



Los Angeles
Urban League



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Los Angeles Urban League is committed to advancing educational equity by providing scholarship opportunities to students who demonstrate academic potential, community involvement, and a commitment to personal and professional growth. To be considered for a scholarship award, applicants must meet the following criteria and submission requirements:

Eligibility Requirements

1. **Residency:** Must reside in Los Angeles County.
2. **Academic Standing:** Must be a current high school senior with a minimum GPA of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale).
3. **Enrollment:** Must be enrolled or planning to enroll in an accredited college, university, trade school, or vocational training program for the upcoming academic year.
4. **Citizenship:** Must be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or DACA recipient.

Application Materials

Applicants must submit the following documents by the stated deadline:

- Completed Online Application Forms (**Scholarship Application & Project Ready Application**)
- Personal Statement (300-500 words) addressing academic goals, community involvement, financial need, and career aspirations.
- Official or Unofficial Transcript from most recent academic institution.
- One Letter of Recommendation from a teacher, counselor, employer, or community leader.
- Proof of College Acceptance or Enrollment (if available).
- Resume highlighting academic achievements, extracurricular activities, leadership roles, volunteer service, and work experience.

Evaluation Criteria

Applications will be evaluated based on the following:

- Academic performance and potential
- Community service and leadership
- Clarity and quality of personal statement
- Demonstrated financial need
- Strength of recommendation letter

Submission Deadline

All application materials must be submitted electronically by **May 31, 2026** at 11:59 PM PST. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

Selection and Notification

Scholarship recipients awards will be formally presented at the LA Black Graduation Event.

Questions? Email us at laulprograms@laul.org