



**DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. - A PUBLIC SERVICE ORGANIZATION**

Portland Alumnae Chapter & Piedmont Rose Connection, Inc.

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**2023 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 must have an overall grade point 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 transcript.
2. Two total recommendations from a teacher, counselor or school administrator.
3. A student essay sharing what the student is most proud of that has been accomplished during their high school years.
4. A personal statement not to exceed 300 words. This is an opportunity for the student to share why they are requesting the scholarship.
5. 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, letters of recommendation, student essay and completeness of the application.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2023.**

**APPLICATIONS POSTED AFTER APRIL 18, 2023 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 and all applicants will be notified of their status in May 2023.

**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 708320 pacpdxscholarships@gmail.com

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**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

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**Application Deadline: Postmarked no later than Tuesday, April 18, 2023.**

**Personal Data:**

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

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

City, State, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardians Name (Please list all):

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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 (Please feel free to include added pages.):**

School Activities:

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Leadership/Offices Held:

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Honors/Awards/Special Recognition:

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Community Service Activities:

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Please feel free to add additional pages if needed.

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**Student Essay:**

Please share what are you are most proud of that you have accomplished during your high school years.

**PLEASE TYPE YOUR ESSAY. IT MUST BE AT LEAST 300 WORDS AND NO MORE THAN 500 WORDS.**

**Personal Statement:**

This is your opportunity to share why you are requesting this scholarship.

**PLEASE TYPE YOUR STATEMENT. IT MUST BE NO MORE THAN 300 WORDS.**