



## AIMING HIGHER Scholarship for Refugees

Two scholarships of \$5,000 each will be awarded to members of the Northeast Ohio refugee and immigrant communities served by Asian Services in Action, Inc who are seeking higher education after high school.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

- A member of the Northeast Ohio refugee and immigrant communities
- Current high school senior and have been accepted to a college or post-secondary program <u>OR</u>
- Recent high school graduate in early years of higher education studies and is currently enrolled.

## **AWARDS**

Recipients will be chosen by a selection committee consisting of Dr. Bill Coleman, Ms. Ruth Coleman, and ASIA team members. Finalists are interviewed and awardees are chosen based on the following application requisites.





## REQUIREMENTS

- Most recent school transcript;
- Disclosure of household income;
- A current resume/CV that includes volunteerism and extracurriculars, leadership roles, and special awards;
- A well-written 500-750 word essay addressing: (a) your history and background and (b) your career goals and why you wish to continue your education;
- Two (2) letters of recommendation from teachers, other school administration, or co-workers that highlight and provide examples of your character, academic strengths/ accomplishments, and leadership/contributions to the community.

Submit all applications or questions to Kelly Le, <a href="mailto:KLE@asiaohio.org">KLE@asiaohio.org</a>.



Postmark paper applications no later than 07/15/2025.

FIRST	NAME	LAST NAME
MAILI	NG ADDRESS	
E - M A I	 L	PHONE NUMBER
ETHNI	CITY	(e.g. Vietnamese, Hmong, Nepali, Burmese, Congolese)
2024	HOUSEHOLD IN	COME _\$ ASPIRING CAREER
	UNIVERSITY, C ANNING TO ATT	OLLEGE, OR PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE PROGRAM ARE YOU ATTENDING END?
HOWI	DID YOU HEAR A	BOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? FRIENDS/FAMILY SCHOOL EVENT FACEBOOK, X, OTHER SOCIAL MEDIA PUBLIC/COMMUNITY POSTING OTHER:
HOW I	HAVE YOU BEEN	INVOLVED WITH ASIAN SERVICES IN ACTION IN THE PAST?
	I/MY FAMILY	RECEIVED SOCIAL OR LEGAL SERVICES I VOLUNTEERED WITH ASIA
	I AM/MY FAM	ILY ARE PATIENTS OF ASIA'S INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER
	THIS IS MY F	IRST INTERACTION WITH ASIA
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