



KVMR's 2020 Broadcaster Training Class Application for Admission

KVMR's 2020 Broadcaster Training Class will take place in June. It's your chance to learn about community radio and possibly become one of our on-air broadcasters after completing two daylong classes, a studio orientation and training, and a mentoring period with a current KVMR broadcaster.

The cost for the course is \$140 for KVMR members, \$200 for non-members (which includes membership). Preliminary deadline for applications is **Monday, May 4**. Please return completed applications to class@kvmr.org, drop off at our offices or mail to: 120 Bridge St., Nevada City, CA, 95959. Dates for classes (10am-4pm) are Saturday June 6th and Sunday June 7th, 2020. Some of these details are subject to change; up-to-date information is available on our website www.kvmr.org/content/public-information.

Again, for more information, visit KVMR's website, email class@kvmr.org or call the KVMR office 530/265-9073 weekdays between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Please remember not all applicants are accepted into the class because of its limited size; you will be judged on the quality of your application. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Acceptance into the class does NOT guarantee you will be certified as a broadcaster or receive a KVMR show assignment.

Name: _____ **Address:** _____

City: _____ **Zip:** _____

Day Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

How did you hear about the KVMR training?

- Radio kvmr.org Friend
- Other (specify): _____

What types of programming most interest you? Check all that apply.

- News Public Affairs Music (specific genre: _____)

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Other (specify): _____

Please respond thoughtfully to the following questions. Your application is carefully evaluated for both content and presentation. You may also type your responses in a separate Word doc.

1. What is your motivation to take this class now?

2. KVMR strives to provide a wider range of music, spoken word, and public affairs than offered by either commercial or noncommercial stations in our listening area. What specific skills, knowledge, or experience would you bring to KVMR to help fulfill that mission? Please note any previous radio experience.

3. KVMR is one of the few sources for non-corporate news and public affairs information in our listening area. It is important to us to communicate information to our listeners that would not be easily accessible to them otherwise. If your interest is in this area, discuss specifically what skills, experience and perspectives you might contribute to KVMR's news and public affairs programming.

4. KVMR's music programming features a wide array of genres. If you are interested in music programming, please detail your tastes, experience and knowledge and discuss how your contributions might enhance our programming. To illustrate your discussion, include a sample playlist that outlines artist, album, and cut.

5. KVMR is a volunteer-based organization. All certified broadcasters are required to volunteer on a regular basis, and most people passionate about the station choose to volunteer. What are your views on the importance of volunteering and what skills and interests do you have that might compliment this integral facet of KVMR?