



**CHI NU OMEGA CHAPTER
ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC.
Frances D. Eason-Nelson Memorial Scholarship**

February 17, 2026

Dear Applicant:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority was founded in 1908, at Howard University in Washington D.C. It was the first Greek-Letter Organization established for African- American College women. It is a non- profit organization dedicated to community service.

The Chi Nu Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. assists young African-American female high school seniors in their pursuit of a college education. Our sorority is providing scholarships based on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, and community service. Our scholarship will be awarded to students from the Clark, Hot Spring, and Garland County areas.

Frances D. Eason-Nelson was a charter member of Chi Nu Omega Graduate Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. She was a Silver Star and Life Member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. She served as the scholarship chairperson, debutante/fundraiser chair and various other roles with the Chi Nu Omega Chapter.

Please complete the attached application and return it along with a transcript, two letters of recommendation, and essay to:

Chi Nu Omega Frances D. Eason-Nelson Memorial Scholarship Committee
Chi Nu Omega Chapter
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
P.O. Box 623
Arkadelphia, AR 71923

Applications **must be postmarked no later than Monday, April 6, 2026.** All applications must **be MAILED.**

If you have any questions or need any further information, please call Jennifer Washington-Morris at 870-403-2716, Wilma Gulley at 870-403-7688, or Mary Bell at 870-403-6776

Sincerely,

Jennifer Washington-Morris

Scholarship Committee Chair

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Eligibility Requirement

- Graduating African American female senior enrolled in a high school located in Clark, Hot Spring, or Garland County.
- Applicant must have a permanent home address located in Clark, Hot Spring, or Garland County.
- Acceptance to a College/University that you will attend.
- **Typed** 250 word essay stating how this scholarship will benefit you with your future endeavors.

Application Instructions

1. Please read instructions carefully.
Incomplete applications will be disqualified.
2. **Application must be typed.**
3. Application must be postmarked by **Monday, April 6, 2026.**
Late Entries and Non-Mailed applications will not be accepted
4. The following five (5) items must be included in you scholarship packet.
 - Completed application form
 - A copy of your high school transcript with an official seal
 - Two recent letters of recommendation (teacher, counselor, principal, church or community leader)
 - Copy of acceptance letter from the College/University you plan to attend
 - 250 Word **typed** essay stating how this scholarship will benefit you with your future endeavors.

Completed application should be mailed:

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Application**

Name _____ Email Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Phone Number () _____

Permanent Residence _____

Street

City

Zip

Name(s) of Parent(s) or Guardian _____

Number of Siblings Who Reside in the Household Brother(s) _____ Sister(s) _____

School Presently Attending _____ Cumulative G.P.A.: _____

Activities and Awards

Organizations/Extracurricular Activities

Honors/Awards

Community Service

College Information

Colleges/Universities Applied to: _____

College Major: _____

Signature of Applicant _____