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#### **2019 SCHOLARSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Portland Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. and Piedmont Rose Connection Inc. offers scholarships to deserving African-American female and male high school seniors from Oregon and southwest Washington. Applicants must plan to pursue higher education at a four-year institution leading to a degree in a profession or applied science. Applicants <u>must have an overall grade point</u> average of 3.00 or above.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is a public service organization composed of college educated women, founded in 1913 at Howard University in Washington, D.C. Its membership exceeds 200,000 women in over 900 chapters established throughout the United States and several countries. The activities of the organization focus on Educational Development, Economic Development, International Awareness and Involvement, Political Awareness and Involvement, Physical and Mental Health, along with Social Action and the Arts.

#### ALL APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. An official, unopened transcript with test scores (S.A.T. or A.C.T.).
- 2. Two recommendations from a teacher, counselor or school administrator.
- 3. A student essay stating why he/she seeks the scholarship.
- 4. Current head shot photo (professional senior photo size 4x5, 4x6 or 5x7 preferred).

Letters of recommendation should indicate courses taken, achievement in the area of interest, the student's leadership qualities, awards, perseverance, extracurricular and community activities. The scholarship committee will base its selection on evaluation of the transcript, test scores, letters of recommendation, student essay and completeness of the application.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MONDAY, MARCH 11, 2019.

APPLICATIONS POSTED AFTER MARCH 11, 2019 WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Send All Materials To: Scholarship Committee Portland Alumnae Chapter Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. P.O. Box 4265 Portland, OR 97208-4265

Scholarship honorees will be announced in April 2019. **Scholarship winners MUST attend the Women of Excellence event on Saturday, May 18, 2019, where their scholarship will be announced**.

**PLEASE NOTE**: YOU MUST PLAN TO ATTEND A FOUR YEAR COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY AS A FULL-TIME STUDENT IN THE FALL AND PROVIDE PROOF OF ENROLLMENT FROM THE REGISTRAR'S OFFICE TO RECEIVE THIS AWARD. *Questions, please contact: Karis Stoudamire-Phillips at 503.819.8291 or karis@stoudamire.com* 

## **DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.**

A PUBLIC SERVICE ORGANIZATION PORTLAND ALUMNAE CHAPTER

# **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

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Application Deadline: Postmarked no later than Monday, March 11, 2019.

Personal Data:	
Full Name:	
Address:	
	Email Address:
Home Telephone:	Mobile Phone:
Parents/Guardians Name (Please list all):	
Place of Employment:	
Educational Data:	
High School(s) attended/attending:	
Number of HS Units earned to date:	
Number of Units being earned this grading period:	
Your field of study in college (please describe):	
College/University you plan to attend:	
Educational and/or Career Goals:	

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Activities:
School Activities:
Leadership/Offices Held:
Honors/Awards/Special Recognition:
Community Service Activities:

Please feel free to add additional pages if needed.

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## **Student Essay:**

Please state why you are requesting this scholarship. Include any information that the Scholarship Committee should consider. PLEASE TYPE YOUR ESSAY. IT MUST BE AT LEAST 300 WORDS AND NO MORE THAN 500 WORDS.