



MUSIC MERIT AWARD APPLICATION

PROGRAM MERIT AWARDS 2012-2013

Program Merit Awards recognize CMU students who are gifted in specific areas of achievement and who desire to excel and contribute to CMU in these areas. Each year up to 18 Program Merit Awards (maximum value \$3,000; \$750 per year up to four years) are given to students upon entering CMU.

Music Merit Awards recognize CMU students who are gifted in music and who desire to enter a music program at CMU. In order to qualify for a Music Merit Award, students must complete and send this form, an audition form and one letter of nomination from someone involved in music (e.g. music teacher, choral director). All materials must be postmarked no later than **February 28**.

Eligibility

- Is completing a high school diploma or has no more than 30 credit hours of post-secondary education.
- Plans to enroll in full-time studies at CMU (minimum 9 credit hours per semester).
- Students must have a CMU Entrance Average of no less than 80%
- Participation in music programs in high school and at CMU is required.

A student may apply for only one Program Merit Award; however s/he may also apply for an Athletic Merit Award and a Leadership Scholarship.

Note: It is possible for a student to receive either a Merit Award or a Leadership Scholarship, but not both.

Please Note:

In addition, CMU Shaftesbury Campus offers four **Leadership Scholarships** (maximum value, \$10,000; \$4,000 first year, \$2,000 per year for up to 3 additional years) to students who demonstrate significant leadership ability, academic excellence, personal character, service, and vision as well as **Program and Athletic Merit Awards**. If you would like to apply for a Leadership Scholarship or Athletic Merit Award please ask our admissions department for these application forms or visit our website.

Please ensure you complete all sections below

1. Student Information

Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____

City/Town: _____ Province/State _____ Email: _____

High School: _____

University attended (no more than 30 credit hours) _____



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2. Please Prepare the following materials for the Music Merit Award

- 2 or 3 paragraphs (250 words) on what inspires and motivates you to pursue your chosen area of study. What is your past experience and involvement in this area? How do you see your future in this area?
- An audition form
- An in-person or recorded music (if out of province) audition, with 2 contrasting pieces

3. Checklist: Be sure to include the following when applying for a Program Merit Award:

- A completed application for admission to CMU (which includes at least an official interim transcript from your High School/University)
- Music Merit Award Application (this form)
- A completed nomination form
- An in-person or recorded music audition (if out of province) with 2 contrasting pieces
- Specific submissions for your area of application (250 words outlining your area of interest in your program of study)
- Audition Form

Please send completed form to:

ADMISSIONS

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