



2025-2026 Scholarship Application

Indianapolis Alumnae Panhellenic (IAP), founded in 1914, is an association of post-collegiate women in the greater Indianapolis metropolitan area dedicated to development of character and the opportunity of wide and wise human service through mutual respect.

Application eligibility must meet each of the following requirements:

- Member is in good standing with her National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) fraternity
- Attending a college or university in the state of Indiana
- Member is currently a sophomore, junior, senior, or postgraduate student • 3.0 or higher cumulative GPA
- Permanent home residence is within the greater Indianapolis metropolitan area (Boone, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Marion, Morgan, and Shelby counties)

Completed applications must be received no later than October 24, 2025, by midnight.

All questions and completed packets should be directed to Sally Belknap via email at awardsiap@gmail.com. If a phone call is desired, please request that in an email with a phone number to contact.

Application Checklist | Save the application as follows:

LastName.FirstName.APP.doc (ex. Grainger.Jennifer.APP.doc)

- ✓ Personal Information
- ✓ Academic Information
- ✓ Interest Statement (100 words maximum)
- ✓ Leadership Statement
- ✓ Greek Leadership
- ✓ Campus Involvement & Community Service
- ✓ Personal Statement (500 words maximum)
- ✓ Recognition Permission

Deadline: October 24, 2025 – Midnight



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Personal Information

Full Name:

Greek Affiliation:

Permanent Home Address:

County of Permanent Home Address:

School/Campus Residence Address:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Academic Information

Name of College/University:

City:

Year in school as of Fall 2025: ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior ☐ Postgraduate Degree

Field of Study (Major/Minor):

Current Cumulative GPA:



Interest Statement (100 words maximum)

How will this scholarship empower you to pursue your academic and personal aspirations?
(Please limit your response to 100 words maximum)



Leadership Statement | Greek Leadership

When listing your Greek leadership and service highlights, please use the following paragraph structure:

- Start by naming the specific leadership appointment, service effort, or award
- Briefly summarize your responsibilities and activities in 1-2 sentences
- Note the duration of your involvement, including the year(s) you served and total number of years in the position/effort
- Highlight the scope and impact of your work in 1-2 sentences. This could include lives impacted, skills gained, etc.

Example

Vice President of Community Service for Alpha Sigma Tau

Organized philanthropy events and service partnerships for chapter, expanding annual art therapy event to engage 500 volunteers. I served in this role in 2024 and 2025 (2 years total). Led monthly service trips logging 200+ volunteer hours with local nonprofits; developed strong event planning and team management skills.



Leadership Statement | Campus Involvement & Community Service

When listing your college, university, and community service activities, please use the following paragraph structure:

- Start by naming the specific activity or service effort
- Briefly summarize the activity or your responsibilities in 1-2 sentences
- Note when you were involved and for how long
- Highlight the impact or significance of this activity in 1-2 sentences. This could include lives impacted, skills gained, passions sparked, etc.

Example

Campus Hunger Relief Volunteer

Assisted with meal preparation and food pantry upkeep at campus service center. Volunteered weekly during the 2024-2025 school year. Weekly 3-hour shifts helped provide over 500 meals for food insecure students, teaching me valuable time management skills.



Personal Statement Prompt (500 words maximum)

Please develop a response to one of the following prompts in 500 words or less. Save your single-spaced statement as a separate Word document. Your personal statement should provide insight into what motivates you and your aspirations. Feel free to get creative and think deeply about formative experiences. This is your chance to share your unique story! Please let us know if you have any questions.

File name of document must be: LastName.FirstName.PS.doc (ex. [Grainger.Jennifer.PS.doc](#))

Option 1

As a member of a sorority, how has being part of a women's organization shaped your understanding and commitment to women's empowerment? How has your membership prepared you to advance and uplift women after graduation? What does "women's empowerment" mean to you, and what specific ways will you promote it in your career and community moving forward?

Option 2

Discuss sorority members who have been mentors and role models, demonstrating strong leadership and womanhood. What lessons have they taught you about empowering women that you hope to carry into your career? Beyond your sorority, who are other female role models shaping your understanding of leadership and womanhood? How will you pay it forward as a mentor and role model for younger women?



Recognition Permission

If awarded this scholarship, I grant permission for the Indianapolis Alumnae Panhellenic (IAP) to share my name, university, and sorority affiliation in announcements and on the IAP website for recognition purposes.

Signature of Applicant

Printed Name