# **projectSTEP** 2019 FOCUS PROGRAM APPLICATION

				RACE/ETHNICITY:	
Last Name		First Name	Middle	<ul> <li>Black/African American</li> <li>Hispanic/Latino</li> <li>Other:</li> </ul>	
Gender	Age	Date of Birth		□ Omer:	
Street			City	ZIP	
Parent(s) or	Guardian(s) I	Names			
Home Telephone		Cell/Work Telephone		E-mail	
School			Town	Grade	
FOCUS class	ses meet <b>once</b>	<b>a week</b> on Saturday afternoons.	Please mark which ti	ime your child is available for:	

□ Saturday at 3:00 PM

□ Saturday at 4:00 PM

□ My child is available at 3:00 PM or 4:00 PM

**Mission Statement:** Project STEP recognizes that certain racial and ethnic minorities are vastly underrepresented in classical music. Our mission is to address this imbalance by identifying musically talented children from underrepresented Boston communities and providing them with comprehensive music and string instrument instruction.

#### **Parent's Statement of Commitment:**

I would like my child, \_\_\_\_\_\_, to apply for the FOCUS program. I have read and understand the FOCUS program description. I also understand that if accepted, I am committed to bringing my child regularly to classes and to keep the FOCUS program updated with any changes in the above information.

#### Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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## 2019 MEDIA RELEASE AGREEMENT BETWEEN PROJECT STEP AND PARTICIPATING FOCUS STUDENTS AND FAMILIES

Student Name:

### Photographs, recordings, video and film images

• FOCUS student performances and/or classes may be photographed, filmed, videotaped, and/or recorded. Project STEP has the students and families' permission to use all images and sound recordings for publicity and to describe and illustrate the program to the public, print & online media, and funding organizations.

### I understand and agree with the policy outlined on the above paragraph.

Parent/Guardian: _	 _	Date:	

For Project STEP: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please mail this form along with the **\$35 registration fee** (check/money order payable to Project STEP) **before December 10, 2018** to the address below. Acceptance notifications will be emailed by January 16th, 2019. Project STEP Symphony Hall 301 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02115