

**PERU STATE COLLEGE
HELEN NAEVE DOUGLAS SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION**

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES
FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Eligibility

1. Any high school graduate (age 17 through 24 years of age) who meets Peru State College admission requirements and who will be a first-time Freshman Music Major is eligible to apply.
2. The eligible applicant must have participated in music during high school.

Application

3. The application must be submitted by **Friday, March 9, 2012** to Dr. Patrick Fortney, Dean, School of Arts & Sciences, Peru State College, P.O. Box 10, Peru, NE 68421.
4. The application must be accompanied by (1) the high school transcripts, (2) a letter of recommendation from the applicant's music teacher or private instructor, and (3) a letter from the applicant expressing reasons for interest in this scholarship.

Audition

5. Each applicant must participate in a competitive audition on **Tuesday, March 20, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the College Theater** to determine to whom the scholarship will be awarded.
6. Each applicant must be prepared to perform in duration that would be suitable for district music contest. Each applicant will be responsible for providing their own accompaniment or they may perform unaccompanied.

Awarding

8. This \$500 scholarship will be awarded over a two year period (\$250 for each of two semesters).
9. The recipient must maintain a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale each semester the award is given. Failure to maintain the appropriate G.P.A. will result in the award being withdrawn.
10. Failure to participate in the band program where needed will result in the award being withdrawn.
11. This scholarship shall be awarded without regard to race, color, religion, age, sex, national origin, or handicap.

**PERU STATE COLLEGE
MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION**

**APPLICATION FORM
FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (____) _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____

Have you made application to Peru State College? Yes _____ No _____

Have you been accepted? Yes _____ No _____ Partially accepted _____

Have your transcripts been sent to Peru State College? Yes _____ No _____

Name of last high school attended _____

Current cumulative G.P.A. _____ Anticipated major _____

Years in: Band (marching/concert) _____ Choir _____

Other ensembles: _____ Woodwind Ensemble _____ Brass Ensemble

_____ Percussion Ensemble _____ Jazz Band

_____ Show Choir _____ Madrigals

_____ Other

Instrument(s) played or Vocal Range _____

Instrument on which you plan to audition _____

Title and composer of audition piece _____

Attach the following materials to complete your application:

- (1) Copy of high school transcripts
- (2) Letter of recommendation from Band/Choir Director or private instructor
- (3) Letter from yourself expressing reasons for interest in this scholarship

Return completed application by:

Friday, March 9, 2012

To

Dr. Patrick Fortney, Dean, School of Arts & Sciences

Peru State College, PO Box 10, Peru, NE 68421