

Order of AHEPA
American Educational Progressive Association
Golden Gate District 21
Educational Foundation

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Dear Applicant:

We are accepting applications for the 2022 AHEPA District 21 Scholarship Program.

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This program is available to members in good standing of the Order of AHEPA or Daughters of Penelope, for a minimum of two (2) consecutive years, (a member in good standing is described in the Constitution and By-Laws of the AHEPA or Daughters of Penelope), or current members in good standing of the Sons of Pericles or Maids of Athena, Children of AHEPA and Daughters of Penelope members and under certain conditions, orphans of AHEPA and Daughters of Penelope members. A detailed and more complete list of eligibility requirements is provided on the first page of the application packet.

To be eligible for consideration, your application needs to be complete, endorsed and signed by your local sponsoring AHEPA or Daughters of Penelope Chapter President (or a designated Chapter Scholarship Chairperson) and the Chapter Secretary. Two letters of recommendation and most current transcripts are to be mailed with the scholarship application. Please note: Most high schools and colleges receive a high volume of requests for transcripts and letters of recommendation during the spring months. It is highly recommended that you get your requests to these schools early and follow up to make certain that all materials are mailed before the April 1, 2022 deadline. Late mailing from your school will disqualify your application.

A one-page essay, using 12 pt. font, is required and must be included with your application packet. The essay must focus on your own personal goals, ambitions and commitment to making this a better world for all. You may wish to draw upon the influences of your Hellenic heritage, your parents, your parish and community. If selected, you will be notified by mail.

Our Scholarship Program seeks to recognize outstanding youth within District 21 and their scholastic and community achievements. Support for our scholarship come from AHEPA members and friends of AHEPA who value the importance of higher education. Their tireless efforts have made these scholarship awards possible. We hope that you will consider membership in one of the branches of the AHEPA family and provide your own support to funding scholarships to future students. Above all we encourage you to fully utilize the gifts that God has given you.

The number of awards presented is dependent upon the scholarship funds available for this year. Because of the competition, it is imperative that the application be accurate, neat, complete and submitted on time. Applications which do not meet these requirements will be denied further consideration for approval. The decisions of the Foundation Board and the Independent Evaluator are final. There are no exceptions, extensions or appeals.

A complete checklist is attached. All items on the checklist must be submitted by the deadline date of April 1, 2022. Please include the marked-up checklist with your application.

We wish you success in the application process.

Respectfully,

Chris Frangos

Foundation Board Chairman