

# Women's Education Coalition GRANT PR GRAM

Pursue your educational and employment goals with the Women's Education Coalition Grant Program. Get connected with renewable grant assistance to increase your financial independence and move your career forward. The Women's Education Coalition is a collaborative of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.; the YWCA of Kalamazoo and the former Kalamazoo Network.

# WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Women residing in Kalamazoo, Barry, Calhoun, Allegan, St. Joseph or Van Buren County who have had a significant break in their education or are seeking additional education to improve their career and pay opportunities are eligible. Applicants should be able to demonstrate how post-high school education will assist in reaching goals of increased financial independence. Priority will be given to underemployed working mothers and those enrolling or enrolled in not-for-profit educational institutions.

### WHAT IS THE AWARD AMOUNT?

Awards are given based on the need of the grant recipient. Funding is renewable.

# WHAT EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES ARE COVERED?

The grant can be used to enroll in a professional development opportunity, trade, technology, vocational or certificate program, or an associate's, bachelor's, or master's degree program. The grant may be used by part-time or full-time students.

# HOW CAN THE GRANTS BE USED?

Funds can be used for tuition, fees, books, childcare, transportation, and other educational needs.



## APPLICATION DUE DATE: MAY 15

Learn more and apply at bit.ly/WomensEducationCoalition

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