

## LAVINIA ENGLE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Lavinia Engle Scholarship Fund was established in 1980 to honor the memory of suffragist and public servant Lavinia Engle by assisting women in attaining a college education. Our grants are for one year (renewable) and range in size from \$500 to \$3,500.

To be eligible, an applicant must be:

- Female,
- A resident of Montgomery County, MD for at least three years;
- Enrolled or enrolling for a **first undergraduate** degree at a Maryland college or university.

Attention will be given to financial need and academic and other accomplishments as indicated by:

- income tax returns and explanation of need
- GPA, choice of courses, and recommendations.
- your description of extracurricular or volunteer activities

Please submit the following information with your completed application form:

1. A copy of your high school and/or college transcript.
2. Two letters of recommendation. They may be from a teacher, counselor, religious leader, employer or co-worker.
3. If you are self-supporting, please submit a copy of the first two pages of your income tax return. If you are not self-supporting, please submit the first two pages of the current income tax return of the person (or persons) who supports you. You may black out the social security numbers on those copies.
4. A **one page** written essay about your goals in life or what you hope to achieve through your education.
5. A small photograph of yourself.

All information you submit will be seen only by the scholarship selection committee and will be held in strict confidence.

Please send your completed application to

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

**Application Deadline: April 15, 2024**

Questions: Send them to us at [laviniascholarships@gmail.com](mailto:laviniascholarships@gmail.com).