

**Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.**  
**PO Box 73 Δ Greenville, NC 27835**

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is a private, not-for-profit organization whose purpose is to provide assistance and support through established programs in local communities throughout the world. The Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter was established in 1965 and is dedicated to public service, scholarship, and educational excellence. **The Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. (GAC) will be awarding \$1000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors from Pitt County who exemplify excellence in community service and overall outstanding academic achievement.**

You must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

1. Be an African-American senior graduating from a Pitt County Schools high school and must attend (or) be accepted at an accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution in pursuit of a degree within one year of high school graduation.
2. Have a minimum cumulative GPA of **2.5** cumulative Grade Point Average on a 4.0 scale in order to qualify for a scholarship award.
3. Provide a copy of official transcript in a **sealed** envelope.
4. Submit an essay/personal statement that includes an overall synopsis of their leadership abilities, community service, career goals, aspirations and areas of interest. The statement must be **a maximum of two typewritten** pages double spaced, 12 point Times New Roman **or** Arial font, and each page set with 1 inch margins.
5. Submit two letters of recommendations. One each as indicated: **a.** School official or any person associated with a school program or activity **b.** Community leader, community activity sponsor, or church leader ((only 1 from section b) **Letters must be on official letterhead, typewritten, signed, and one placed in a sealed envelope.** Persons submitting references cannot be related to applicant by birth or marriage.
6. Submit a completed **TYPED** application. All Applicants are required to follow instructions carefully. **Incomplete or late applications WILL NOT be considered.**

Application and supporting materials must be **postmarked by April 23, 2022** to the following address:

Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter  
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 73  
Greenville, NC 27835

The final selection of scholarship recipients will be based upon cumulative grade point average, school/community involvement, recommendations, and an essay/personal statement. Recipients will be notified no later than **May 6, 2022**. All awards will be submitted directly to the college/university once proof of enrollment is received. Recipients will be expected to submit proof of enrollment in a college/university no later than **October 1, 2022**. If you have any questions regarding the application process, please email Patricia Clark at pmclark0429@gmail.com. Scholarship information is also available via our website [www.greenvillencalumnae.com](http://www.greenvillencalumnae.com). Thank you for your interest.

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P.O. Box 73 ▲ Greenville, NC 27835*

**2022 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**\*(Please TYPE)\***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) Zip Code)

Telephone Number: (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (c) \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's email address (es): \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

Community Service: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Intended College: \_\_\_\_\_

Formally Accepted: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major: \_\_\_\_\_

**Leadership/Community Service Profile:**

List any activities (i.e. clubs, church, organizations, sports) in which you have been involved and any leadership roles held. Please include the years of participation in activities and leadership roles. **You may attach a separate sheet if more space is needed.**

ORGANIZATION/ACTIVITY LEADERSHIP ROLE/OFFICE HELD DATES INVOLVED

\_\_\_\_\_

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**Special Honors or Recognition** (e.g., academic, church, community, sports) Please include any scholarship(s) awarded.

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**References – List two below**

A. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

B. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please have your references submit a **typed** letter of recommendation for you. Each letter of recommendation should be placed in a sealed envelope and returned to the applicant to be included in the application package. **A separate sheet with instructions for references is included.**

- In an academic setting, have you been subject to disciplinary sanctions, or are charges pending? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Have you ever been convicted\* of a felony? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Have you ever been convicted\* of a misdemeanor? ☐ Yes ☐ No

\* If the answer is “**yes**” in either of the above 2 \*questions, please provide details:

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**All information provided in this package is correct to the best of my knowledge.** If I receive a scholarship award, I hereby give permission to Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. – Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter to utilize my name, photo and scholarship award in any publicity/marketing materials.

*I hereby certify by signing this application that the above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.*

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.**

### AGREEMENT FOR DISBURSEMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian) acknowledge and understand that the scholarship awards received by the winners will only be disbursed in a lump sum payment payable to the university/college identified by the scholarship recipient  
(Student's \_\_\_\_\_ (Student's Name)).

Scholarship Awards must be claimed within one year from date of award, or they will be forfeited. No exceptions.

The Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. will ensure that funds are disbursed directly to the college/university upon receipt of the Enrollment Verification Form.  
(Department/address submitted by scholarship recipient.)

I recognize and accept these conditions for the disbursement of any scholarship award that my child may receive.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### ***INSTRUCTIONS TO BE GIVEN TO REFERENCES***

Please have your references submit a **typed** letter of recommendation for you. These letters should be addressed to Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter and include:

- ❖ **Name and address of reference**
- ❖ **Relationship to applicant**
- ❖ **How long reference has known applicant**
- ❖ **Information regarding why applicant should receive the scholarship award**

**The letter should be placed in a sealed envelope before returning to the applicant.**

Failure to supply all information listed above will result in applicant receiving a **lower score**.

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### **Essay/Personal Statement Criteria**

The essay is an important part of the selection process. Essay must be **typed**, double-spaced, 12 point Times New Roman **or** Arial font, 2 page maximum, one inch margin on all sides, **name typed in the upper right-hand corner of each page**. In reviewing the essays, the judges will consider the following criteria in selecting winners:

- Creativity
- Correct use of grammar and punctuation
- Originality and quality of ideas presented
- Overall appearance of the essay
- Use of research or reference materials to support your essay ideas may be included, **but not required**
- Inclusion of leadership information, community service, career goals, aspirations and areas of interest

**GREENVILLE (NC) ALUMNAE CHAPTER OF  
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.  
2022 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD CHECKLIST**

*This checklist is intended to be a friendly reminder. It does not override any instructions listed within the scholarship application. Please adhere to all detailed instructions contained within the application packet.*

***Take a few minutes to look over your application packet to ensure that you have included the following:***

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Typed application. Applicant's signature must be handwritten in cursive.**
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Essay/Personal Statement (maximum of 2 typewritten pages double spaced)  
Inclusion of leadership information, community service, career goals, aspirations and areas of interest are included.**
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Submit two letters of recommendations. One each as indicated: **a.** School official or any person associated with a school program or activity **b.** Community leader, community activity sponsor, or church leader (only 1 from section b) **Both letters must be on official letterhead, typewritten, signed and placed in a sealed envelope**; persons submitting references cannot be related to applicant by birth or marriage)**
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Copy of official transcript in a sealed envelope (minimum GPA of 2.5)**
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Leadership/Community Service Profile (List community service, leadership roles, and any special honors received.) Please include the years of participation in activities and leadership roles.  
Attach a separate sheet if more space is needed.**

Forward completed application to the following address:

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Be mindful your application packet will become the property of **Greenville (NC) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.** selection committee and will not be returned. Compile and send all application information in one envelope. **Letters of recommendations and transcripts should be provided to the student in a sealed envelope.**