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Inglewood Pacific (CA) Chapter

# INGLEWOOD PACIFIC CHAPTER

*Serving the Inglewood, Culver City, El Segundo, Marina del Rey,  
Westchester and LA County communities*

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P.O. 451546*

## 2022-2023 SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION SHEET

### OVERVIEW

The Inglewood Pacific Chapter of the Links Incorporated Scholarship is offering financial assistance to qualifying African American female high school students who will graduate in the spring semester of 2023. Scholarships will be given to African American young ladies who meet the eligibility criteria and show evidence of full-time enrollment Course Schedule in a two-year, four-year college or university in Fall 2023. The scholarship awards will range from \$500 - \$2,000.00

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The applicant must:

- 1) Be an African American female high school graduating senior who lives in and/or attends high school in the Culver City, El Segundo, Inglewood, Marina del Rey, Los Angeles, and Westchester areas;
- 2) Cannot be related to any member in the Inglewood Pacific Chapter of The Links, Incorporated;
- 3) Have a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, or 4.0 on a 5.0 scale;
- 4) Student must demonstrate service to the community;
- 5) Student must show evidence of good character and promise;
- 6) Student must have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in extracurricular or other activities.

### DIRECTIONS FOR APPLICANTS

The following items are required from each applicant:

- A completed Scholarship Application.
- An uploaded high school transcript.
- Two (2) Letters of Recommendation
  - One (1) must be from a high school guidance counselor, teacher, or principal.
  - One (1) must be from a community service representative.
  - Letters of Recommendation must be typed and on official letterhead and cannot come from family members. Letters should come from individuals who know you well and can attest to your character, leadership ability and commitment to community service and/or academic achievement.
- A current 3.5 or 4x6 photograph, i.e., graduation photo or a school photo.

Typed essay:

- What does voting mean to you as an American, an African American and as a Woman? (550 words, double-spaced, Arial 12 pt font).



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## **INTERVIEW**

After an initial screening of the application materials, finalists will receive an invitation for a mandatory oral interview. The dates will be during the week of March 20 - 24, 2023. Finalists will be notified via a zoom link for the virtual interview.

Scholarship recipient(s) will be presented on Saturday, April 22, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. Please be prepared to say a few words about yourself and your plans (1minute) . Please reserve this date on your calendar. Recipients must be present. Scholarship awards will be distributed beginning in August 2023 upon official verification of enrollment in a two - four-year college or university. Please mail verification items to the address below.

**APPLICATION PACKETS DUE  
MARCH 1, 2023 AT 11:59 PM**

**LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

Thank you for your interest.  
If you have questions, please contact  
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