



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 OR
- High school graduate wishing to begin or already engaged in higher education studies

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.

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MORE INFO



Submit all applications or questions to Kelly Le, KLE@asiaohio.org.

APPLICATIONS DUE: JUNE 1, 2024

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APPLICATION FORM



*Skip the Paper!
Apply online!*

Postmark paper applications no later than 06/01/2024.

FIRST NAME _____ LAST NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

E-MAIL _____ PHONE NUMBER _____

ETHNICITY _____ (e.g. Vietnamese, Hmong, Nepali, Burmese, Congolese)

2023 HOUSEHOLD INCOME \$ _____ ASPIRING CAREER _____

WHAT UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, OR PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATE PROGRAM ARE YOU ATTENDING OR PLANNING TO ATTEND? _____

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? FRIENDS/FAMILY SCHOOL EVENT
 FACEBOOK, X, OTHER SOCIAL MEDIA PUBLIC/COMMUNITY POSTING
 OTHER: _____

HOW 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 FAMILY ARE PATIENTS OF ASIA'S INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER
 THIS IS MY FIRST INTERACTION WITH ASIA

PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING AS A CHECK LIST FOR REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS TO INCLUDE IN YOUR APPLICATION.

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