

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Email: _____

Have you applied to Clarke University? Yes No Have you secured a letter of recommendation from your choir director? Yes No

Please answer the following questions:

1. Please list the musical ensembles in which you have performed. Include both school groups and those outside of school. List the voice part that you sang with each group (Soprano I, Tenor II, etc.). Please include any honors received (section leader, all state, etc.). You may also include musical theater experience; in that instance, list the role you performed.

2. Clarke's choirs are comprised of gifted students, musically and intellectually. They are among the most diverse bodies of students on our campus, and our singers are extremely dedicated to the pursuit of artistic excellence. Please explain briefly how you will contribute to the overall excellence of our choral program.

Laughlin Choral Scholarships provide awards of up to \$1000 per year, for four years, for singers who want to continue participating in choir at the collegiate level while majoring in a discipline outside of music and drama. To be eligible for this award, students must be admitted to Clarke University, submit the brief Laughlin Scholarship application, and secure letter of recommendation from one of their choir directors. Upon receipt of all materials, scholarship decisions will be made based on the academic and musical strength of each applicant and on the needs of the choral ensembles at Clarke. Questions regarding the Laughlin Choral Scholar program should be directed to Brian Burns, Director of Choral Activities, at brian.burns@clarke.edu or (563)588-6412.