



African-American Ladies' Legacy Foundation Scholarship Application

Application

DEADLINE: May 31, 2024

The African- American Ladies' Legacy Foundation (AALLF) will award to eligible students planning to attend a 4-year college/university or 2-year community college scholarships in the Fall of 2024. Award presentations will be made and awarded by AALLF in honor of our four Illinois Black Hall of Fame (IBHOF) honorees and the Pepsico Company. These scholarships will be announced and presented at the Juneteenth Celebration of Black Achievers June 15, 2024, at Governors State University Center for Performing Arts.

Hon. Vincent F. Cornelius Scholarship: This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving Class of 2024 male student interested in pursuing a degree in Pre-Law, Political Science, or History. The applicant should be a resident of Will County, Illinois, or a graduate of a Will County High School.

US Rep. Danny K. Davis: This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving Class of 2024 male student interested in pursuing a degree in Political Science, Public Policy, History, or Pre-Law. The student should be a resident or a graduate from a school in the 7th Congressional District, Illinois.

US Rep. Robin Kelly:

This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving Class of 2024 female student interested in pursuing a degree in Political Science, Public Policy, History or Pre-Law. The student should be a resident, or a high school graduate of a school located in the Second Congressional District of Illinois.

Brigadier General Tomika M. Seaberry:

This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving Class of 2024 female student enrolled in a 4-year collegiate ROTC Program. The student should be a graduate of Chicago's Westside high school.

PepsiCo Scholarships:

This scholarship will be awarded to five deserving Chicago Metropolitan area students who will be attending a two or four-year college who meets the AALLF criteria for academic and community service.

Qualifications for all applicants include:

- Cumulative unweighted grade point average of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 grade scale or equivalent
- Accepted and plan to enroll for the 2024 academic year at an accredited 2- or 4-year college or university
- Resident and student of Chicago Metropolitan area



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- Evidence of Community Service or work experience.

Scholarship Applicants must:

- Type and submit the application in the Scholarship designated location on the website: www.aallfoundation.com
- Submit application on or before May 31, 2024
- Write an essay of 500 words or less on a notable African American resident of Illinois or a person who lived in Illinois at one time
- Use the High School Writing Scoring Rubrics as a guide for writing your Essay
- Typed and double space your essay and download/submit as a separate pdf attachment
- Explain why you chose to write about this Illinois Notable
- Request and Provide two recommendations: one recommendation must be written by a teacher or other school professional; other from a Minister or Community Leader

Additional Applicant requirements:

- Instruct recommender to include his/her name and title, email address, telephone number and signature
- Ask counselor or school's registrar to provide an official copy of your seventh semester transcript and email to info@aallfoundation.com
- Provide a Financial statement (ex. Copy of Financial Aid Form (FAFSA) or Student Aid Report or 1040 tax forms). Please blackout all Social Security numbers



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Please type.

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____
Last First Middle Initial

Home Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code: _____

Home Email: _____ School Email: _____

Telephone: _____ Cell: _____

High School: _____ Graduation Date: _____

Unweighted GPA: _____ ACT or SAT Composite Score _____

Name of parents/guardians: _____

Parents/Guardians Contact Information:

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

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List relevant school extracurricular activities and community service, positions held and dates of participation. For community service, please add service performed and total hours.

****Additional documentation may be attached and submitted electronically.**

Extracurricular Activities			
	Name of Organization	Position Held	Dates
	Example: Student Council	President	08/2023 to 06/2024
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			

Community Service					
	Name of Organization	Position Held	Dates	Service Performed	Total Hours
	Example: St. James Hospital Volunteer	Volunteer	08/2023 to 06/2024	Receptionist	25
1					
2					
3					
4					
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List and date **ALL** awards and honors that you have received during high school for academic, extracurricular or community service achievements.

Honors & Awards		
	Honor/Award	Dates Received
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		

****Additional paper may be used.**

 I certify that the information provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

 Applicant's Signature

 Parent or Guardian's Signature

 Applicant's Printed Name

 Parent or Guardian's Printed Name



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Checklist for Submitting Electronic Documentation

- _____ Completed Application (typed)
- _____ Two Completed Recommendations Forms with required signatures
- _____ Official copy of your 7th semester Transcript with school seal submitted by the school registrar or school counselor to: info@aallfoundation.com
- _____ Typed **500-word** essay on notable African American with an Illinois connection.

Submit Application and Supporting Documentation Simultaneously

- ① Save your completed application with your first initial and last name (ex: C. Barnes).
- ② Submit your completed application and ALL of your supporting documents simultaneously to the email: **info@aallfoundation.com**

If you have questions, contact:

Marilyn Cook
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(Application form may be duplicated)