

The Leroy A. Paige, Sr. Music Scholarship

Goal:

The purpose of the scholarship is to provide an incentive for a high school senior in the Charlotte–Mecklenburg school system that plans to pursue jazz studies at an accredited college or university.

Qualifying Requirements:

1. Candidates must possess the following skill sets:
 - ✓ Ability to read music
 - ✓ Mastery of all major and minor scales
 - ✓ Playing descending dominant scales over chord changes
2. Candidates must agree to demonstrate to the 'A Sign Of The Times of the Carolinas' scholarship committee (*via an audio / video tape or at a predetermined time at their high school*):
 - ✓ The skill sets under requirement #1
 - ✓ Their level of ear training and listening
 - ✓ Their understanding of melody, harmony and rhythm.
3. Candidates must be enrolled in the Charlotte–Mecklenburg school system with a grade point average of 2.75 or higher.
4. Candidate will require one letter of recommendation from a music teacher in the Charlotte–Mecklenburg school system.

Deadline to Apply:

May 31st

Audition audio or video can be emailed to toni@asignofthetimes.org or can be mailed to: A Sign of the Times of the Carolinas, Attn: L.A. Paige Music Scholarship Committee, 6228 Eagle Peak Dr. Charlotte, NC 28214.

Award:

The successful candidate will be notified by June 30th and presented the \$500 scholarship from 'A Sign Of The Times of the Carolinas'.