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Dear Educator/Parent/Graduating Senior:

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Boston Alumnae Chapter is pleased to offer scholarships for the upcoming academic school year. This year, the chapter will award one scholarship to a male.

Eligible applicants must: (i) be a male of African descent; (ii) be graduating seniors of an accredited high school who lives in the Metropolitan Boston area; (iii) demonstrate a commitment to academic excellence (with a minimum GPA of 2.75); and (iv) have a demonstrated commitment to community service. The scholarship amount is \$1000; however, the amount of any scholarship may increase or decrease at the discretion of the chapter.

In order to apply for a Boston Alumnae Chapter Scholarship, the following materials must be submitted:

1. A completed and clearly printed or typed scholarship application;
2. A typed, double-spaced essay of no more than 500 words (see application for topic);
3. An official school transcript submitted in a sealed and signed envelope;
4. Two letters of recommendation addressing your academic achievement and community service involvement (one recommendation must be from a teacher or school official);
5. A recent head shot photo no larger than 2x2 (passport size preferred)
6. Letters confirming your community service. Letters must include dates and hours of participation, a statement of the service performed including the benefit gained by your service.

**Send your completed packet postmarked no later than May 4th to:**

**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.  
Boston Alumnae Chapter  
P.O. Box 51424  
Boston, MA 02205  
Attention: Scholarship Committee**

All materials submitted become the property of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Boston Alumnae Chapter and will not be returned. Students selected for the scholarships will be required to:

- Δ Provide proof of matriculation at a four-year institution for the academic year by October 1st
- Δ Deposit scholarship award check into your personal account within 60 days of issuance.

Please contact us at [bac.scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:bac.scholarship@gmail.com) with any questions.

Sincerely,

*Doreen Ward*

Doreen Ward  
Chair, Scholarship and Awards

# Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated Boston Alumnae Chapter



## Scholarship Application

### Personal Information:

First Name:

Last Name:

Date of Birth:

City/State of Birth:

Permanent Address:

City, State, Zip:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email Address:

Best time and way to contact you:

1. Parent/Legal Guardian – Name (First and Last)

2. Parent/Legal Guardian – Name (First and Last)

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### High School & College Information:

High School Name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Cumulative GPA:

Current GPA:

Current Class Rank:

College Information: List the names of the colleges/universities to which you have applied:

College Name:

College Name:

College Name:

College Name:

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College Name:

Which college/university do you plan to attend?

Potential Major (e.g., Liberal Arts, Business, Science, etc):

**Other Information:** List your extracurricular activities and positions held:

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| 1. | 2. | 3. |
| 4. | 5. | 6. |

List your community involvement (please indicate your role and/or level of participation and hours/years of service):

Activity:	Role:	Hours/Years:
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List your special interest/hobbies:

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Have you participated in any activities or program sponsored by Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated?      Yes          No   

Who has been the most influential person in your life? Explain why. *Essay must be 150 words or less.*

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**Scholarship Essay:** Please submit a typed and double-spaced 500 word essay on the following topic:  
*Identify a societal issue impacting your community and discuss your plan for addressing this issue in the future.*

# **Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated Boston Alumnae Chapter**

## **Scholarship Application Checklist**

*In order for your application to be considered, all materials must be **postmarked May 4th**.  
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