



February 15, 2022

Greetings,

Southern Prince George's County Community Charities, Incorporated (SPGCC) is the 501(c)3 affiliate of the Upsilon Tau Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, located in Fort Washington, Maryland. Each year SPGCC awards the Sylvia Avery Memorial Scholarship to assist a student majoring in Education, in continuing his or her studies at Morgan State University. The scholarship is awarded on the basis of academic achievement, financial need and desire to continue achieving an higher education. SPGCC's scholarships support our organizational commitment to cultivate and encourage career and academic goals of young people. All Education majors at Morgan State University, meeting the following criteria are encouraged to apply for the Sylvia Avery Memorial Scholarship.

Submission and eligibility requirements for applicants are as follows:

1. The applicant must be in good academic standing with Morgan State University.
2. The applicant must complete a 1000 word essay (12-point Times New Roman) addressing:
  - *"The Advantages/Benefits of Becoming an Educator"*
  - *"Why education is Important to me"*
  - *"How I plan to use my education to impact others"*
3. The applicant must be currently enrolled at Morgan State University and have completed the previous semester at the University.
4. The applicant must have officially declared Education as his or her major (proof must be provided).
5. The applicant must submit two (2) letters of recommendation from educational professionals at Morgan State University who can attest to the applicant's character and desire to become an Educator. One of the letters of recommendation must be from an Academic Advisor or a current or past professor of the applicant.

**QUESTIONS:** Please contact **Andrea Taylor**, Scholarship Committee Chairman, via e-mail at [scholarship@akaupsilontauomega.org](mailto:scholarship@akaupsilontauomega.org). All applicants will be notified no later than 4 weeks following the application deadline.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Keli Jackson', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Keli Jackson  
President  
Southern Prince George's County Community Charities, Inc.

