

American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association

Milwaukee Chapter #43 ★ AHEPA Scholarship Foundation

Student Scholarship Application

Application Deadline – Friday, March 1, 2024 Personal Interview - Sunday, March 17, 2024 Awards Presentation - Sunday, May 19, 2024 (at Annunciation)

Mission Statement of the AHEPA Chapter 43 Scholarship Program

The Milwaukee AHEPA Chapter 43 scholarship program recognizes academically gifted high school students and rewards those in our Hellenic community who have achieved outstanding success. We acknowledge and place high value on the well-rounded student and their potential for future success. Our program is a source of encouragement to the student planning on attending university or college, helping him or her appreciate our Hellenic heritage, and provide for our community an ever-expanding source of support for the future of AHEPA.

Please send this Chapter 43 application and any additional forms and correspondences to:

AHEPA Scholarship Foundation c/o Dr. Peter Gaveras 1244 N. 86th Street Wauwatosa, WI 53226

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

All questions should be directed to Dr. Gaveras at 414-795-7100 or Lavajava@AOL.com

This is the application for AHEPA Milwaukee Chapter #43 Scholarship. Provided you meet the requirements on page 2, this scholarship is for graduating high school seniors who plan on attending a university, college, or technical school in fall 2024. If you are interested in the AHEPA 13 District scholarship or other Hellenic scholarships, please refer to the Chapter 43 website (AHEPA 43.org) for those applications.

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Eligibility Requirements for Academic Scholarship:

In order to be eligible for an AHEPA Milwaukee Chapter #43 scholarship, an applicant **MUST** meet **<u>BOTH</u>** of the following criteria:

- A senior high school student eligible for graduation at the end of the 2023-2024 school year; and
- A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.

In order to be eligible for an AHEPA Milwaukee Chapter #43 scholarship, an applicant **MUST** meet **ONE** of the following criteria:

- A child or grandchild of a member of Milwaukee AHEPA Chapter #43 or Daughters of Penelope Hector 103. (If the grandchild does not reside in the five-county area *Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Sheboygan, Washington, and Waukesha Counties* their father must be an Ahepan and/or mother a DOP of a different chapter.)
- Be a member of a Greek Orthodox Church in southeastern Wisconsin.

Application Requirements:

- Include a certified transcript of grades from the applicant's high school. The official correspondence must include class rank;
- A certified copy of either the ACT or SAT test results (not required if noted on official transcript);
- A letter of recommendation from an educator at the applicant's high school (submitted separately, by the educator);
- A recent photograph of the applicant, no larger than 2 ½ x 3 ½, which becomes the property of the Scholarship Foundation;
- Applications must be submitted on time, received by the deadline Friday, March 1, 2024. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- A two-paragraph biography (only two paragraphs, please) that includes the applicant's high school, intended major, intended university or technical college, a few accomplishments, and a sentence or two from a letter of recommendation. The biography is required for the Event Program, and is not used for scholarship evaluation purposes. Please email your biography to ahepa43@gmail.com
- Qualified applicants will be required to participate in a personal interview on March 17, 2024.

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Personal Information			
NAME	DATE		
ADDRESS			
ADDRESS			
CITY, STATE ZIP			
MOBILE PHONE	OTHER PHONE		
EMAIL			
BIRTHPLACE	DATE OF BIRTH		

Educational Information

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDING		
ADDRESS		
CITY, STATE ZIP		
PHONE	DATE OF GRADUATION	
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY PLANNING TO ATTEND		
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES		
CAREER YOU PLAN TO PURSUE		

Family Information

	FATHER	MOTHER
NAME		
ADDRESS		
CITY, STATE ZIP		
BIRTHPLACE		
EMPLOYER		
OCCUPATION		

Please list the names and ages of the applicant's brother(s)/sister(s)

(Please note if the applicant's brother/sister previously received an AHEPA Scholarship)

NAME	AGE	SCHOLARSHIP YEAR

Is the applicant or the applica	int's parent(s)	or grandparent(s) currently a member of AHEPA or		
the Daughters of Penelope?				
\square Yes \square No				
If yes, please indicate which membership affiliation exists:				
AHEPA:	□ Father	🗖 Grandfather		
Daughters of Penelope:	□ Mother	Grandmother		
Name and relationship of AHEPA or DOP Member:				
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Please indicate if the lodge is different than AHEPA Chapter #43 and Daughters of Penelope				
Hector 103:				

Hellenic Descent – *Describe in sufficient detail your Hellenic background, including where your parents or grandparents were born.*

Please list any extracurricular involvement that you may have had in each of the following areas. Please include membership in organizations, offices held, honors and awards received, activities and hobbies, and any work experiences as well. Please attach a separate page if needed. The committee will notify the applicants in writing as to the status of the award.

Church Related Activities & Involvement (*Greek Orthodox Church Youth Activities, or if not attending a Greek Orthodox Church, one's involvement in his or her own church, and any Hellenic involvement.*)

School Activities & Involvement

Civic Community Activities

Leadership Qualities and Accomplishments

Varsity High School Participation & Awards

Other Information (Include any other information which you feel may be of value to the Scholarship Section Committee. If there is a financial need or special circumstances that you feel are important for the committee to be aware of, please indicate below or attach a separate note and the chairman will contact you.)

APPLICANT SIGNATURE DATE