



Theatre Scholarship Application — for New Students enrolling for the 2026-27 academic year

I. Student Information

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	
Street Address	City	State	Zip
Email Address	Cell phone	Home Phone	

II. High School Information

Name of high school or homeschool: _____

Cumulative high school GPA: _____

Best ACT Score: _____ Best SAT Score: _____ Best CLT Score: _____ or N/A: _____

III. Theatre Interest

I am most interested in the following area(s) of theatre (select all that apply):

Performance Design Technical Theatre Stage Management Directing
 Other (please describe): _____

I also confirm the following:

My application to Cedarville University for fall 2026 admission is already completed, or will be by May 1, 2026
 My major will be in theatre.

IV. Criteria for Award

1. Student must declare Theatre as their academic major

2a. For students primarily interested in Performance, an audition/interview must be scheduled by emailing <staceystratton@cedarville.edu>. Audition/Interview must be complete by March 15, 2026. Please include the subject line, "Audition for Theatre Scholarship" (or 2b)

2b. For students primarily interested in any other area of theatre such as Design/Tech/ Stage Management, Directing, etc., an interview must be scheduled by emailing <staceystratton@cedarville.edu>. Interviews must be complete by March 15, 2026. Please include the subject line, "Interview for Theatre Scholarship"

- 3.** An essay which includes your personal faith testimony, and an explanation of your desire to honor Christ within the discipline of theatre
- 4.** Academic promise as shown by ACT/SAT scores and high school academic performance
- 5.** If disclosed in this application, financial need/hardship may be considered

V. Submission of Recommendation Letters and a current Theatre Resume

1. Please list the names and email addresses of two people to provide letters of recommendation for you. At least one should be that of a theatre teacher/ instructor familiar with your work. They will be sent a recommendation request to complete on your behalf.
 - **Full Name and title of your first reference:**

Email address: _____

- **Full Name and title of your second reference:**

Email address: _____

2. Include a current theatre resume with your application

VI. Application Submission

Email your completed application along with all requested materials to Stacey Stratton, Theatre Program Director. at staceystratton@cedarville.edu by Feb 13, 2026. Late applications will only be considered if funds remain available.

Checklist of items to include/do:

- Completed application
- Email requesting an audition or interview time, as described in 2a or 2b above
- Personal Essay, as described in item 3 above (with or without financial need disclosed)
- Current theatre resume