



The Pearls of the Capital Region Foundation, Inc.
in conjunction with
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®
Delta Mu Omega Chapter

2026 Scholarship Opportunities



The Pearls of the Capital Region Foundation, Inc. in conjunction with Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®, Delta Mu Omega Chapter announces the 2026 Scholarship Awards.

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® (AKA), an international service organization, was founded on the campus of Howard University in Washington, D.C. in 1908. It is the oldest Greek-letter organization established by African American college-educated women. The Pearls of the Capital Region Foundation, Inc. (PCRF) was founded in 2018 to provide scholarships to college-bound women in the Capital Region as well as bring substantive programs to the Capital Region community.

The Foundation has provided scholarships and book awards to college-bound women who demonstrate academic achievement, community leadership and express financial need. Scholarships will be awarded to young woman who are graduating seniors and are planning to attend an accredited four year college or university in the Fall 2026.

Eligibility Requirement - The applicant must meet the following to apply for this scholarship:

1. Applicant must be a graduating female high school senior attending a school in the Capital Region.
2. Applicant must be accepted to an accredited 4-year college or university in the Fall 2026

Letters of Recommendation (must submit two (2) recommendation letters):

One must be academic - Teacher or School Counselor, who can speak to your work inside the classroom. The second must be a Coach, Employer or Mentor, who can speak to your character and service outside of the classroom.

Email all letters to: scholarship@pearlsofthecapitalregion.org. **Letters must come directly from the recommender.**

Online Application and all required documentation must be received by:

APRIL 3, 2026 (11:59 PM EST)

Please note that incomplete and/or late applications will not be considered. No exceptions will be made.

Scholarship Interview Process:

Once applications have been reviewed, top applicants will receive an email letter notifying them of the date and time of their **mandatory** virtual interview with the PCRF Scholarship committee. All applicants will be notified via email of the results of their application in May 2026. Scholarship award reception to be held in June 2026.



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