



ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA

Rho Nu Omega Chapter

SORORITY, INC.

February 25, 2019

To Counselors, Parents, and Prospective Scholarship Applicants:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, is the United States of America's oldest African-American sorority. It was founded in 1908 on the campus of Howard University in Washington, D.C., by and for college educated women. The Sorority currently has more than 283,000 college-educated members throughout the United States, Africa, Asia, Europe, the Caribbean and the Middle East.

Since November 1988, Rho Nu Omega Chapter has proudly served the Korean peninsula and provided over \$100,000 in scholarships to deserving graduating seniors. Rho Nu Omega Chapter's scholarships are awarded to students who have been active leaders within their respective communities in the areas of academic achievement, community service, extracurricular activities, and global citizenship.

**The following items must be received by midnight, Monday, April 15, 2019.
Scholarship winners will be notified and announced on Tuesday, April 30, 2019.**

1. Completed Application Form
2. Recent Photo
(photo will be used for press release)
3. A Personal Essay (criteria attached)
4. Two (2) Recommendation Forms
(School and a Community member/non-relative)
5. College Acceptance Letter(s)
(must be received before awarding a scholarship)
6. Academic Verification Form

All information listed above must be submitted as one complete package. Incomplete applications and packages will not be considered. **Please send completed package to:**

scholarships@rhonuomega.org

If you have any questions, please contact the Scholarship Committee Chair at the following email address: pinkngreenqueen@hotmail.com

Sincerely,

Domenique Marie Roberts
President
Rho Nu Omega Chapter

Melody Hill
Scholarship Committee Chair
Rho Nu Omega Chapter



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Eligibility

To be eligible for a scholarship, an applicant must:

- (1) be the dependent of a US Armed Forces member, DoD Civilian, or DoD Contractor.
- (2) be graduating from a Department of Defense School in South Korea and enrolling in a four-year accredited college or university during the 2019-2020 school year.
- (3) provide letter of **college acceptance**

Scholarships Types: (Please indicate which you are eligible for with a check mark.)

- Think HBCU Scholarship: Recipient must meet eligibility items listed above and be enrolling in an accredited and nationally recognized Historically Black College or University (HBCU).
- Through the Years Scholarship: Recipient must meet eligibility items listed above and have participated in one of our signature programs, such as: CAP, ASCEND, and EYL.
- The Arts! Scholarship: Recipient must meet eligibility items listed above and majoring in the fine arts.
- General Scholarship: Recipient must meet eligibility items listed above.

*****Note – if there are no eligible recipients for the Think HBCU, Through the Years, and/or The Arts! Scholarship, additional General Scholarships will be awarded respectively.***

Submission of Application (check list)

- Completed application form**
- Recent Photo**
(photo will be used for press release)
- A personal **Essay** (criteria attached)
- Two (2) Recommendation Forms**
(School and a Community member/non-relative)
- College acceptance letter(s)**
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Application must be emailed no later than midnight, April 15, 2019. Applications that are incomplete or sent after this day will not be evaluated.



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2019 Scholarship Application

Student Information

Full Name: _____ Age: _____

Last *First* *M.I.*

Address: _____
Street Address *Apartment/Unit #*

_____ *City* _____ *State* _____ *Zip Code*

Home Phone: () _____ Alternate or Cell Phone: () _____

E-mail Address: _____

High School: _____ GPA: _____ (unweighted)

Test Score: **Total SAT:** _____ **Total ACT:** _____

Your Guidance Counselor: _____ Telephone: _____

Please state the name of the Institution you plan to attend:

College (Field of Study): _____

Family Information

Name of Father/Guardian: _____

Position: (Check One) Active Duty or Retired (Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine) Rank: _____
 Department of Defense Civillan/Contractor

Email Address: _____

Work/Cell Phone Number: _____

Name of Mother/Guardian: _____

Position: (Check One) Active Duty or Retired (Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine) Rank: _____
 Department of Defense Civillan/Contractor

Email Address: _____

Work/Cell Phone Number: _____

Dependents living at home: (Siblings /Children/Others) _____ Ages: _____

Number of Siblings Currently Attending College: _____



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ESSAY

This section of the application gives you the opportunity to present yourself in a way that grades and test scores cannot. The Scholarship Committee will evaluate the content of your essay and your ability to organize your thoughts and express yourself clearly.

Essay:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, was founded in 1908 by a group of ambitious women with the tenacity to dream. Today, Alpha Kappa Alpha members are innovative, global citizens who are front leaders in change and advocating for those who may not be able to.

Answer one of the following essay prompts below:

- (1) If you could start your own charity, what would your mission be? Who would you serve? What kinds of acts of service would volunteers perform?
- (2) Is it important for you to be able to witness how your service or donation impacts someone—or are you comfortable helping people from afar and never seeing the results of your work directly? Why?

Your essay should adhere to the following format:

- Type-written
- 12 point Times New Roman font
- Double-spaced
- 1 inch margins
- No more than two (2) pages
- Header with your name on each page

ACTIVITIES, LEADERSHIP, AND HONORS

Please utilize the attached forms to list all extracurricular activities, volunteerism, leadership roles, and academic honors you have received while in grades 9-12.

ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP FORM

Completion of this form is required
 (A resume is not a substitute for completing this form)

(Please print or type)

Activities (Extracurricular activities & volunteering *)	# of Years of Active Participation	Office(s) Held Year(s) office held
<i>EXAMPLE:</i> <i>STUDENT GOVERNMENT</i>	4 YEARS	<i>2013 - 2014 President</i>
		<i>2012 - 2013 Vice President</i>
		<i>2011 – 2012 Treasurer</i>
		<i>2010- 2011 Secretary</i>

Applicant’s signature _____

By signing above, I certify that the information listed is true and correct.

*Extracurricular activities and community volunteering — This category includes extracurricular activities and community service projects participated in during grades 9 – 12 (i.e., clubs, sports activities, community service projects/volunteer work, church activities, etc.)

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AWARDS & HONORS FORM

Completion of this form is required
(A resume is not a substitute for completing this form)
(Please print or type)

Awards & Honors **	Year(s) Received
<i>EXAMPLE: HONOR STUDENT</i>	<i>2014</i>

Applicant's signature _____
By signing above, I certify that the information listed is true and correct.

**Awards and Honors—This category includes awards and honors received during grades 9 – 12

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I certify that the information I have provided on this application is accurate to the best of my knowledge, and that the essay submitted is the original work of this applicant.

Applicant
Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian
Signature _____ Date _____

I _____ agree that Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Rho Nu Omega Chapter, may use my photograph and name for any lawful purpose, including for such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and Web content.

I have read and understand the above:

Applicant
Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian
Signature _____ Date _____



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ACADEMIC VERIFICATION FORM

***** THIS FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED AND EMAILED BY THE SCHOOL COUNSELOR TO SCHOLARSHIPS@RHONUOMEGA.ORG NO LATER THAN APRIL 15, 2019.*****

Please complete the information below, seal the completed form in an envelope. Sign your signature along the seal, and give to the student.

Name of Student _____

Cumulative GPA: _____
(unweighted)

SAT Score: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____
(weighted)

ACT Score: _____

Is this student the dependent of a US Armed Forces member, DoD Civilian/Contractor?

Yes ___ No ___

I certify the above information is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Counselor's Name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Email Address _____ Phone Number _____



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Name of Applicant _____

SCHOOL RECOMMENDATION FORM

The student whose name appears above is applying for a scholarship to be awarded by Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Rho Nu Omega Chapter. Please give us your candid opinion of this applicant on this form, or you may attach a recommendation written on behalf of this candidate to this form. *Please complete the information below and email it to scholarships@rhonuomega.org no later than April 15, 2019.*

1. How long have you known the applicant and in what context?

2. What can you tell us about the applicant's character (values, behavior, and/or integrity)? We would appreciate any observations you may have about the applicant's commitment to service and leadership capacity.

Required Information:

Signature _____ Date _____
Please print name _____
Position/Title _____
Phone Number _____
Email Address _____



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COMMUNITY RECOMMENDATION FORM

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Signature _____ Date _____

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