

**Scholarship Application Form  
Saginaw Valley State University  
Department of Theatre**

This form should be completed and mailed to the following address no later than February 26, 2010.

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(REQUIRED)

Department of Theatre  
Saginaw Valley State University  
7400 Bay Road  
University Center, MI 48710

**Section One - Biographical:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

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

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section Two -Academic:**

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ High School graduation year: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average to date at most recently attended institution: \_\_\_\_\_

SAT scores: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT scores: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section Three - Application:**

1. I wish to apply for a theatre scholarship to begin in the academic year:

Yes, I have already applied for admission to Saginaw Valley State University.

No, I have not applied and I need an application sent to me.

2. How did you hear about this scholarship?

Saginaw Valley State University Publication  Friend at SVSU

High School Counselor/Drama Teacher  College guide book

Contacted the theatre  Regional/Thespian Festival Auditions  SVSU website

Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

3. Do you plan to major in Theatre?  Yes  No

If no, what is your intended major? \_\_\_\_\_

4. What other schools are you applying to?

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\_\_\_\_\_

**Section Four - Experience/Training:**

1. Major areas of interest: (please check as many as apply)  
 Performance                       Directing                       Costume Design  
 Set Design                       Sound/Light Design                       Stage Management  
 Technical Theatre                       Dramaturgy                       Playwriting  
 Publicity/Public Relations                       Other (please explain): \_\_\_\_\_
2. Have you had dance training and/or experience?  Yes  No  
How many years of dance training have you had? \_\_\_\_\_  
Ballet: \_\_\_\_\_ Tap: \_\_\_\_\_ Modern: \_\_\_\_\_ Jazz: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do you play a musical instrument?  Yes  No  
If yes, specify: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Do you sing?  Yes  No  
If yes, what part? \_\_\_\_\_  
What voice training have you had? \_\_\_\_\_
5. List your acting training/classes:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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6. List the name and address of your most recent drama teacher or director:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

**Section Five - Resume:**

Please list theatre/dance experience:  
acting, dance, choreography, publicity, ticket sales, technical (props, scenery, lighting, sound, costumes, makeup, stage management)

Indicate the title of the production, the specific area of work, and the extent of your major responsibility (designer, crew head, crew member, running crew, major role, minor role)

If you prefer, you may attach a separate resume.

Performance: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Technical: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Reference Forms are part of the application process. Please be sure to download and forward two Scholarship Reference Forms, to two (2) people who are acquainted with your theatre training, experience and personal qualities. As indicated on the form, the persons completing these forms mail or fax them directly to the Theatre Department. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applications and Reference Forms must be received by the Department of Theatre no later than February 26, 2010.

If you have questions please call: (989) 964-7473 or email: [kjh@svsu.edu](mailto:kjh@svsu.edu) or fax: (989) 964-4675

**Section Six - Essay:**

1. In the space below, please answer the following question:

**How do you see theatre fitting into your college career and beyond?**

I certify that this essay is my own work and writing.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section Seven - Audition Information:**

Auditions will be scheduled in March and April. If you are selected to audition, you will be notified by the Department of Theatre of the date and time of the audition.

Performance auditions are comprised of one comic and one dramatic monologue; one from a **classical text** and one from a **contemporary play**. Technical auditions require the presentation of a portfolio of your work in theatrical productions.

If selected, I will be (check one or both):  Presenting a portfolio  Performing an audition

*An interview with the faculty will be part of the audition process for all students.*

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***All application materials must be received by the Department of Theatre  
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