



# *Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®*

## Lambda Phi Omega Chapter

### Cleveland, Ohio

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January 1, 2024

Greetings:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® is a private, international organization with over 355,000 members worldwide. Lambda Phi Omega Chapter is one of the sorority's 1,064 chapters. Our mission is to cultivate and encourage high scholastic and ethical standards, to promote unity and friendship among college women, to study and help alleviate problems concerning girls and women in order to improve their social stature, to maintain a progressive interest in college life, and to be of "Service to All Mankind."

As part of our commitment to higher education, Lambda Phi Omega Chapter annually awards scholarships to deserving Cuyahoga County seniors. We are now accepting applications for our 2024 scholarships. To qualify for a scholarship, the student must meet the following criteria:

1. Reside in and attend a high school located in Cuyahoga County;
2. Be a high school senior who will graduate by August 15, 2024;
3. Have a minimum 2.5 Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA); and,
4. Enrolled in a College, University, or Post-Secondary Institution by August 31, 2024.

The application can be accessed with the following link:

<https://bit.ly/akalpo2024>

The application package consists of a Scholarship Application Checklist and a two-page Scholarship Application. Applicants also must write an essay which includes a personal profile and discussion about **one** of the following topics:

**Describe how you will use your educational experience to impact your community.**

**OR**

**Describe your most meaningful achievements and how they relate to your field of study or goals.**

We request your assistance in identifying students who meet the above criteria and need financial assistance to achieve their goal of higher education. We hope you will encourage and assist them in applying for our scholarship. Please make sure students thoroughly read and understand the requirements. Feel free to make additional copies as needed for distribution.

Applications must be submitted by 5:00 pm EST on February 28, 2024. Select students will be invited for an interview in April. Selected recipients will be asked to attend a Scholarship Reception in June.

Please feel free to contact Andrea Parks at (216) 849-4411 or via email at [lposcholarship@gmail.com](mailto:lposcholarship@gmail.com) should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

*Heather Beasley*

Heather Beasley, President

*Andrea Parks*

Andrea Parks, Scholarship Committee Chairman  
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**2024 Scholarship Criteria**

1. Applicant must be a High School Senior who resides in and attends a Cuyahoga County High School.
2. Applicant must graduate by August 15, 2024.
3. Application must be completed by 5:00 pm on February 28, 2024. The link for the application is as follows:  
<https://bit.ly/akalpo2024>
4. **Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered. NO EXCEPTIONS.**
5. Select applicants will be invited to participate in an interview in April.
6. Applicant must provide proof of enrollment at a specific College, University or Post-Secondary Institution at the time the award is made as verified by:
  - \* Letter of acceptance
  - \* Class schedule (needed at the time the scholarship award is issued)
7. Pending scholarship awards will be forfeited if all requirements are not met and documentation received by **August 31, 2024.**

Andrea Parks, Scholarship Committee Chairman  
Lambda Phi Omega Chapter  
**lposcholarship@gmail.com**

**\*We highly recommend that applicants visit our chapter website  
to learn more about us prior to their interview.  
<http://www.akalambdaphiomega.org>**

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### Scholarship Application Packet Checklist

Be sure to include:

- ☐ Completed two-page application form.

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- ☐ Official Transcripts [2.5 cumulative grade point average (GPA) or better] emailed directly from a school principal or counselor to Andrea Parks, [lposcholarship@gmail.com](mailto:lposcholarship@gmail.com)

- ☐ Two (2) letters of recommendation emailed directly to Andrea Parks, [lposcholarship@gmail.com](mailto:lposcholarship@gmail.com) from school official and community member.

- One from your Teacher, Guidance Counselor, Principal, or Assistant Principal

**AND**

- One from a person in the community who is not affiliated with your school and who is not a relative (i.e., can be your employer, someone you know from church, community service, neighbor, etc.)

- ☐ **Essay- Must be typewritten, Arial, double spaced, 12-point font. Maximum 500 words and should include:**

First paragraph(s) should be a brief 150-250 words personal profile paragraph on yourself, including personal information, school activities, community and volunteer services, career choice and paid work experience.

The second paragraph(s) should be on **one** of the following topics:

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**SUBMIT APPLICATION VIA THE FOLLOWING LINK BY February 28, 2024:**

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