

ANGELINA COLLEGE VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

Announce

**SCHOLARSHIP AUDITIONS FOR
BAND INSTRUMENTS & GUITAR**

STUDENTS DO NOT HAVE TO BE A MUSIC MAJOR TO QUALIFY FOR A MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP!

We would like to invite you to Angelina College to audition for a music scholarship. We are offering music scholarships to students interested in playing any of the band instruments and guitar beyond high school. You do not have to be a music major to apply for a scholarship. If offered a music scholarship (Instrumental) you will be a part of our AC Concert Band and will also have a private lesson with one of our talented music professors every week.

Top reasons to consider Angelina College:

- *inexpensive
- *world-class music instructors
- *small class size
- *fantastic scholarships
- *save on travel, living expenses

Music experiences:

- *play with other talented students from across East Texas
- *opportunities to play in large and small ensembles
- *opportunities to play solos in our Music Forums
- *and MORE!

Please respond soon. We want to meet with you as soon as possible because these amazing scholarships are given out quickly. We want you to be among the first to have this opportunity. Let us know if you are interested and we will schedule you on either March 6 or March 7 and meet with you here on our beautiful campus. If you are unavailable either day we can make alternate arrangements. Please contact us at the email at the bottom of this letter. We look forward to meeting you!

The Process....

FOR ON CAMPUS AUDITIONS

*Request an audition day and time to meet at Angelina College. Audition dates are Thursday, March 6 from 3:30 - 7:00 p.m., and Friday, March 7 from 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

*Arrive early at Hudgins Hall to warm up. There will be signs and people to help you along the way.

*Dress appropriately. This is a formal scholarship audition.

*Bring two extra copies of your audition music for the judges.

*Bring a minimum of two letters of recommendation OR have those emailed to pberler@angelina.edu.

*You do not need an accompanist for this audition, and one will not be provided by Angelina College.

All communication regarding band and guitar auditions and scholarships should be sent to pberler@angelina.edu.

Instrumental Audition Requirements

1. Perform two (2) pieces or movements in contrasting styles from the standard repertoire of your instrument. Band music is not permitted to be used as audition material.
2. Major scales (selected by the judges at the audition)
3. Chromatic scale (full range)
4. Music theory aptitude test*
5. Piano aptitude test*

The music theory test and piano test are not determining factors when choosing recipients of music scholarships. They are used to test basic musical skills only.

For questions and scheduling auditions contact Paul Berler, Director of Bands and Lead Instructor of Music at pberler@angelina.edu.