



**Mu Omega Omega Chapter
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.**
in partnership with the Ivy Community Fund, Inc.
**Vada Kyle Holmes
Student Academic Scholarship 2018
Guidelines/Instructions
Applications Postmark Deadline: June 1, 2018**



The ladies of the **Mu Omega Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.** in partnership with the Ivy Community Fund, Inc. are proud to announce our annual scholarship. A one-time first place scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded to a female student graduating from a high school. The award must be applied towards tuition, books or other academic supplies. Two one-time second and third place technology packages will be awarded to two female students graduating from a high school. All recipients must meet specific academic requirements and must plan to attend a 4-year College or University in the fall of 2018.

Please read all instructions carefully before you begin to submit documents. All documents submitted become the property of the Mu Omega Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. It is the responsibility of the applicant to submit a complete application packet. Only completed applications will be accepted.

Eligibility

- The Vada Kyle Holmes Student Academic Scholarship is available to a female student who is a Colorado Resident graduating from high school.
- The student must possess a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale.
- The student must plan to attend a 4-year College or University beginning the fall semester of 2018.

Scholarship Information

The first place 2018 Vada Kyle Holmes Student Academic Scholarship is a one-time award in the amount of \$1,000. Funds will be disbursed directly to the student's school - in the name of the recipient – at the start of the student's Fall Semester. The second and third place technology packages are a one-time award that will be given to the student prior to the start of the student's Fall Semester. The Technology Package consists of a Laptop and Printer. The recipients will be notified by July 1, 2018.

Documentation Requirements

Students who wish to apply for the scholarship must submit the completed application (typed), as well as the following documentation by June 1, 2018:

- An official transcript (Unopened)
- Two letters of recommendation (Not Family Related)
- 4x6 Formal Photo
- **Essay Questions:**

All applicants **MUST** answer essay question No.1 and choose one additional essay question to answer. Responses to the questions must be between 250 and 500 words on separate sheets of paper and must also be typed, not handwritten.

1. **(Required) Describe your educational plans / career goals and interests in a one-page essay.**
2. *How have you been impacted by Global Poverty and what changes can you make in the future to help end Global Poverty?*
3. *Identify and describe the most important technological contribution made by a woman.*
4. *Has social media become more important than academics? Why or why not?*
5. *If you could create software, hardware or a new innovative application of technology what would it be and why?*
6. *As a future business owner, what steps would you take to minimize your carbon footprint?*

Application Deadline

Submit all materials together (no exceptions), post-marked **Deadline**: The complete application packet must be received by June 1, 2018. Applicants will be notified by mail of the decision by July 1, 2018.

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ATTN: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 471166
Aurora, CO 80047

Please email any questions to Mrs. Janet Smither Scholarship Chairman, at:
jakapitt1908@yahoo.com



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APPLICATION FORM
PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN BLACK
INK (Deadline June 1, 2018)



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Applicant Information

Full Name: _____
Last *First* *M.I.*

Address: _____
Street Address *Apartment/Unit #*

_____ *City* _____ *State* _____ *ZIP Code*

Home Phone: () _____ Alternate Phone: () _____

Household Income: _____ # Family Members: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Parents or Guardian: _____

Name of High School: _____

High School Address: _____

High School Counselor: _____

Graduation Date: _____

Prospective College/Univerisity: _____

Honors and Awards (1 Page Maximum):

Community Service (1 Page Maximum):

Extracurricular Activities (include any offices or positions held) (1 Page Maximum):

Describe in detail what makes you stand out as a leader in your school and community (1 Page Maximum):

I certify that all information submitted and contained herein is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. Submitting false or inaccurate information/claims are subject to forfeiture of award.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian Applicant
(If applicant is under the age of 18)

Date

Please note: If selected to receive the scholarship, award winner must provide a copy of the acceptance letter of the 4-year College or University that will be attended in the fall.

Please note: Receiving this scholarship does not grant membership to Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Nor, does it have any effect on the application process if the recipient were to apply for membership.

Application Completion Checklist
(For Student Use)

_____ Completed application form
_____ **Two** signed letters of recommendation
_____ 4x6 Formal Photo

_____ Official Transcript (Unopened)
_____ **Two** completed essays