

# Space Coast Jazz Society Scholarship Application - Investing in the Future of Jazz

Each year, the Space Coast Jazz Society awards scholarships to graduating Brevard County high school seniors who are registered for continuing education. Applicants must be interested in furthering their studies in jazz music, but do not need to major in music. The scholarship winners will be notified by email and letter, and also be contacted to arrange for rehearsals in preparation to **perform in concert on Sunday, April 14, 2024** with a band provided by the Space Coast Jazz Society.

The scholarship money is sent directly to the school of continuing education. Scholarships are valid from the time of the award through the fall semester of the following year (i.e. Spring 2024 through Fall 2025). If the student has not used the scholarship within that time period, the money will be returned to the Space Coast Jazz Society's education fund. If you have any questions, email [Jazz@SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org](mailto:Jazz@SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org).

The application deadline is **MARCH 15th...**

Apply online at [www.SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org/scholarships](http://www.SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org/scholarships) and email the supporting materials (listed below) to [Jazz@SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org](mailto:Jazz@SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org)

**OR**

Complete the application below and submit it with the following supporting materials below **by email** to [Jazz@SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org](mailto:Jazz@SpaceCoastJazzSociety.org). Items 1-3 can be submitted as one document.

**OR**

Complete the application below and submit with the supporting materials (items 1 - 3 can be submitted as one document) **by mail** to:

**Space Coast Jazz Society**  
**PO Box 120653**  
**Melbourne, FL 32912**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone/Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Music Teacher at school: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Years involved with music: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument(s): \_\_\_\_\_

## **SUPPORTING MATERIALS**

1. A paragraph describing your past musical accomplishments and studies.
2. A paragraph on your college plans and how they would be aided by a cash award.
3. A brief essay of how you became interested in jazz, with comments on 3 musical figures who inspired you.
4. A statement from 2 references with a brief commentary about your talent, character, and seriousness of intent.
5. A short audio or video of you performing **SOLO** (YouTube links are acceptable). It does not have to be professional quality, but does need to be audible.