



KAPPA ALPHA PSI

ALEXANDRIA- FAIRFAX (VA) ALUMNI CHAPTER
KAPPA SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND, INCORPORATED

College Scholarships

Each year, the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Alexandria-Fairfax (VA) Alumni Chapter through its non-profit Kappa Scholarships Endowment Fund, Inc. (KSEF), awards scholarships to encourage and motivate young African American men to continue their education and achieve academic success at institutions of higher learning.

The KSEF awards multiple four-year scholarships in the amount of \$1,500 per year. Selection among students who meet the prescribed criteria will be based on a) financial need, b) contribution to school and community, c) academic achievement, and d) letters of recommendation.

Applications, letters of recommendation, and official transcripts must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2004. Contact Dennis H. Tyler, (703) 830-8039, for additional information or to obtain an application.

Dennis H. Tyler

Scholarship Selection Committee Chairman
Kappa Scholarship Endowment Fund, Inc.

HOW MANY PERSONS DEPEND UPON YOUR PARENTS OR GUARDIAN FOR SUPPORT INCLUDING YOURSELF? (Attach separate sheet if more space is needed)

<u>Names</u>	<u>Relationship to Parents or Guardian</u>	<u>Age</u>

FATHER'S NAME _____ OCCUPATION _____

MOTHER'S NAME _____ OCCUPATION _____

GUARDIAN'S NAME _____ OCCUPATION _____

FAMILY INCOME FROM ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME (2002 Income Tax Form) \$ _____

DO YOU HAVE A RELATIVE THAT IS A MEMBER OF THE ALEXANDRIA-FAIRFAX ALUMNI CHAPTER OF KAPPA ALPHA PSI FRATERNITY? YES _____ NO _____

Signature of Student _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Before mailing this application, please check the following:

1. All questions have been answered completely. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

2. This application has the signatures of applicant and parents/guardian.

3. This application is accompanied by:

a. Transcript from high school.

b. Three (3) letters of recommendation. Each letter shall provide additional information about the applicant's abilities and character. Letters shall be from:

- 1) High School administrator, counselor or teacher.
- 2) Other (Teacher, Minister, Community leader, Family friend).
- 3) Other (Teacher, Minister, Community leader, Family friend).

4. Please mail to: Dennis H. Tyler
Scholarship Selection Committee KSEF
14914 Jaslow Street
Centreville, VA 20120

5. APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE APRIL 30, 2003

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SCHOLARSHIP PROCEDURES AND CRITERIA

- 1. Scholarship awards are open to graduating seniors in all public high schools in the Northern Virginia geographical area who meet the criteria prescribed in Items 3a through 3h below.**
- 2. Scholarship recipients will be selected by the Scholarship Selection Committee after all candidates have been screened. Their selection will be approved by the Kappa Scholarship Endowment Fund Board of Directors.**
- 3. Candidates for scholarship awards must meet the following criteria:**
 - a. Have a high school grade point average (GPA) of 2.3 or better on a 4.0 scale.**
 - b. Be a graduating senior of a public high school in the Cities of Alexandria, Falls Church, Manassas or Manassas Park, and Counties of Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun or Prince William, in the State of Virginia.**
 - c. Demonstrate financial need.**
 - d. Be an African-American male of high moral character.**
 - e. Be involved in school and community activities (e.g., student government, honor society, sports, clubs, church, volunteer work, etc).**
 - f. Submit three (3) letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a school administrator or faculty member.**
 - g. Be accepted to an accredited four-year institution of higher learning for the next school year.**
 - h. Submit an official high school transcript.**
- 4. Children, spouses and relatives of members of the Alexandria-Fairfax (VA) Alumni Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Incorporated shall not be eligible.**

5. **Scholarship(s) are renewable annually up to four years. Scholarship recipients shall meet the following criteria for renewal:**
 - a. **Be a full time student at an accredited four-year institution of higher learning during the prior year.**
 - b. **Have a college GPA of 2.3 or better on a 4.0 scale.**
 - c. **Submit an official college transcript.**
6. **Scholarships shall be limited to students attending "educational institutions" as defined in the U.S. Tax Code.**
7. **Disbursement(s) may be made to the student(s) upon notification of enrollment in a qualifying college or university. Checks will be made payable to the college or university and shall be applied to the recipient's legitimate college costs. If the student withdraws from school or is found to have misused the funds, the scholarship will be terminated.**