



Sphinx Preparatory Music Institute in partnership with



2011-2012 Academic Year



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The Sphinx Preparatory Music Institute, made possible through leadership support from the Ford Motor Company Fund, offers classes to Detroit students in music history, music theory/ear training and instrumental performance for ten Saturdays during both fall and winter semesters (20 weeks total). It serves string, woodwind, brass, percussion and piano instrumentalists, ages 11-18, with a focus on middle school students. The program is designed to address the needs of students in pursuit of music studies at beginning thru advanced levels who lack access to steady, balanced musical training.

Sphinx Prep is hosted by the Detroit Symphony's Education Department on Saturdays from 1:00-3:30. Once per semester, Sphinx Prep will feature a guest artist/ensemble in a performance. During this performance, Sphinx Prep students will also have the opportunity to perform.

Staff

John Madison, Dean

Afa Sadykhly Dworkin, Artistic Director
and Vice President of Programming

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Application Process

1. Print and fill out our application form
2. Enclose a minimum 100 word personal statement expressing why you feel you should participate in this program
3. Enclose a copy of your most recent report card
4. Enclose a photo of yourself (school photos preferred)
5. Enclose a \$25.00 non-refundable Application Fee
6. Mail the completed application package to the Sphinx offices at

Sphinx Organization - Sphinx Prep
 400 Renaissance Center, Suite 2550
 Detroit MI 48243

7. Upon acceptance, a \$25.00 Commitment Fee is due, refunded upon completion of the full program.

Eligibility Requirements

- ◆ Eligible Instruments: string, woodwind, brass, percussion and piano
- ◆ Participants must be 11-18 years of age
- ◆ Participants must be residents of the Metropolitan Detroit area
- ◆ Participants must be U.S. citizens or legal residents

APPLICATION FORM (please print)

Student's Name _____ Race/Ethnicity _____

Age _____ Birthdate _____

Student's Email _____ Male Female

Primary Instrument _____ Secondary Instrument (if applicable) _____

How many years have you studied (primary instrument)? _____ How many years have you studied (secondary instrument)? _____

School Attending _____

Grade Level in fall 2011 _____ Current GPA _____ T-shirt Size: Adult Child Circle one: S M L XL

Full List of Applicant's Repertoire (primary instrument - use separate sheet) _____

List any allergies (use separate sheet if necessary) _____

Emergency Contact Name & Number: _____

Please attach a minimum 100 word personal statement expressing why you feel you should participate in this program

Parent/Guardian's Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ Work Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Cell Phone _____

Parent/Guardian's Email* _____

Will student need financial support for private lessons? Yes No

*email address provided to Sphinx will never be shared, sold or rented to others and will only be used for internal communication

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

Music Instructor's Name _____ Phone _____

Music Instructor's Affiliation _____

Does this student read music? Yes No If yes, at what level? Beginning Intermediate Advanced

Recommending Instructor's Signature _____