

GENERAL INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR HIGH SCHOOL APPLICATION

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Houston Alumnae Chapter recognizes and honors students who are committed to academic excellence, positive leadership, and community service.

ELIGIBILITY

- Eligibility for the scholarship is limited to graduating high school seniors. To be considered for the scholarship:
 - Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5 or higher (as calculated on a 4.0 scale)
 - Plan to attend a two-year or four-year university/college or vocational post-secondary program as a full-time student in the Fall of 2022
 - Resident with a Houston, Texas address

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- The completed application must include all of the following:
 - Completed online application
 - Two (2) letters of recommendation.
 - One must be completed by a teacher or counselor at your school with their contact information
 - One must be completed by a community leader not affiliated with your school (Example: Pastor, Volunteer Organization, Employer/Supervisor, Girl/Boy Scout Leader, etc.)
 - Letters must be on letterhead, signed and include recommender's title
 - Letters from family members are NOT acceptable
 - Wallet-size Photo
 - Letter of acceptance from a college or university
 - Essay: 300-Minimum word essay which addresses the following:
 - Discuss the factors that influenced your decision to pursue a career in your desired major. Describe your career goals and how your college education will help you give back or serve your community.
 - Official Transcript (must include GPA, rank (if applicable), SAT/ACT scores (if applicable) and Registrars' Seal/Stamp/Signature
 - PLEASE NOTE: If your school is on a 5-point or 6-point GPA system, please have the Register include a document denoting the converted GPA.
 - Completed Photograph Release Form

APPLICATION DEADLINE

- The applicant must electronically submit a completed application with all required documents by 11:59 P.M. on Friday, March 4, 2022
- Residents with a Houston, Texas address
- Planned to enroll in an accredited college/university or vocational community college as a full-time student
- Collegiate GPA of at least 3.0
- Enrolled as a full-time student must have a least 12 hours remaining