



Dear Student:

Tau Tau Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. takes great pride in being a scholarship donor to students who display high academic scholarship and leadership. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., the oldest college-based sorority founded by African American women, has become symbolic of service since its inception in 1908 on the campus of Howard University in Washington, D.C.

In continuing the tradition of service, we are offering scholarships in the amount of up to \$1,000.00. By offering this award we hope to encourage and reward academic achievement by providing financial assistance to students pursuing higher education.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

Eligibility: An applicant must be currently enrolled in high school in Los Angeles County and enrolled at an accredited four-year college or university in the Fall of 2024. Applicant must also have a minimum grade point average of 2.5.

Application: An applicant must submit a **typewritten** application accompanied by **an official transcript as well as an essay**. The essay (two to three, double-spaced, typewritten pages) should state your educational goals, career aspirations, and any information expressing financial need. Briefly discuss the significance and impact of **one** of the following topics: **Global Poverty, Social Justice and Human Rights, Living a Healthy Lifestyle, or the Impact of Epidemics on Communities of Color.**

Photograph: An applicant must submit a photograph of themselves if selected for the scholarship. **Please sign the photograph/video consent form within the application.**

Deadline: Applicant must return all material no later than **June 15, 2024**. Applications submitted electronically after June 15, 2024 will not be considered.

Selection Procedure: The Education/Scholarship Committee will review each application, and a winner will be notified electronically by June 29, 2024.

Awards: Each recipient will be required to submit proof of full-time enrollment for the Fall of 2024 semester/quarter at a four-year institution. Proof of enrollment qualifies as a letter or course print-out from the university's registrar's office. Scholarship checks will not be issued until proof of enrollment is received.

Please complete all sections of the online application. Official transcripts must be emailed directly from your school to aka.tautauomega.scholarships@gmail.com or uploaded to the online application .

For questions, please contact Mrs. Tamara Mason-Wilkerson at (917)495-2455.

Sincerely,

Tamara Mason-Wilkerson
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