



2026 Scholarship Application

1. **Type** all information
2. Affix **signature** and **date** in applicable spaces
3. Two (2) letters of recommendation on **official letterhead** one (1) must be from a school faculty member.
4. Attach a recent **photograph** that fits in the space provided.
5. **Sealed** Official Transcript
6. Community service project(s) with written description **and** signature of authorized supervising agent.

Picture

NAME AND PERMANENT ADDRESS

_____	_____	_____	_____
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Email Address #
_____			_____
Street Address			Telephone #
_____		_____	_____
City		State	Zip Code

RESIDENCY

How long have you lived in Broward County? _____

Mother's Name: _____ Father's Name: _____

Parental Information (Please check all that apply):

<input type="checkbox"/> Mother	Living in home	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Occupation: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Father	Living in home	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Occupation: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Guardian	Living in home	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Occupation: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other/Specify	Living in home	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Occupation: _____

Number of siblings: _____ Annual Estimated Family Income: _____

Are your parents/guardians able to contribute to your college education? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, indicate percent. _____% . What is your anticipated college tuition? \$ _____

HIGH SCHOOL DATA

_____	_____	_____
High School Name	Graduation Date	Cumulative GPA
_____		_____
Street Address		Telephone
_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code
Graduation Date (mm/yyyy) _____		

HIGH SCHOOL & VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

Please record **all** information below that has occurred within the last four (4) years.
Supporting documentation may be attached. NO ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS)

Club/Activity	Position	Year(s)	Awards

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community service project description with signed verification

Please write a description of the community service rendered. Include full address, nature of the service, and number of hours. Signature from supervisor required.



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COLLEGE DATA

Please list all schools that you have applied to and/or been accepted to. Include all copies of college acceptance letters received.

School(s) Name Applied	City	State	Letter of Acceptance					
			YES			NO		

Anticipated Major: _____ Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

ACADEMIC REFERENCE

This applicant's achievement reflects his/her abilities.		EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR			
This applicant sets realistic and attainable goals.		_____	_____	_____			
This applicant demonstrates quality commitment to school and community.		_____	_____	_____			
Faculty Position	Print Name/ Signature	Comments:					
_____	_____						
_____	_____	_____			_____		

WORK EXPERIENCE

Please record information below that has occurred within the last four (4) years. Supporting documentation may be attached. NO ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS

Employer	Position	From (Month/Year)	To (Month/Year)	Hours (Per Week)

EDUCATIONAL PLANS AND CAREER GOALS

Please type a 500 – 1000 word essay detailing your goals and how this scholarship will benefit your efforts.

CERTIFICATION

By signing this form, I verify that all of the information I have provided is true and correct. I understand that at any time, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Upsilon Xi Omega Chapter can rescind any rights or privileges to an applicant based on the submission of false information or documents.

Applicant's Signature

Date

DEADLINE: Application must be postmarked by **February 25, 2026**. Your scholarship application becomes valid upon receipt of all required documentation.

Please submit all documents to: PEARLS Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Box 17531 • Plantation, Florida 33318

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