

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®
Phi Eta Omega Chapter
PO Box 854
Scotch Plains, NJ 07076



Phi Eta Omega Chapter 2021 Scholarship Application

Application Guidelines:

ALL applicants must:

- Be graduating in June 2021 from a high-school in Union County, New Jersey
- Be an African-American Female Student
- Be a resident of Union County, New Jersey
- Submit an official copy of your high school transcript
- Submit a letter of recommendation from a teacher or high school counselor
- Meet the additional requirements outlined in the table below for the specific award you are applying for
- Demonstrate evidence of leadership in school and/or the community
- Submit a double-spaced, typewritten essay that addresses the following:

Tell us about yourself, and why you have decided to pursue a college education. What were some of the hardest educational issues you experienced so far, and how did you overcome them? What motivates you to succeed during your college journey? Be sure to share as much detail with us as possible to assist us in making a well-informed decision on your application candidacy.

- *Submit a 2-minute video introducing yourself and sharing your educational aspirations

Award Program	Additional Application Requirements
General Scholarship Award	Applicants for this award must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a minimum 3.0 GPA • Have been accepted into a four-year accredited college or university for the Fall 2021 semester
Ogretta Whipper-Hawkins Scholarship Award	Applicants for this award must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a minimum 2.5 GPA • Have been accepted into a two-year accredited college or technical / trade school for the Fall 2021 semester
Jacqueline Arrington Scholarship Award	Applicants for this award must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a minimum 3.0 GPA • Have been accepted into an accredited two- or four-year accredited college or university for the Fall 2021 semester • Submit a letter from his/her Guidance Counselor verifying the student has a documented learning disability
HBCU Award	Applicants for this award must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have a minimum 3.0 GPA • Have been accepted into an accredited two- or four-year accredited Historically Black college or university for the Fall 2021 semester

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Deadline:

The application deadline is **Saturday, March 27, 2021**. The completed application and all items must be scanned and emailed to AKAPEOScholarship@gmail.com. You may address your application to Ms. Melinda Lawson, Scholarship Chairman.

*Video submissions must be submitted electronically with your completed application.

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Please check the box next to the award program you are applying for; only select **one**:

- General Scholarship Award
 Ogretta Whipper Hawkins Scholarship Award
 Jacqueline Arrington Scholarship Award
 HBCU Scholarship Award

Please fill out this form completely (Type or Print)

Personal Data:

Name	
Address (<i>Street Address, City, State, Zip Code</i>)	
Telephone Number	
Date of Birth	
Email address	

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Family Data:

Mother/Guardian: _____ **Occupation:** _____

Father/Guardian: _____ **Occupation:** _____

Number of children in household and their ages: _____

of Financial Dependents (including yourself): _____

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Extracurricular Activities (*indicate if for school and/or community; position held; hobbies, etc.*): _____

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Employment Experience, if applicable *(indicate name of employer, position(s) held; and key responsibilities: _____*

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Intended Major or Course of Study: _____

Intended Career Goal: _____

Please provide information about the schools to which you have applied:

Name of school	Location (city and state)	Have you been accepted?

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Essay:

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I certify that all information on this application is true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____