Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® Alpha Gamma Omega Chapter



2024 Scholarship Application

INFORMATION SHEET

2024 Scholarship Application Materials:

Information Sheet, 2024 Scholarship Application, Photo & Publicity Form

OVERVIEW: Alpha Gamma Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated is offering \$500-\$1000 scholarships to qualifying female students who will graduate from High School Spring 2024; **or** will transfer to a four (4) year university/college **or** currently enrolled in a four (4) year university/college Fall 2024. Scholarships will be awarded to students who meet the eligibility criteria and show evidence of full-time enrollment (12 or more units) in a four (4) year university or college in Fall 2024. Scholarships are a one-time award unless otherwise specified.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: An applicant must be a 12th grade graduating student or college transfer student with 30 units (or equivalent); maintains an overall 2.5 grade point average in all academic subjects; shows evidence of good character and promise; is a resident of, or a student attending school in the Los Angeles County and has been involved in the life of the school and the community

<u>SCHOLARSHIPS:</u> Some scholarships focus on a defined area of study with required eligibility criteria. If you qualify in one of the areas listed below, state the qualifying area of study to request a copy of the eligibility criteria a **Sororrachelagoscholarship@gmail.com** Rachel Prentiss, Scholarship Committee Chairman

Defined Area of Study

- Majoring in Law, Senior status or Graduate Law student pursuing a degree in Criminal Justice Law Enforcement
- Majoring in Math, Science, or Education
- Upper level BSW or MSW
- Music or Instrument major
- Studying in one of the areas of **STEM** Science, Technology, Engineering, Math

Note: We will communicate by way of email therefore, it is recommended that you check your email account frequently to receive updates during this process.

٦	DIRECTIONS FOR APPLICANTS: The following are required for each applicant and	
	must be postmarked on or before Tuesday, April 30, 2024.	
		A completed Scholarship Application
		Three (3) letters of recommendations:
		If graduating from high school one must be from the applicant's high school
		teachers and/or administrators
		Currently enrolled in university/college applicant's college or university professors
		and/or administrators
		Other sources may include church, organizations, personal references, and
		community agencies
		An official high school transcript or college transcript with cumulative college
		transferable grade point average calculated. The transcript must be submitted in a
		sealed envelope with the school seal affixed
		500-1,000-word Essay Question (topic included)
		One wallet or passport size photograph

WHERE TO ACCESS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET:

- Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Alpha Gamma Omega website at akaago1927.com
- Request Scholarship Application documents from Rachel Prentiss at Sororrachelagoscholarship@gmail.com

INTERVIEW: After an initial screening of the application materials, finalists will be invited for a mandatory virtual oral interview. Interviews will be scheduled **May 18-23rd 2023**. Please reserve these dates on your calendar. If you are selected as a finalist, you will be notified of the date, time, and format of the interview.

MAILING DIRECTIONS: All required documents are due on or before Tuesday, April 30, 2024. Documents received after the due date will not be accepted. No certified mail or return receipts will be accepted. Upon receipt of Emailed and U.S. Mailed documents an email confirmation will be sent. Alpha Gamma Omega Chapter is NOT responsible for lost or misdirected mail.

U.S. Mail all original documents, inclusive of official sealed transcript to:

Rachel Prentiss, Scholarship Chairman

Alpha Gamma Omega Chapter

3500 West Manchester Blvd. Unit 360, Inglewood, Calif. 90305 **AND**

Email a copy of all documents except the official transcript in a compressed file folder. Name folder with your first and last name. Before sending be sure each file opens. Email documents to Rachel Prentiss, Scholarship Chairman, Sororrachelagoscholarship@gmail.com