

# LAGO VISTA BAND BOOSTER ORGANIZATION

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## Senior Scholarship Application Overview Spring 2023

### Scholarship Information

The Lago Vista Band Booster Organization established an annual scholarship program to provide financial assistance to graduating seniors who have fulfilled their commitment to the Viking Band, demonstrated leadership qualities, the ability to work as a team, and have continually pushed themselves to excel on the performance field and concert stage and in the academic classroom.

The Lago Vista Band Booster Organization will designate a committee that will review the applications and determine a scholarship amount based on merit, recommendation, director recommendation, and band participation and involvement. The committee will be comprised of Band Booster members approved by the Band Booster Executive Board. All applications will be redacted by the directors before committee review and will be anonymous.

All applicants must attend an institution of higher education within twelve (12) months of the scholarship award date or the scholarship will not be issued. Applicants are NOT required to declare a music-related major for eligibility.

### Application Process

Applications for the Lago Vista Band Booster Scholarship will be available from the directors during the spring semester for seniors graduating in May. All applications must be filled out completely, signed as indicated, and submitted in full by the designated date. Any incomplete applications will not be reviewed.

### Scholarship Award

The Lago Vista Band Booster Organization Scholarship Committee will review all applications and submit their recommendations to the Band Booster Executive Board. Applicants will be notified of their scholarship award at the annual Viking Band Banquet in May. All scholarships will be sent directly to the recipient's institution of higher learning they will attend.

### General Application Requirements

- ✓ Completed Scholarship Application
- ✓ Three Letters of Recommendation (2 Academic, 1 Personal)

### Scholastic Application Requirements

- ✓ Applicant must have been a member in good standing of the Lago Vista High School Band (or similar program if relocation to Lago Vista) for at least three (3) consecutive years.
- ✓ Must be a senior, and a member in good standing of the Lago Vista High School Band program.
- ✓ Students must have maintained a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher to be considered for a scholarship. Grade criteria is based upon records kept by the Registrar of Lago Vista Independent School District.
- ✓ Students must enroll in a minimum of twelve (12) hours of course work for the semester in which scholarship award is assigned.

**Application Due Monday, April 17th by 9:00am**



Please list high school activities for which you have been involved during your high school career. (Examples: Student Government, Sports, Theater, Clubs, etc...)

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Offices Held</u>

Please attach additional sheets as necessary.

List public service and community activities for which you have been involved during your high school career. (Examples: Work, Religious, Scouting, etc...)

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Offices Held</u>

Please attach additional sheets as necessary.

**Essay Short Answer Questions**

Please answer the following three questions. All responses should be well thought out and presented in a professional manner – correct spelling and grammar. All responses **should be typed** and no more than five hundred (500) words.

- 1) How do you feel band has prepared you for college and life?
- 2) What is your intended major and what is your plan to use that degree?
- 3) How would this scholarship assist you in achieving your academic goals?

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Viking Band Booster Organization  
**SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**  
**Director's Evaluation Form**

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**Applicant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

What audition process(es) could this student participate in based on their instrument?

Region/Area/All-State

Solo and Ensemble

What ensembles could this student participate in based on their instrument?

Marching Band

Concert Band

**On the following scales, 1=weakest and 10=strongest.**

On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate this student's work ethic in band class?

1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8    9    10

On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate this student's dedication and commitment to the Viking Band program?

1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8    9    10

On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate this student's overall attitude?

1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8    9    10

Do you feel this student goes above and beyond what is requested of the typical band student?

YES

NO

Additional Comments:

Director Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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# You're Done!

Please verify that your application is complete. Your application should include the following:

1. Application Page
2. Activity Involvement Page
3. Essay Short Answer Responses
4. Three (3) Letters of Recommendation (2 Academic; 1 Personal)
5. Director Evaluation Form

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