

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.
ERIE ALUMNAE CHAPTER

**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ACADEMIC
EXCELLENCE, THE COMMUNITY SERVICE OR ARTS
AND LETTERS SCHOLARSHIPS**

1. Type or use black ballpoint pen to complete application.
2. Applicant must be an African American high school senior graduating in 2023 and have applied for admission in the 2022-2023 school year at a four (4) year college or university of his/her choice.
3. An official sealed copy of your high school transcript must be attached to the application with your current G.P.A.
4. Two letters of reference are required. The letters should be included with the application in sealed envelopes.
5. Parts I through VI must be completed. Omission of any part will eliminate the application from consideration.
6. Part V, which is the Essay, must be completed or your application will be disqualified. The Scholarship checks are mailed to the student at the end of August once students are in school and we have received their college schedule.
7. A camera-ready photograph is required.
8. Mail application, official transcript, essay, and references to:
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
P.O. Box 11301
Erie, PA 16514
Attention: Scholarship Committee

Deadline for submitting application: May 6, 2023 Note: Potential scholarship candidates may be asked to participate in an interview process. Applicants will be contacted regarding the status of his/her application.

Please check which scholarship that you are applying for

Academic Excellence _____

Community Service _____

Arts and Letters (Collegiate Academy Students) _____

PART I - PERSONAL DATA

Name _____
Last First MI

Permanent Address _____
Number Street

City State Zip Code Phone Number

E-Mail Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Male _____ Female

Parent/Guardian _____

Address _____
Number Street City State Zip Code

PART II - EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School: _____ Location: _____ Dates attended: _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average _____

Rank in Class _____ Class Size _____ Honor Subjects _____

List the Institutions of Higher Education Applied To:

Name	Accepted Yes/No

**PART III - HONORS, SPECIAL TALENTS, AND EXTRACURRICULAR
ACTIVITIES**

Honors and Awards _____

Organizational Memberships _____

Special Talents _____

Extracurricular School and Community Activities _____

Community Service _____

PART IV - PROPOSED EDUCATIONAL PLAN

State the major goals and educational objectives you see as necessary for the fulfillment of your future: (If you require additional space, please use a separate sheet of paper)

PART V - ESSAY

Please check the one (1) scholarship which you are applying for.

Complete an Essay (300 words or more, typed) on the scholarship that you are applying for:

----- Dr. Estelle King Academic Excellence Scholarship
"Why is it important to strive for excellence in education"?

----- Marcia F. Fudge Community Service Scholarship
1. "What is the importance of Community Service?" (essay)
2. On a separate sheet of paper, list the Community Service that you have done or are currently doing and how long you have been doing the service. Provide the following information.

Separate Sheet for Community Service

<u>Name of</u>			
<u>Community Service location</u>	<u>Time Period</u>	<u>Activities</u>	

----- Carla B. Hughes Arts and Letters Scholarship
"Why are the Arts and Letters important? (Dance, Music, Theater, Art)"

PART VI - PERSONAL REFERENCES

You are required to provide two references with your application. One of the references must be from a teacher or guidance counselor. The second should be a character reference from any adult (excluding relatives) of your choice. If you are writing an essay for Community Service, the second letter must be a reference page-letter from your present volunteer organization. Please ask the person writing the references to return it to you in a sealed envelope.

Academic _____

Community Service _____

Arts and Letters _____

I certify that the information contained in this application is true. Furthermore, if chosen to receive the above-described award, I authorize the Scholarship committee to publicize my selection.

Signature of Applicant Date

I agree that to receive the Scholarship, I must be enrolled in a four (4) year University.

Signature of Applicant Date