

## PRINCE HALL SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION, OHIO

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Dear Student:

The Prince Hall Scholarship Foundation is pleased to offer its scholarship program for the **2026 academic year** to selected **Ohio High School Graduates** who have demonstrated the ability to successfully achieve higher education but would benefit from additional financial assistance in order to further their education.

Our Selection Committee will evaluate your application for academic achievement, Financial need, extra-curricular activity, community service, leadership ability, and other pertinent characteristics that we believe would be of help to us in making our selection. Letter(s) of recommendation and evidence of Community Service are strongly encouraged.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Time Application is for graduating High School Seniors. The Continuing Student Application is for students who have previously received a Scholarship Award from the Prince Hall Scholarship Foundation and seek additional financial assistance in their Sophomore year of College and beyond.

***It is very important that the application be completed fully and typewritten! Only typewritten/ word processed applications will be submitted to the selection committee for review and evaluation.*** The application is a fillable form that may be accessed by going to PHAOhio.org and clicking on "more" on the homepage. The application must be signed by you and your parent/guardian. Forward page three (3) to your high school advisor, counselor, or Principal for his/her evaluation and a transcript in sufficient time so that our ***committee may receive the completed forms no later than June 1, 2026. (Pages 1&2 may be sent in advance of the transcript) Please note that failure to include income information will disqualify your application! Applications received after June 1, 2026 will not be accepted!***

Please keep this letter for future reference until the entire process has been completed. A public announcement of award recipients will be available by August 1, 2026. Any questions concerning this process may be addressed to me at the address indicated above. ***Only applicants selected to receive an award will be notified in writing not later than July 15, 2026! Please do not send a photo with this application! Selected applicants will be requested to send photos when notified! No other applicants will be notified.***

Very sincerely yours,

Chester C. Christie

Executive Director

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