2021- 2022 Student Teaching Grant Information

NMEA Mission:

The Nebraska Music Education Association is committed to building a robust statewide community of qualified music educators and allies by **cultivating** genuine relationships, **advancing** music education, and **advocating** for the profession.

Student Teaching Grant Guidelines:

A minimum of two grants will be given in the amount of $1,000 each will be award during the 2021-2022 school year to students enrolled in a Nebraska college or university and who are active members of a Collegiate NAfME chapter.

- Applicants must be a member of a NAfME Collegiate chapter. Recipients of the grant must prove active membership in their collegiate chapter or, after June expiration of collegiate membership, prove first membership in NAfME.
- Applications will be accepted for both the Fall 2021 and Spring 2022 student teaching.
- The postmark deadline for application is May 1.
- Incomplete or late applications will not be accepted.

The completed application packet will include:

- Application form (on second page)
- Collegiate musical activities resume
- Essay (see application for topic)
- Official college/university transcript
- Three letters of recommendation
- Proof of Collegiate Membership

Questions? Please contact Brian Alber, Director of College/University Affairs at alberbw@unk.edu.

Nebraska Music Education Association

Student Teaching Grant Application
for 2021 – 2022 School Year

Name: _____

Permanent Mailing Address: _____
Address City State, Zip

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Temporary Mailing Address: _____
Address City State, Zip

Temporary Mailing Address valid until: _____

Current College/University Attending: _____

Are you currently a member of a NAfME Collegiate Chapter?

Yes No ID #: _____

Other colleges/universities attended (with dates):

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If known, list the schools and supervising teachers with whom you will be working:

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Name a contact person to verify completion of student teaching:

_____

Contact Phone Number: _____

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Activities and Awards:
In a separate document, list musical groups, activities, leadership positions, awards, and applicable experiences you have held or received during your college/university career.

Essay:
In a separate document, write an essay (one to two pages, single-spaced) that addresses the following question: *What do you hope to accomplish in your first year of teaching?*

Completed application packet should include:

- Application form
- Collegiate musical activities resume
- Essay
- Official college/university transcript
- Three letters of recommendation (may be sent under separate cover)

Deadline for application is May 1, 2022.

Submit applications to:

NMEA Office
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Omaha, NE 68154
alberbw@unk.edu