



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®

Alpha Alpha Omega Chapter

April 14, 2024

Dear Senior Counselor/ Social Worker/ Interested Applicant:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®, the first Black Sorority of college educated women in the world, is pleased to offer the **Toni S. Kendrick Achievement Award in the amount of \$1,500.00** to (3) graduating high school seniors in Allegheny County who plan to attend a 2, 4-year college/university or technical school in Western PA. Our organization will indeed share your pride if a student from your school is chosen as the recipient of this prestigious award.

We ask your assistance in making the students aware of this scholarship opportunity by duplicating and distributing copies of this letter with the enclosed application form.

Eligibility requirements:

- *Be a graduating senior from a public, charter, private or parochial high school within Allegheny County*
- *Have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale*
- *Plan to attend a, 2, 4-year college/university or technical school in Western PA verified by a letter of acceptance from the respective college/university or technical school of intended enrollment*
- *Be able to accept your award at the Sorority Meeting on Saturday, June 1, 2024.*

The following documents must be electronically submitted together by Wednesday, May 22, 2024

Completed application form, submitted with the following four (4) documents:

1. *Letter of recommendation from a counselor, teacher or administrator*
2. *Official transcript of grades through first semester of the senior year*
3. *250-word essay (include word count), typewritten and double-spaced:
“Describe how your academic studies will influence your goals and opportunities for you in the future”.*
4. *Copy of respective 2, 4-year college/university or technical school in Western PA acceptance letter*

Electronically submit all documents and direct questions to:

Dr. Lillian D. Wright, wrightlillian14@gmail.com

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Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely Yours,

Dr. Lillian D. Wright

Achievement Awards Chairman