MSU Community Music School-Detroit
Confidential Application for Financial Aid

Application Deadlines:  Fall Semester 2015: September 19, 2015
                          Spring Semester 2016: January 23, 2016

Student Name:____________________________________________________________________

Last      First         M.I.

The CMS Confidential Application for Financial Aid consists of four components: (I) Financial Information Form, (II) Registration Form, (III) a copy of your most recent 1040 tax form or other proof of income/household incoming funds, and (IV) $20 deposit towards the tuition. It is the responsibility of the applicant or applicant’s parent/guardian to see that all items are completed and returned to CMS by the published deadline listed above. Only complete applications are considered. All financial information is kept strictly confidential.

Financial aid awards are deducted from total tuition charges; no money changes hands between CMS-Detroit and aid recipients. For fall applicants, awards are granted for the entire school year when possible and based on registration for the full program length or two 14-16-week semesters. For new spring applicants, awards are granted for the full program length or one 15-16-week semester. Registration for less than the full program length or 14-16 weeks each semester will result in a prorated award based on the number of lessons.

Students will be notified in writing (via email or mail) within two-three weeks of the semester deadlines regarding their award status.

Withdrawal from any program during the semester for any reason except for special circumstances approved by the Community Music School-Detroit Director will result in revocation of the financial aid award. Approved withdrawals will result in prorated aid according to the number of lessons/classes/rehearsals received at the date of withdrawal. In some cases, an additional payment may be required. Early withdrawal without the approval of the Director will result in revocation of the financial aid and full payment will be required.

The acceptance of financial assistance from CMS-Detroit carries with it an obligation on the part of the student to attend groups or sessions on a regular basis and work diligently on making progress in his/her principal area of study. The CMS-Detroit reserves the right to revoke the aid award to any student whose work or behavior is deemed unsatisfactory.

Award of financial aid for 2014-15 does not guarantee assistance in the future. Financial aid applications must be completed each year. A parent or guardian of each financial aid recipient will be required to sign a letter of agreement accepting the financial aid and to return it within two weeks of notification of the award.

Completed forms must be mailed or hand-delivered in hard copy to:

Registrar
MSU Community Music School-Detroit
3408 Woodward Avenue
Detroit, MI 48201

For Director’s Use Only

Date Application Received:__________________

Financial Aid Awarded: Fall Semester $________   Spring Semester $________   Summer Semester $________