



## **Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated**

### **Pi Omega Chapter & Foundation**

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Baltimore, Maryland 21217

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## **2026 Scholarship Contest Application Instruction Sheet**

This scholarship is open to high school seniors who attend school in Baltimore City/Baltimore County, graduating by June 2026, and plan to enroll in a four (4) year Historically Black College or University (HBCU).

To be considered for Pi Omega's \$12,000 (twelve thousand dollars) college scholarship, **email the following items no later than 11:59 pm on April 15, 2026:**

**Attention: Scholarship Committee Chair**  
**Email: [Scholarships@piomegafoundation.org](mailto:Scholarships@piomegafoundation.org)**

1. The completed application which is a **fillable PDF form**.
2. A typed two-page minimum, three-page maximum, double-spaced essay (choose one of the following topics)
  - **"Why did you choose to attend an HBCU, and what do you hope to gain from the HBCU experience that you may not find elsewhere?"**
  - **"Where do you see yourself in 10 years, and how will your college experience help you get there?"**
  - **"Why were Historically Black Colleges and Universities established and what role do they serve today?"**
3. A copy of your high school transcript, which must include your first semester grades of the current school year.
4. **Optional:** A copy of your most recent S.A.T. or A.C.T. score
5. Two (2) letters of recommendation (one high school educator and a non-family member)

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***SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION COVER PAGE***

**Applicant's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant's Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current School Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check which items are included with your package:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Completed Application

\_\_\_\_\_ Most recent high school transcript, showing first semester senior year grades,

Date Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Optional:** Most recent copy of S.A.T. or A.C.T. scores

\_\_\_\_\_ 2-3 page typed, double-spaced essay on one of the following topics:

- "Why did you choose to attend an HBCU, and what do you hope to gain from the HBCU experience that you may not find elsewhere?"
- "Where do you see yourself in 10 years, and how will your college experience help you get there?"
- "Why were Historically Black Colleges and Universities established and what role do they serve today?"

\_\_\_\_\_ 2 Letters of recommendation required (**two references required**)

- One from a high school educator
- One from a community leader (church, business, etc.)



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### ***Section 1: Identifying Data***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***Section 2: Family Information***

**Mother's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Address (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Father's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Address (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_



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Guardian's Name (If not living with mother or father): \_\_\_\_\_

Address (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (If different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

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***Section 3: Future Studies***

List the names of the universities/colleges where you have been accepted or plan to apply:

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Anticipated major(s) of study: \_\_\_\_\_



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**Section 4: General Information** (attach additional pages as necessary)

List all schools, church/religious activities, and community activities (include any offices held).

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List any jobs held during the past three years. (Please note if jobs are full-time or part-time)

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List any hobbies and areas of special interest.

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## Pi Omega Chapter 2026 Scholarship Contest Application

**Media Release & Likeness Consent**

I authorize the Pi Omega Foundation and Pi Omega Chapter to use my name, photograph, image, likeness, voice, and/or statements for promotional, educational, and marketing purposes related to the Pi Omega Scholarship and Foundation activities, including, but not limited to the use on the Foundation website, social media, newsletters, press releases, and other digital or print materials. I understand that I will not receive compensation for the use of my likeness.

**Parent/Guardian Consent (Required if Applicant is Under 18)**

I am the parent or legal guardian of the applicant and consent to the use of my child's name, photograph, image, likeness, voice, and/or statements by the Pi Omega Foundation and Pi Omega Chapter for promotional, educational, and marketing purposes as described above.

**No Media Release & Likeness Consent (Opt-Out)**

I **do not** authorize the Pi Omega Foundation or Pi Omega Chapter to use my name, photograph, image, likeness, voice, and/or statements for promotional, educational, or marketing purposes. This includes, but is not limited to, use on the Pi Omega Chapter or Foundation website, social media, newsletters, press releases, and other digital or print materials. I understand that my decision will not affect my eligibility for consideration or receipt of the Pi Omega Scholarship.

**Applicant Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Note: All essays will be reviewed for artificial intelligence-generated content, and any submission found to contain AI-generated material will result in disqualification.**