



# **SIGMA GAMMA RHO SORORITY, INC.**

## **LAMBDA ALPHA SIGMA ALUMNAE CHAPTER**

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### **Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. in Partnership with Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., Lambda Alpha Sigma Chapter (LAS) 2022 Centennial Academic Scholarship application is now open!**

Together, Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. and Lambda Alpha Sigma Alumnae Chapter take pride in supporting the youth of Southern Arizona to achieve their academic goals and endeavors.

Applications are distributed annually to local high schools and scholarship recipients are awarded up to \$2,000.

**[Applications are due September 22, 2022](#)**

#### **AWARD ELIGIBILITY**

Each applicant must:

1. Be a graduating, high school senior woman enrolled in a public/chartered high school located in Pima County, AZ.
2. Possess a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher based on a 4.0 scale.
3. Provide proof of college preparedness (Submittal of applications, acceptance letters, college prep classes attended, etc.)
4. Recipients will be selected on the basis of financial need, academic and personal merit, as well as demonstrated involvement within their respective community.

#### **A COMPLETE APPLICATION PACKET CONSISTS OF:**

- Completed 2-part Application
  - Personal Data
  - Personal Statement (250 words minimum)
- Two (2) letters of recommendation:
  - Academic: (Teacher, Counselor or Administrator)
  - Personal: (Mentor, Minister, Professional, Member of Sigma Gamma Rho, etc., no relatives)
- Official High School Transcript in a separate sealed envelope
- Recent Photo (Head shot)

***All Materials must be received by September 22, 2022 for consideration***



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### Official Application

I have enclosed the following materials

*(Please note that incomplete applications may be ineligible for consideration)*

- Completed 2-part Application (Personal Data and Personal Statement)
- Two (2) letters of recommendation: Academic and Professional
- Official High School Transcript in a separate sealed envelope
- Recent Photo (Head shot)

#### Applicant Information

FIRST NAME	M.I.	LAST NAME
ADDRESS	CITY, ST	ZIP CODE
HOME PHONE	CELL	EMAIL
PARENTS(S)/GUARDIAN(S)		

#### Educational History

HIGHSCHOOL	CITY	GRADUATION YEAR
COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND		
ADDRESS OF COLLEGE	CITY, ST	ZIP CODE
DEGREE TO BE PURSUED	(MAJOR/AREA OF STUDY)	
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY?		



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### **Personal Statement**

*Must be typed using double spacing and 12pt Times New Roman Font.*

*Minimum 250 words to include:*

- A brief description of yourself.
- Why are you considering your selected college and your major?
- How will your college experience prepare you for the future?
- Who has most influenced your development and in what way?
- Any additional information that may be helpful in assessment of your application (i.e. extracurricular activities, proof of college preparedness, awards, honors, community service, etc.)
- Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc.'s slogan is GREATER SERVICE, GREATER PROGRESS. This year to celebrate our Centennial, our motto is GREATER WOMEN, GREATER WORLD. What does this mean to you as a young woman in today's society?



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### **APPLICATION DOCUMENTS:**

Personal Data Form for Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. Scholarship (2022)

Personal Statement Form for Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. Scholarship (2022)

### **MAIL OR E-MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:**

*Evangelina Runnels*

*Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. Scholarship Committee Chair*

*1501 S. Cherrybell Stra.*

*Unit 27222*

*Tucson, AZ 85726*

[rhoyallegacyfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:rhoyallegacyfoundation@gmail.com)

For more information or questions please contact us at:

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### **Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. Program Overview**

The purpose of Rhoyal Legacy Foundation, Inc. scholarships are to recognize and honor outstanding young women who intend to further their education at a four year or two year accredited college or university. The scholarships will be awarded to graduating high school seniors studying in a variety of fields who demonstrate financial need. Scholarships are available to woman students of all backgrounds who attend nationally accredited institutions.

### **Eligibility**

Applicants for awards must be an incoming freshman, continuing and/or transfer student at an accredited 2-year or 4-year institution in the United States for the 2023-2024 school year. They must be planning to enroll in full-time, undergraduate courses of study. The minimum cumulative G.P.A. for a scholarship award is 2.5. Recipients will be selected on the basis of financial need, academic and personal merit, as well as demonstrated involvement within their respective community.

### **Application Procedure and Time Period**

Interested applicants may apply by completing the scholarship application. Once the Scholarship Committee has concluded the application process and selected the scholarship recipients for the upcoming academic year, all applicants will be notified via e-mail the outcome. **Selected recipients will be notified on or about October 7, 2022.**

### **Terms of Disbursement**

Awards will be disbursed no later than June 30, 2023 to the institution of each scholar.

### **Selection**

The Rhoyal Legacy Foundation's Scholarship Committee selects the scholarship recipients. Applicants are ranked by the committee according to a combination of academic promise, financial need, receipt or potential receipt of other scholarships, and other student financial aid.

### **Amount of Award**

Scholarship awards range from a one-time award of \$500 - \$2,000.