

**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL MARIACHI DIRECTORS!!
YOUR GROUP MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR:**

The Elisa Gastellum Mariachi Scholarship



High School Mariachi Groups can apply to win a \$1700 scholarship prize designated for school-affiliated mariachi groups made up of 9th-12th grade students. The scholarship includes \$1200 tuition underwriting to be used towards enrolling in the Tucson International Mariachi Conference Workshops (April 2025). The winning group will receive the \$500 for program development at the 2024 conference. This opportunity is open to public high school mariachi groups, and community mariachi groups with high school students.

How to apply:

1. Go to www.tucsonmariachi.org to download application in MS Word. Complete the forms in MSWord and submit as attachment to the following email address: esoelisa@aol.com
2. As part of the application each student in the performing group must submit an essay of 100 - 150 words.

Essay Topic: How has mariachi music influenced your life and/or encouraged you to follow your dreams and goals?

Award winning group will perform at the Participant Showcase and will also be featured at the Fiesta de Garibaldi.

Deadline for submission is March 15, 2024. For more information email esoelisa@aol.com or call Terri Gastellum at (520) 248-1495.