

## Dear Student:

The Twenty Pearls Heritage Foundation is dedicated to the cultivation of academic excellence and the understanding and respect of all people through education and health. Our mission is to make a positive impact on the community at large by helping individuals, families and organizations to achieve their highest potential by promoting policies and programs that provide options for advanced education, entrepreneurship and a framework for self-sufficiency.

The Twenty Pearls Heritage Foundation is dedicated to increasing awareness of the extraordinary impact of Historically Black Colleges and Universities, which directly impact and provide service to the community. In continuing this tradition of service, we are offering scholarships in the amount of up to \$1,500.00. By offering this award we hope to encourage and reward academic achievement by providing financial assistance to students pursuing higher education at a Historically Black College or University.

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

**Eligibility:** An applicant must be 1.) currently enrolled at an accredited Historically Black College or University (HBCU) in the fall of 2019, 2.) be from Southern California, and 3.) have a minimum grade point average of 2.5.

**Application:** An applicant must submit a **typewritten** application accompanied by **an official transcript as well as an essay**. Your essay must be a maximum of three (3) double-spaced, typewritten pages stating educational goals, career aspirations and any information expressing financial need. Additionally 1-2 letters of recommendation is recommended but not required.

**Deadline:** Applicant must return all material no later than **June 14, 2019**. Applications postmarked after June 14, 2019 will not be considered.

**Selection Procedure:** The Education/Scholarship Committee will review each application and a winner will be notified by the July 21, 2019.

Awards: Each recipient will be required to submit proof of full time enrollment for the fall of 2019 semester/quarter at the Historically Black College or University. Proof of enrollment qualifies as a letter or course print-out from the university's registrar office. Scholarship checks will not be issued until proof of enrollment is received.

Please complete all materials and submit them to:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

Tau Tau Omega Chapter Ms. Breea Charles 3705 South Van Ness Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90018

For questions please contact, Ms. Breea Charles at sororbreea1908@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Breea Y. Charles Alpha Kappa Sorority, Incorporated Tau Tau Omega Chapter Education and Scholarship Chairman