



ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INCORPORATED®
ALPHA CHI OMEGA CHAPTER



BIENNIAL SCHOLARSHIP PACKET

The Alpha Chi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®, has awarded more than \$400,000 in college scholarships to over 100 local high school students since the 1960's. Our Biennial Scholarship is designed to acknowledge high school juniors and seniors in our community who plan to attend college. We believe a college education is one of the most important investments a person can make in themselves. Our goal is to recognize and reward students who are active in both their schools and community, giving back to others through their participation, service, and volunteer work. Submission of a recommendation/reference provides testament to the character and abilities of the student. The Alpha Chi Omega Chapter will award three scholarships to local juniors and seniors planning to attend college according to the scholarship agreement.

How to Apply:

1. Read all the instructions in the scholarship packet completely and thoroughly.
2. Follow all instructions in their entirety.
3. Include an official copy of your transcript
 - a. 1st Semester of 2024-2025 school year
 - b. Transcript should include the Registrar's Official Seal or Stamp
 - c. A minimum GPA of 2.50 is required
4. Prepare and submit a Digital Portfolio by June 15, 2025 - **No exceptions**
 - a. Include a video recommendation/reference

When your application is received by the scholarship committee, we will email you a confirmation of receipt within 7 business days.

Award Allocations:

1st Place - \$5,000.00

2nd Place - \$3,000.00

3rd Place - \$2,000.00

Required Components of the Digital Portfolio:

1- Introduction – “All About Me”

a) Photo(s)

b) Honors and Awards

c) Community Service

d) School involvement/Work Experience

Include activity/club/work experience; length of time; role in the activity, club, employment

e) Hobbies

f) Prompt Response (2 Minutes)

g) “Why Me” (2 Minutes)

Sell yourself! Why should you be awarded the scholarship?

Include goals and how the scholarship will benefit you.

h) Reference Video (2 Minutes)

How will the application and digital portfolio be judged:

1. GPA

2. Category Completeness

3. Presentation

4. Creativity

APPLICANT’S STATEMENT:

I hereby certify that this application is complete, and the information is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false information or omission of facts may disqualify me from further consideration. I also understand that all materials submitted in and with the application become the property of and shall remain in the possession of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® Alpha Chi Omega Chapter.

Applicant’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

Federal law requires Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® Alpha Chi Omega Chapter, to obtain written permission from the recipient before releasing scholarship information pertaining to the recipient in media format and/or pictures. By signing below, I agree that relevant information may be released.

Applicant’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

By signing below, I agree that I have read and will comply with the criteria of the scholarship agreement.

1. The scholarship recipient must provide proof of official enrollment within one (1) year of graduating from high school, or the scholarship will be forfeited.
2. The scholarship will be awarded only after proof of official enrollment (*after the college/university drop/add deadline*) is received.
3. Scholarship funds will be disbursed by check made payable to the student or guardian.

Applicant’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

PARENT’S OR GUARDIAN’S INFORMATION:

Parent:

Guardian:

Email Address:

PARENT'S OR GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE: *I have read the application and declare that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.*

Parent's or Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated
Alpha Chi Omega Chapter

2025 BIENNIAL SCHOLARSHIP AGREEMENT

The scholarship recipient must provide proof of official enrollment within one (1) year of graduating from high school. Failure to submit valid proof of enrollment within one (1) year will result in forfeiture of the scholarship.

The scholarship will be awarded only after proof of official enrollment (*after the official university drop/add deadline date*) is received by the scholarship committee at akaacoscholarship@gmail.com.

WE AGREE TO THE ABOVE CONDITIONS
AS STATED IN THIS AGREEMENT:

Scholarship Recipient's Signature

Date

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Date

Chapter President

Date

Committee Chairman

Date