



# *Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.*

February 1, 2020

Dear Student:

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. has established a scholarship fund for African American female high school seniors who wish to enroll in a four-year degree program, on a full-time basis, at an accredited college. In order to qualify for this scholarship, you must live in Shawnee or Douglas County, attend a Public School (USD 501, USD 437, USD 450, USD 345 and USD 497) or parochial school. You must also be graduating this spring with a 3.0 GPA or better and must demonstrate community service. Community service may include civic, church or related activities.

Enclosed, please find our scholarship application form. Application instructions are as follows:

Instructions:

1. Your completed application must be typewritten or printed legibly.
2. Your application must include **three (3) letters of reference** from individuals familiar with your academic, community service and personal background.
3. **Your completed application packet must include those three letters of reference, current transcript and financial statement and must be RECEIVED BY OUR OFFICE BY FRIDAY April 3, 2020.**
4. **Mail to:**  
**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc.**  
**Topeka Alumnae Chapter**  
**P.O. Box 4917**  
**Topeka, Kansas 66604**

\*Please note that incomplete or late applications will render you ineligible for consideration for this scholarship. A Scholarship Committee, composed of representatives of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. will review each application. A final determination will be made by **April 10, 2020**. The scholarship recipient(s) will be announced at the sorority's annual Mary E. Farr Scholarship Event (Salad Luncheon/Fashion Show/Silent Auction) which will be held on **Saturday**, May 2, 2020 at **Grace Cathedral**. If you have any questions about the scholarship or application requirements, feel free to call me at (785) 220-6220 or you may e-mail me at sluggermom55@gmail.com.

Sincerely,  
Valerie Patterson  
Scholarship Committee, Chairperson

Tami E. Farr Smith  
President