

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated
Sigma Epsilon Omega Chapter
Warner Robins, Georgia**



**2026 Academic
Scholarship Program**

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Sigma Epsilon Omega Chapter, will award ten \$1,000.00 scholarships to eligible high school seniors graduating from the Houston County School District. **Five of the ten scholarships are designated for students who will attend a Historically Black College or University (HBCU).** Scholarship applicants **MUST** complete the attached application, submit a letter of recommendation and a certified copy of their transcript, answer a minimum 500-word essay question, provide documentation for community service and extracurricular activities. In order to be eligible for consideration, each applicant must be a **2026** graduating senior who will matriculate at a four-year college or university **Fall Semester 2026**. Official proof of enrollment **from** the college or university you will be attending must be received prior to the disbursement of any funds.

The scholarship application, essay, and documentation can be **mailed to:**

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated
Sigma Epsilon Omega Chapter
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 852
Warner Robins, GA 31099-0852

Or email submissions electronically to seoakascholarship@gmail.com and merge the application and documents into a single PDF file in the order on the checklist.

All documents must be postmarked by April 7, 2026.

For additional information, please contact:
Liz Johnson, Scholarship Committee Co-Chair
(478) 335-7701
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2026 Scholarship Application

I. General Information

Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Address:

Telephone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Name of High School: _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____

Are you applying for the *Historically Black College and University (HBCU)* scholarship?

(Please check yes or no.) _____ **Yes** _____ **No**

Name of College or University you plan to attend:

Anticipated Field of Study:

II. Letter of Recommendation

Submit a letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, administrator, coach, or club sponsor to provide insights about who you are as a student and a person.

III. Community Service

- A. Please list any community service organizations (school, church, or community-related), in which you currently volunteer or have volunteered with since high school.
(Examples, but not limited to: *Habitat for Humanity*, *Humane Society of Houston County*, *American Red Cross*, etc...)

ORGANIZATION	ACTIVITY

- B. Please attach a letter(s), (on organizational letterhead), verifying your community service. The letter(s) should include a brief description of the organization and your duties as a volunteer.

IV. Extracurricular Activities

- A. List any extracurricular activities that you are or have been involved with since entering high school. (*Examples, but not limited to: Student Government, sports activities, student activity clubs, etc.*)

CLUB/ACTIVITY

- B. Please attach a letter(s) (on school letterhead), signed by the School Counselor, faculty advisor, or director of your extracurricular activity, verifying your involvement in the activity. The letter should include a brief description of the club or organization and what you do or did as a member.

V. Awards and Recognition

- A. List any awards and recognitions that you have received since entering high school. (Examples, but not limited to: Most Valuable Player, academic awards, honor roll recognition, etc.)

- B. **Attach copies of the awards, certificates or letter(s) from the organization that presented the award. You may also submit picture of awards received (Ex. Trophies, lapel pins, letterman jackets, etc.).**

VI. Essay

Ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, rise, reach, and repeat. The lessons taken from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to future successes. We would like to hear your story.

Please attach a typed, double-spaced, minimum 500-word essay answering the following question:

Recount a time when you faced a challenge, set-back, or failure. How did this affect you, and what did you learn from the experience(s)?

What are the steps that you have taken to overcome this challenge?

Signature

Date

CHECKLIST of REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- ☐ Certified copy of your transcript.
- ☐ Letter of recommendation.
- ☐ Letters on letterhead from your volunteer organizations or extracurricular activities, signed by a School Counselor, faculty advisor, activity director or organizational leader.
- ☐ Copies of awards or letters verifying the awards that you have received. Pictures of awards received may be accepted as well. (Ex. Pictures of Letterman jackets, certificates, trophies, medals, etc.)
- ☐ Typed essay (the essay topic is provided), minimum 500 words.

You may also download this application at

www.akasigmaepsilonomega.org