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Unfortunately, there is a pronounced racial gap in enrollment rates at top colleges and universities around the country. Data from the National Center for Education Statistics reveals that fewer than 65% of African American high school students attend college, compared to 70% of white students. African-American/Black (non-Hispanic) scholarships enable scholarship providers to do just that. These scholarships are typically awarded through schools, from notable African American advancement organizations, such as the NAACP, UNCF, as well as historically African American sororities, fraternities and foundations. The Amos and Edith Wallace Scholarship was founded to reward young, bright African-American students who have demonstrated an exemplary commitment to service and education. In order to apply, you must meet the following requirements: Female African- American High School senior graduating from Kanakee High School in Kankakee, IL. To apply, the student must be an African-American high school senior who will graduate from a high school located within the counties of Butler and Warren in Ohio. The scholarship is in the amount of \$5,000 annually, renewable for a maximum of three years, a total potential scholarship of \$20,000.