Alabama Affordable Housing Association Scholarship Fund, Inc.

2027-2028 Non-Traditional Student Application

This application is for:

- Those who graduated high school more tan 5 years ago

Applications will be judged on academic acheivements, work performance, career goals, extracurricular activities, community service activities, and other achievements. Extenuating circumstances and need may also be considered. The AAHA Scholarship Committee will select awardees from all applicants in its sole and absolute discretion.

Completed applications will only be considered if received by the Scholarship Foundation on or before the deadline of **March 1st, 2027**. Please be sure to:

1. Submit only FULLY COMPLETED applications. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
2. Clearly label all application attachments with the applicant's name and information, and submit electronically with the application, if possible.
3. Send all supporting documents, including academic transcripts and letters of recommendations.

Scholarship Recipients Expectations:

If you are selected as one of the scholarship recipients, the AAHA Scholarship fund will provide $3,000 a year (or $1,500 per semester) to assist you in paying for expenses related to your enrollment at the accredited school.

By January 1st and June 1st each year, scholarship recipients must submit their academic transcript verifying full-time enrollment and a mínimum of a 3.0 GPA from the previous semester or grading period. Failure to meet this requirement may result in termination of the scholarship or, based on the Scholarship Foundation's discretion, probation for one semester; however, if the GPA standard is not met during the probationary period, the scholarship will be permanently terminated.

Electronic submission of application is preferred.

SUBMISSION ADDRESS

E-Mail: ashley@theaaha.org

Mailing Addresss: AAHA Scholarship Fund
P.O. Box 130045
Birmingham, Alabama 35213

The information below must be fully completed for your application to be considered by the AAHA Scholarship Committee. Please ensure that you either e-mail or mail all appropriate documentation to the AAHA Scholarship Fund for it to be received by the application deadline date of March 1st, 2027.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Full Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ County: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Apartment Complex: _____

Management Company: _____

Manager's Name: _____

Manager's Phone Number: _____ Manager's Email: _____

MOST RECENT EDUCATION INFROMATION

High School Name: _____

High School GPA: _____

High School Graduation Date: _____

If applicable, please name any Vocational school, Trade School, Technical School, or College/University currently or previously attended:

If applicable: Undergraduate GPA _____

If applicable: Expected Graduation Date _____

If applicable: Degree/Major _____

Have you already been accepted to a college or university? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Where do you plan to attend? _____

What degree and career do you plan to pursue? _____

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Do you currently have or expect to have any other scholarships? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how much? What is the duration of the scholarship?

Do you currently have or expect to have any government grants? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how much? _____

Do you currently have or expect to have any student loans? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how much? _____

Do you have or anticipate to have any other sources of college funding?

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Below, list any current or past employment experience you have.

Place of Employment	Position	Dates Held

List below any school activities you are involved in. (e.g. student government, sports, music, etc.)

List below any community and volunteer service you have

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Three or more letters of recommendation are required with your application.

Please list the names of the recommenders below.

- (1) letter should be from a teacher of an academic class that the applicant is currently enrolled in (if applicable)
- (1) letter should be from a school official such as a principal or counselor
- (1) letter should be from a minister, coach, past teacher, or any person with significant knowledge of the applicant

THE LETTERS SHOULD NOT BE FROM ANY PERSON RELATED BY BLOOD OR MARRIAGE TO THE APPLICANT.

Recommender's Name	Relationship with Applicant	Position

Please have all letters of recommendation either submitted with the application or emailed to Ashley Owens at ashley@theaaha.org

ESSAY

In 300 words or more, write an essay explaining your career goals after completing your schooling, how this scholarship could help you attain your goals, your financial need for this scholarship, and why you believe you should receive the scholarship.

AUTHORIZATION & SIGNATURE

By submitting this application, I authorize my high school or higher education institution to make available to the AAHA Scholarship Fund, Inc. ("The Scholarship Fund") and its agents any and all information concerning my academic record and any other pertinent information. I certify that all the information in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that I meet the eligibility requirements set forth in this application form. I further authorize The Scholarship Fund to disclose my name, college, and photograph in connection with promotional activities concerning The Scholarship Fund and to schools and colleges. I understand and agree that by providing my typed signature on this application it carries the same force and effect as a handwritten signature.

_____ _____

Applicant Signature Date

RESIDENCY CERTIFICATION

TO BE COMPLETED BY RESIDENT MANAGER

Applicant Name: _____

Apartment Complex: _____

Apartment Manager: _____

Manager's Cell Phone: _____

Head of Household on Tenant Certification: _____

The Applicant _____ is listed on the attached tenant income certification.

_____
Print Manager's Name

_____ _____
Manager's Signature Date

_____
Title, Name of Complex

_____
Management Company

GOOD STANDING CERTIFICATION

TO BE COMPLETED BY RESIDENT MANAGER

Applicant Name: _____

Apartment Complex: _____

Apartment Manager: _____

Manager's Cell Phone: _____

Head of Household on Tenant Certification: _____

The Applicant _____ is listed on the attached tenant income certification.

_____
Print Manager's Name

_____ _____
Manager's Signature Date

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Title, Name of Complex

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Management Company

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Ensure all parts of the application are complete and submitted at the same time. Applications that are incomplete or are missing documentation will NOT be considered.

- ☐ Application – ensure every section has been completely filled out
- ☐ School transcript that also includes GPA information
- ☐ Essay – following the prompt and guidelines provided
- ☐ 3 or more letters of recommendation
- ☐ Residency Certification – To be completed by the Property Manager
- ☐ Good Standing Certifiation – To be completed by the Property Manager
- ☐ Current Tenant Income Certification – Showing the applicant's memebership in the household
- ☐ Proof of acceptance at the College or University (if currently enrolled, current transcript can be used as proof of enrollment/acceptance.)
- ☐ Current photograph – If accepted, this will be used for promotional purposes (please provide an appropriate photo, no selfies)
- ☐ Application Signed

If you have any questions regarding your application, please contact Ashley Owens, AAHA Director of Scholarships, at ashley@theaaha.org