

Let's talk Music Forward



What is Music Forward?

- ★ Music Forward is an independent charity founded by the same people that founded the House of Blues.
- ★ These founders created the charity with the notion that those involved with the Foundation Room would also give back to the community by supporting the programs of Music Forward.

What do they do?

- ★ The Music Forward Foundation accelerates real-life skills for youth, using music and music industry as a bridge to success.
- ★ Music Forward provides career exploration opportunities, instruments to dedicated young musicians, and workshops with industry professionals.

How do my membership dues benefit Music Forward?

- ★ When Foundation Room member signs up for membership, we invite them to make a personal contribution to Music Forward.
- ★ **The total cost of membership includes a personal contribution to Music Forward.**
- ★ Its important to understand that a donation to Music Forward is separate from Foundation Room membership.

How are they making a difference in my community?

- ★ Music Forward is committed to making a local impact in cities nationwide. Our programs have put music into the hands of hundreds of young people.

How can I help?

- ★ You can help make a difference by volunteering with one of our programs, engaging your company/community by creating your own fundraising page or sponsoring a student, artist, field trip, or instrument. Learn more by clicking the Support tab at www.HOBMusicForward.com.

How are they different than other music charities?

- ★ Unlike other music charities, Music Forward does not focus on music education.
- ★ Music Forward leverages music and music industry to provide young people with the knowledge and tools needed to fuel creativity, build confidence, and connect passions to professions.

Where can I learn more?

- ★ If you would like to learn more, you can check out Music Forward's website at www.hobmusicforward.org, follow us on social media [@hobmusicforward](https://twitter.com/hobmusicforward) or you can contact Hayley Bowyer at HBowyer@hobmusicforward.org.