

## **Tips for Grant Applicants**

Please consider the following when completing your scholarship or grant applications:

- 1. We feel blessed to work with such talented educators and are amazed at your accolades. For the purpose of this application a one page resume will suffice.
- 2. Ask a colleague or another Orff Schulwerk teacher to proofread your application. Even the most talented writers have editors to ensure their work is ready for publication. **Complete all fields.**
- 3. The AutoCorrect feature makes some very interesting suggestions to words it doesn't know well especially words like "Schulwerk" and "Carl Orff." (Those are really important words to spell correctly.)
- 4. Ask the people who are writing references to address the following:
  - Detail their relationship with you
  - The purpose of the application
  - How has Orff Schulwerk impacted your teaching
- 5. Possible references could be:
  - People who are familiar with your teaching, even a colleague or chapter leader
  - A Levels instructor
  - A department head or supervisor
- 6. You are encouraged to speak from the heart. It's okay to tell us your story!