



THE PEARL & IVY COMMUNITY CORPORATION +  
ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC. | ALPHA NU OMEGA CHAPTER

# 2020 SCHOLARSHIPS

for African American High School & College Students in  
Alameda & Contra Costa Counties!

FEBRUARY 2020

***To Whom It May Concern:***

Alpha Nu Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated was chartered in 1929. It was the first graduate chapter in Northern California and the second graduate chapter chartered in the Far Western Region. Our sorority's eighth International President Ida L. Jackson was a charter member of Alpha Nu Omega Chapter. We are an active chapter of over 100 members working together to serve the Oakland Bay Area community.

Each year, Alpha Nu Omega Chapter awards scholarships to high school and college students for the upcoming academic year. Each scholarship description provides specific information regarding the donor, the amount of the scholarship, and specific criteria for eligibility. You may apply to multiple scholarships from Alpha Nu Omega, however, eligible students will only be awarded one scholarship.

**Those students selected as scholarship awardees will be notified in May 2020. The award ceremony to celebrate the awardees will take place on June 13th. Attendance is mandatory – please plan to attend.**

Please disseminate this information to eligible students and share this information with colleagues.

Sincerely,

**Johari Halima Leaks, President**

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. | Alpha Nu Omega Chapter

**Cecilia A. Green & Melissa Burroughs Peña**

Scholarship Committee Co-Chairs

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Alpha Nu Omega Chapter  
Oakland-Berkeley, California

**IDA LOUISE JACKSON SCHOLARSHIP**

*\$1000 Scholarship Application*

Ida Louise Jackson, a graduate of the University of California, Berkeley, became Oakland's first African American school teacher in 1923. She was a charter member and the first President of the Rho Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha, Incorporated, on the Berkeley campus in 1921. After graduating from UC Berkeley, Ida Louise Jackson was the moving spirit in the establishment of the Alpha Nu Omega Graduate Chapter of AKA and became its first president. In 1982, to honor the service of Ida Louise Jackson as Far Western Regional Director and as National President, the chapter voted unanimously to rename the annual Chapter scholarship in her name.

**ELIGIBILITY**

The applicant must:

- **Be an African American female high school senior**
- **Attend high school in Alameda or Contra Costa County**
- **Have a grade point average of 3.00 or above, on a 4.00 scale**
- **Planning to attend UC Berkeley or an Historically Black College or University**
- **Be a citizen of the United States**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

Submit a complete application along with the following documents:

- Personal statement: Please describe what you envision for your career 10 years from now, what you have done to move you in that direction and what you plan to do to carry you forward (max. length: 2 pages typed, double spaced, font size 12)
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## ALPHA NU OMEGA SCHOLARSHIP

### *\$1000 Scholarship Application*

Alpha Nu Omega Chapter was chartered in 1929, the first Graduate chapter in Northern California and the second graduate chapter chartered in the Far Western Region. Our sorority's eighth International President Ida L. Jackson was a member of Alpha Nu Omega Chapter. Alpha Nu Omega is also the home chapter of our 16th Far Western and 6th International Regional Director, Norma J. Tucker. Alpha Nu Omega is located in Northern California in the Bay Area. We are an active chapter working together to serve the Berkeley – Oakland Bay Area community.

### ELIGIBILITY

The applicant must:

- Be an African American female or male high school senior in Alameda or Contra Costa County, or
- an Alameda or Contra Costa County high school graduate currently in her/his freshman or sophomore year of college
- Have a grade point average of 2.80 or above, on a 4.00 scale
- Plan to or currently attends a California Four-year College/University or an Historically Black College/University
- Be a citizen of the United States

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## OLGA JANE/DAISY ROSS SCHOLARSHIP

### *\$2000 Scholarship Application*

Olga Jane Lewis was a graduate of the University of California, Berkeley where she was initiated into the Rho Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. After completing her undergraduate work, Olga Jane Lewis taught at John F. Kennedy High School in the West Contra Costa Unified School District. She was an active member of Alpha Nu Omega Chapter since 1943. She made many contributions to the Berkeley YMCA and collected donations/funds for the American Red Cross. Olga Jane Lewis also found time to gather magazines to be distributed to patients at Herrick Hospital (now called Alta Bates Hospital). She was an avid reader with very eloquent speech. Olga Jane and Daisy Ross were best friends and shared many common interests. They were also both long time educators in the Bay Area. Daisy Ross, until her retirement, was very involved in community affairs. She remains a very supportive member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., Alpha Nu Omega Chapter. In honor of the memory of her friend, Olga Jane Lewis, and the living legacy of Daisy Ross, a scholarship of \$2000 will awarded annually to a qualified high school senior.

### ELIGIBILITY

The applicant must:

- **Be an African American female high school senior attending high school in Alameda or Contra Costa County**
- **Have a grade point average of 3.50 or above, on a 4.00 scale**
- **Plan to attend a four year college or university**
- **Be a citizen of the United States**

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**ALVIE CAMPBELL BIBLE SCHOLARSHIP**

*\$1000 Scholarship Application*

Alvie Campbell Bible was an educator in the Oakland Public Schools for 29 years where she served as a teacher, counselor, project director, and principal. She was dedicated to helping students attain a high level of academic achievement. In addition to working in the school district, she constantly worked with students through her church and numerous community organizations. Alvie Campbell Bible was a devoted member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated and it was her desire to establish a scholarship that would aid students pursuing careers as educators.

**ELIGIBILITY**

The applicant must:

- **Be an African American female student, attending a Bay Area Junior College or Four year College/University**
- **Have a grade point average of 3.00 or above, on a 4.00 scale**
- **Aspire to become an educator (teacher, counselor, or administrator)**
- **Be a citizen of the United States**

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**RUTH LOVE SCHOLARSHIP**

*\$500 Scholarship Application*

Ruth Love, former superintendent of the Oakland Unified School District, was an active member of Alpha Nu Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. After a successful bid for superintendent in the city of Chicago, farewell donations were received from friends and colleagues in the Bay Area for a testimonial dinner in her honor. At Dr. Love's request, remaining funds from the dinner were designated for a scholarship to be given to graduate of an Oakland Public School.

**ELIGIBILITY**

The applicant must:

- **Be an African American female or male high school senior**
- **Attending an Oakland high school**
- **Have a grade point average of 2.50 or above, on a 4.00 scale**
- **Plan to attend a Community college, Vocational school, or a Four year college or university**
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## 2020 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Please list the scholarships you want to be considered for)*

### YOUR INFORMATION

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

NAME(S): \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

### YOUR ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Are you a current High School Senior? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_ Are you a college student? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

Current High School/College Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date (MM/DD): \_\_\_\_\_

Please list all schools that you have applied to:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Which school/college is your 1<sup>st</sup> choice for admission? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied for or received any financial assistance for the coming year: Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, please list the provider and the amount:

Where did you hear about this scholarship? Pls. circle:

**SCHOOL**      **ONLINE**      **BLACK COLLEGE EXPO**      **OTHER:** \_\_\_\_\_

*All documents must be submitted to be considered for a scholarship.*