



**ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY INC.,
ALPHA PHI LAMBDA CHAPTER
G.W.C. BROWN LEGACY EDUCATION
FUND
2022-2023 SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA**



The G.W.C. Brown Legacy Education Fund in conjunction with the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Incorporated, Alpha Phi Lambda (APL) Chapter will award a \$20,000.00 scholarship to an **African-American male** high school senior attending high school in Chesapeake, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk or Virginia Beach or an active member of APL's Alpha Scholars Program. The scholarship award is based on the individual who displays achievement in academics, school, religious, community activities and a demonstrated ability toward leadership and achievement.

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity is the oldest Greek letter fraternity founded by African American men at Cornell University in Ithaca, New York in 1906. The aims of the fraternity are **MANLY DEEDS, SCHOLARSHIP AND LOVE FOR ALL MANKIND.**

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY

- **Four Year Accredited College/University** bound high school seniors may apply.
- Students must be **enrolled in college by Fall 2022** to receive the scholarship.
- A minimum grade point average of **2.5 (C+)** is required.
- The student's high school transcript and essay **must accompany the application.**
- Proof of **Voter Registration** based on eligibility to vote in November 2022.
- Children/dependents of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity members **are not** eligible for this scholarship.

This scholarship pays \$5,000.00 per year for up to four years based upon the following criteria:

- 1) Maintenance of a 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
- 2) Approval of the scholarship committee.

DEADLINE AND SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Applications must be **received via email** by Monday, April 11, 2022. Submit the application and all other material required to:

guseady@mac.com In addition, send a text to **757-513-2434** acknowledging your scholarship package submission.

NOTIFICATION AND PAYMENT

Finalists for the scholarship will be asked to interview before the Scholarship Committee to determine the award recipient. Scholarship winners will be announced in **April 2022**. Payments will be made over two semesters and **will be mailed directly to the college/university** upon verification of enrollment.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Contact - Mr. Gus Eady, Chairman, Scholarship Committee/ Phone: (757) 513-2434



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Name of Applicant: _____
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)

Address: _____
(Street Name & #) (CITY) (STATE) (ZIP CODE)

Phone: _____ Email: _____

School Activities: _____

Religious Activities: _____

Community Activities: _____

High School: _____ Cumulative GPA _____
(Includes Fall 2021)

College or
University selected: _____

Anticipated Major: _____

Printed Name of Parent or Guardian _____

Family Income Entered on **FAFSA** Application: \$ _____

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ESSAY TOPIC

Please write an essay on:

“What are some specific tasks community leaders can implement to stimulate, develop, and promote leadership in the pursuit of freedom and equality?”

- The essay should be **between 250-300 words, double-spaced typed.**
- **Please ensure that your name is on the essay including the date it was typed.**
- **An official Fall 2021 semester transcript must accompany the essay.**
- **Two letters of recommendation (non-family member) are also required.**

VERIFICATION OF APPLICATION

The information provided above and the authenticity of the essay are sworn to by the student applicant and **certified by the following school official.** Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc., Alpha Phi Lambda Chapter reserves the right to make inquiries to the student's high school and university records.

Student's Name: _____

Student's Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____

High School Attending: _____

School Official's Name: _____
(Please Print)

School Official's Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Title: _____ Phone: _____

Email _____

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated, has been involved with Voting Rights since its early days when the fraternity instituted its National Program - "A Voteless People is a Hopeless People". We require all scholarship applicants to be registered to vote to exercise that right that so many African-Americans gave their lives to ensure that we could vote freely and without fear.