

# Mountain View High School Band Scholarship Application

## Essay Instructions

The Mountain View High School Band Scholarship Essay requirements:

- **\*Applicant's Name is to be listed on application form ONLY!!!**
- **Do not include your name in the body of the essay or on any page of the essay.**

Essay submission must be:

- \* Typed
- \* Double spaced
- \* 500 word minimum-2000 word maximum
- \* 12 point Times New Roman or Courier New Font

Discussion of all four (4) of the following core content areas **must** be included in one well-written, cohesive essay:

1. Contributions to the band at Mountain View High School including:

- \*Leadership
- \*Musicianship
- \*Dedication and service to MVHS Band

2. Self-evaluation of personal impact of band participation to include:

- \*Why did you choose to participate in band?
- \*How has band participation shaped your High School experience?
- \*What has band participation and involvement meant to you?

3. Future plans for music

4. Planned college level or post-secondary educational facility  
band participation.

The essay will also be evaluated for grammar and sentence structure.

### **Submission Instructions**

Five (5) copies of the essay and a completed application form must be submitted to the MVHS Counseling Center in a sealed manila envelope labeled "Band Scholarship."

**Essay Submission deadline is**  
**Friday, April 28, 2017 by the end of the school day**  
**Late submissions will not be accepted.**