSOCIATE Groups (Student/Collegiate Ages: Must have reached 19th but not 26th birthday)	College groups, music schools, music departments, poetry groups, dance groups, choirs, bands, orchestras and similar organizations may become members through mass enrollment upon payment of dues. \$45 for 50 or fewer members; \$75 for 50+ members. To pay application fee (\$20) and appropriate Student/Collegiate Mass Enrollment membership fee, visit www.nfmc-music.org/payment	

AGREEMENT NOTE: By submitting the application, you grant permission to NFMC to publicize this project in Music Clubs Magazine and you agree to submit a report to the FAMA chair 30 Days after the completion of the project and no later than **June 1, 2026**. All supporting materials related to the grant must include recognition of NFMC.