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Order of AHEPA

**American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association
AHEPA District 6 Scholarship Perpetual Fund, Inc.**
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January 21, 2026

Dear Brothers:

Each year the AHEPA District Six Scholarship Perpetual Fund awards scholarships to deserving students. Thanks to the generosity of some of our Brother AHEPANS this year we will again be awarding scholarships. As we did last year, we are allocating an additional scholarship to a student enrolled in or a high school senior who is pursuing a career in a certificate based vocational training program at an accredited school (i.e. health care, construction, manufacturing, carpentry, electronics, plumbing, etc.). We are also allocating a scholarship for a deserving senior from Saint Basil Academy.

I am asking brothers to support this program with a donation in memory of a loved one. We are also encouraging brothers that have high school seniors and college students to apply for a scholarship. I am also asking for support from chapters to make a donation to the scholarship fund. Any donation from a brother or your chapter will be recognized in our program during our convention. All donations are fully tax deductible. Please make donations payable to **AHEPA District 6 Scholarship** and mail to:

Brother Chris Gallis
160-19 27th Ave.
Flushing, NY 11358

The AHEPA District Six application and requirements are available online and may be easily downloaded at <https://www.ahepad6.com/ahepa-district-6-scholarship>. A copy of the rules and the application are attached to this letter.

We wish all our high school seniors and college students good luck in their future endeavors. Please read the requirements on the application very carefully and adhere to the deadline. The application must be e-mailed by May 4, 2026. If you have any questions, please contact our Scholarship Secretary, Brother Chris Pappis, at ahepascholarshiped6@gmail.com. The annual ceremony for the scholarship recipients will take place at our district convention on June 13, 2026.

Fraternally yours,

Brother Basil Katsamakis
President



AHEPA Empire State District 6 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION YEAR 2026



The **AHEPA Scholarship Perpetual Fund, Inc.** has scholarship programs, which were established to promote, encourage, induce and advance education. The scholarship foundation will accept applications from **graduating high school seniors**, **College/University students**, and **students enrolled in vocational training programs**.

ELIGIBILITY

The applicant is a member of a Sons of Pericles chapter in District Six and is in good standing prior to the application deadline date of May 4, 2026;

OR

The applicant is the **son or daughter** [or grandson or granddaughter] of a chapter member of AHEPA in District Six in good standing for 2025 and 2026;

OR

The applicant is the **son or daughter** [or grandson or granddaughter] of a deceased chapter member of AHEPA in District Six who was in good standing at least two years prior to the date of his death;

AND

The applicant MUST PLAN ON ATTENDING OR BE REGISTERED full time (minimum 12 college credits), at an accredited college or university during the current calendar year of the application or planning on attending or matriculated in a certificate program at an accredited vocational school. The applicant must not have been a previous recipient of this Scholarship Program.

AHEPA HS Scholarship and Saint Basil Academy Scholarship

- You must be a **high school senior**
- Certification from the school registrar acknowledging your full-time status
- Submit SAT/ACT Test (if required by the college you are planning on attending)
- Submit high school transcripts

AHEPA College/University Scholarship

- You must be a **full-time student (Freshman-Senior)**
- Minimum 12 semester hours at an accredited college or university
- Certification from the school registrar acknowledging your full-time status
- Submit your college transcripts

AHEPA HS Senior or Currently Attending a Vocational Training Program

- Certification from the school registrar acknowledging your full-time status
- Submit high school transcripts

FILING

Please **use one of the enclosed applications**. Your complete application must be filed to be considered. Please note that the application is PDF fillable. We prefer that you type the responses. **In addition, applications should be submitted in one e-mail.**

The applicant is responsible for the submission of all documents and completion of all sections of the application and sending the complete package by **E-MAIL NO LATER THAN MAY 4, 2026, to ahepascholarshiped6@gmail.com**. All information received will be kept confidential. No items will be returned.

TRANSCRIPTS

High school seniors must submit the most recent official complete high school transcript **AND SAT or ACT scores**. **If your school doesn't require an SAT/ACT please indicate on the application. All transcripts must be official and submitted as part of the complete application.** Applicants should provide the name of the college, university or vocational school to which they have been accepted or planning to attend.

College students must submit their transcripts from an accredited college or university. Transcripts must be official and **submitted as part of the complete application**.

ESSAY QUESTION (200-250 typed words)

Describe a Hellenic relative who has been inspirational to you. How does that person's Hellenic values relate to your academic or career ambitions? **The use of AI will disqualify your application.**

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Applicants must include no more than 1 letter of recommendation (official letterhead only) i.e., the applicant's teachers, counselors, advisors, professors, etc. The reference letter should not be submitted by a relative to the applicant. If necessary, the letter of recommendation can be **independently submitted by May 4th to: ahepascholarshiped6@gmail.com**.



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2026 District Six Scholarship High School Graduate Application Saint Basil Graduate Application

PERSONAL DATA

Legal Name

Last

First

Middle (complete)

Permanent home address

Number and Street

City or Town

County

State

Zip Code

Cell Phone

Current Mailing Address – if different from above

Are you a member of the Sons of Pericles? Check one: Yes _____ No _____

Chapter No. _____ City _____ Membership Number _____

Name of Father or Grandfather _____

Chapter No. _____ (or) City _____ Membership Number _____

EDUCATIONAL DATA

Name of High School _____ Date of Graduation _____

Name the college, university, you expect to attend _____

Address _____
Number and Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Possible area(s) of academic concentration/major _____

Possible career or professional plans _____

ACADEMIC HONORS

Please list all the academic honors which you have received.

EXTRACURRICULAR, PERSONAL AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES (including summer)

Please list your principal extracurricular, community, and family activities and hobbies in the order of their interest to you, i.e., clubs, societies, sports, etc.

Activity _____ Grade level _____ Position held _____
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WORK EXPERIENCE

Please list any jobs (including summer employment) you have held during the past three years.

Specific nature of work _____ Employer _____ Dates _____ Hours per week _____

ATHLETIC HONORS

Please list all the athletic honors that you have received throughout high school.

CONFIRMATION

Please sign digitally below certifying that the information submitted is correct and truthful.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Checklist:

1. High School or College Transcript
2. Does your college require an SAT/ACT? If yes, check box.
3. Results of SAT or ACT (if required)
4. One letter of recommendation (official letterhead only)
5. Essay
6. Completed application (signed and dated)

Application must be submitted via e-mail to:

ahepascholarshiped6@gmail.com

no later than May 4, 2026

The complete application must be submitted in concert (except letter of recommendation which can be submitted separately by May 4th); otherwise, the submission will not be accepted. Incomplete applications will be disqualified. No exceptions!

For further questions, please contact Scholarship Committee Secretary Chris Pappis at ahepascholarshiped6@gmail.com.