

INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL APPLICANTS

ADMISSION

Admission is competitive and openings are limited. Admission is determined by recommendation of the faculty after a thorough review of all application criteria, which include artistic achievement and potential and OCU's programmatic needs. No admission decision can be made prior to the completion of the application process. Early application is recommended for the best chance of admission and receiving financial aid. Applicants who request consideration for multiple programs will be considered program by program in the applicant's order of preference.

HOW TO APPLY

Please review the application and audition instructions carefully. Requirements are specified within each detailed program description available online.

1. Select a program. Applicants may request consideration for more than one program/session but must indicate an order of preference on the Application for Admission.
2. Complete the application for admission. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Audition DVD's must be labeled with the applicant's full name and program of interest. Please note application materials will not be returned.

Additional requirements for financial aid applicants: The Application for Financial Aid and required tax documentation must be received with your Application for Admission to be considered for aid. Applicants may submit their aid application materials by mail, e-mail, or fax. Unless there is a significant and verifiable change in their financial circumstances, candidates cannot apply for financial aid after learning of their admission decision.

3. Submit the completed application with the application fee to the OCU Performing Arts Academy. The Academy will confirm receipt of application materials via email. Applicants should add these two addresses to their address book to ensure timely delivery: academy@okcu.edu; jmoad@okcu.edu.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Application for Admission
- Application Fee(s)
 - \$35 processing fee before April 1st (vocal & instrumental)
 - \$45 processing fee after April 1st (vocal only)
 - \$45 processing fee after May 1st (instrumental only)
 - \$55 processing fee after May 31st (vocal only)
- Audition Submission (if required)
- All-State documentation (if applicable)
- Required tax documentation (if financial aid is sought)

ADMISSION DECISIONS

Admission is not guaranteed and applicants are given an admission decision as quickly as possible. Refer to the audition submission deadlines and notification of admissions on our website at: <http://www.okcu.edu/music/academy/sminfo.aspx>. Notification will be made by email. To accept the offer of admission, the enrollment agreement forms and half tuition must be returned to the Office by the date provided in the notification email. Tuition must be paid in full by May 20th or within two weeks of acceptance notification if applying after May 1st.

OCU SUMMER MUSIC PROGRAMS

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

STUDENT'S BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Applicant's Full Name _____
Last/Family Name First/Given Name Middle Name Nickname if you prefer for use

Male/Female DOB (M/D/Y) Ethnicity (optional) Student's email Student's Cell Phone # t-shirt size

Permanent Address _____
Street Address City, State/Province Postal/Zip Code

FAMILY INFORMATION

Who is your custodial parent? Both Parents Parent/Guardian 1 Parent/Guardian 2
 With whom do you reside? Both Parents Parent/Guardian 1 Parent/Guardian 2 Other _____
Specify

Parent/Guardian 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <small>Specify</small>	Parent/Guardian 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <small>Specify</small>
Full Name	Full Name
Address (if different from the applicant's address)	Address (if different from the applicant's or Parent/Guardian 1)
City/State (if different from the applicant's address)	City/State (if different from the applicant's or Parent/Guardian 1)
e-mail Home Phone Cellular Phone	e-mail Home Phone Cellular Phone
Employer Title	Employer Title
Occupation Work Telephone	Occupation Work Telephone

Please list your siblings, if any, by name and provide their ages:

_____ Full Name(s) and Age(s)

INDICATE THE APPLICANT'S INTENDED PROGRAM

- High School Music Theater Two Week Three Week Five Week
 Vocal Arts Institute Two Week Three Week Five Week
 Jr. High Music Theater Theatre Voice
 Piano Violin, Viola, Cello
 Percussion Bassoon

STUDENT EDUCATION INFORMATION

Have you had formal training in this art form? Y/N How long have you studied? _____

Applicant's Academic School _____

Type of School: Public Independent Parochial Other

School Website _____ Current Grade in School _____

Have you attended a summer/enrichment program other than OCU in the past two years? If so, please respond below:

Name of Program	Duration	City, State, Country	Subject(s) Studied	Year(s) Attended
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What other programs are you considering this summer? _____

PRIVATE INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION

(IF APPLICABLE)

Name of Teacher	e-mail Address	Subject Taught	City, State
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Scholarships are available for All-State (vocal or instrumental) participants. Please list state for which you qualify:

Proof of participation is required.

FINANCIAL AID

More than \$50,000 in financial aid was granted to students last summer. Aid is based on need combined with talent. Talent only awards are not given. For aid consideration, answer the following questions. Applicants must also submit a copy of the most recently completed federal income tax return (Pages 1 & 2 only) to the Academy Office indicating adjusted gross income.

Do you intend to apply for need-based financial aid? Yes/No

How much is your family able to contribute toward tuition? \$ _____

Parent 1: Annual Family Earnings This year: \$ _____ last year: \$ _____

Parent 2: Annual Family Earnings This year: \$ _____ last year: \$ _____

If necessary, attach a written statement to explain any special circumstances or unusual family expenses that the Financial Aid Committee should consider when assessing your financial need. Please be as specific as possible.

NEED-BASED AID

The Financial Aid section of the application for admission must be completed and required tax documentation must be received with your application in order to be considered for aid. Applicants must apply for financial aid at the same time as applying for admission. Need-based aid is intended to defray the cost of Camp attendance, where appropriate, and will not cover the total cost. Available funding is limited, with the purpose of helping as many families as possible who demonstrate need. Applicants are encouraged to research grants and loan programs offered by their local government, as well as foundations, banks, employers, artistic venues, schools and service organizations.

HOW DID YOU FIRST LEARN ABOUT OCU SUMMER MUSIC PROGRAMS?

- Teacher _____
Full Name of Teacher e-mail Telephone Number Artistic or Academic Teacher?
- Educational Consultant/Agent _____
Consultant Name /Agency Name e-mail Telephone Number
- Performing Arts Fair _____ Search Engine/Internet Site _____
Location Engine/Website
- Educational/Community Organization _____ Publication/Directory _____
Name Name
- Radio or TV program _____ Other _____
Specify Specify

APPLICATION FEE

Please enclose the required fee with your application. Make check payable to "OCU."

- Check VISA Mastercard Discover

Credit Card Number Expiration Date 3 digit code

Print Card Holders Name Card Holder Signature

REQUIRED SIGNATURES

I certify that all information presented by me for admission consideration is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of the Applicant Date Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian Date

OCU Summer Music Programs is committed to equal opportunity in the administration of its educational policies, admission, scholarships and loan programs, and all other student activities and programs. OCU complies with federal and state laws that prohibit discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, national or ethnic origin, height, weight, sexual orientation, handicap or any other characteristic protected by law applicable to OCU, so long as the individual meets all admission and performance qualifications.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Director's e-mail: jmoad@okcu.edu