Scholarship Guidelines

The Lexington Ballet Company awards a limited number of scholarships to full time students based on financial needs. After financial needs are met, the student’s conduct, leadership, artistic ability, and achievements will also be taken into consideration. All scholarship applications will be kept confidential.

The Lexington Ballet School year begins in August and continues through May. Scholarship applications need only be submitted once per year. The awards granted will be valid throughout the fall and spring terms. Scholarship awards for summer programs will be determined separately, a new application does not need to be submitted.

Application Deadlines
Fall-Summer 2021-22:  Aug 14th

✔ Please note that mid-term applications will be accepted. However, our ability to make an award will be based on remaining funds available.

Application Process:

1. Applicant must register as a full time student of the school.
2. Student and parent/guardian must fill out and sign the scholarship application before the deadline.
3. Parent/guardian or student prepares an essay. The essay may be on any media and is an opportunity to explain their needs that aren’t displayed on the application form. Please detail any extenuating circumstances, and include other items such as why the dancer started dancing, what they have learned from their study of dance, and their future goals related to dancing.
4. Parent or guardian is asked to provide their latest IRS 1040 Federal Tax Form filed in the most recent tax year.
5. If student qualifies and money is available, Lexington Ballet makes a scholarship offer and specifies condition of acceptance.
6. If student does not qualify or scholarship funds are not available, the Lexington Ballet will notify the parent/applicant in writing. Payment scheduling options will then be offered and, if desired, a conference may be scheduled with a member of the Scholarship Committee.
7. Scholarship Recipients must attend class on a regular basis and adhere to all policies of the Lexington Ballet School.

A student who receives the scholarship shall not miss class and/or rehearsal without approval from the director. All requests for an excuse shall be done in writing and dropped off at the ballet office 24 hours prior to class or rehearsal.
# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**CHECKLIST**

- [ ] IRS 1040 Income Tax Return  
- [ ] Signed Application Form  
- [ ] Essay

Please return your completed application to:
Lexington Ballet School  
Attention: Nancy Dominguez  
161 North Mill Street  
Lexington, KY 40507

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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** Email is used for all correspondence by the Scholarship Committee unless indicated otherwise. **