

**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.  
San Fernando Valley Alumnae Chapter  
Scholarship Program**

**Scholarship Application 2019**

This application is formatted to be completed electronically. Please print the application and mail to use at the address indicated inside the packet.

## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION 2019

### DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. SCHOLARSHIP

**Offered by:** Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. - San Fernando Valley Alumnae Chapter (SFVA)

**Contact:** Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. – SFVA Scholarship  
Committee c/o Gail Hardy, Committee Chairperson  
P.O. BOX 3731  
Granada Hills, CA. 91394

**Scholarship Amount:** \$1000

#### **Organization Information**

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is an organization founded at Howard University, Washington, D.C. in 1913 by a group of college women pledged to serious endeavor and community service. Today the organization is a public service sorority emphasizing scholarship, character, and community, national, and international service. This scholarship is offered to provide some financial assistance and motivation to students in their higher educational endeavors.

#### **Eligibility Factors and Limitations**

1. Applicants must be African American.
2. Applicants must be a graduating high school senior.
3. Applicants must be attending a high school in the San Fernando Valley or Santa Clarita areas.
4. Applicants must have an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

#### **Basis of Selection**

The following criteria will be taken into consideration in making the awards:

- (a) Academic achievement
- (b) Extra-curricular activities.
- (c) Community service and leadership.
- (d) An essay describing educational plans, future goals and areas of interest.
- (e) Letters of recommendations.
- (f) Applicants will be selected based partially on their ability to complete this application in its entirety.

### **Application Packet**

All contents of the application packet must be submitted by mail. All documents in your application packet become the property of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. - San Fernando Valley Alumnae chapter and will not be returned to you.

**ALL** documents must be submitted in a single packet and **postmarked by April 15, 2019.**

### **Documents to Submit**

1. Completed and signed application form (applicant's and parent's signatures required)
2. Official transcript

**Note:** Transcripts are not official if they are not received sealed by your school's records office.

3. Three letters of recommendation: (1) One for Community Service; (2) Two for School- or Church-related activities.
4. Essay (see page 6)
5. A recent picture of yourself.

**Each winner will be required to submit a college/university acceptance letter in order to receive award.**

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**Application Information**

<b>Last Name (print clearly)</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Middle name or initial</b>

<b>Street Address</b>

<b>City</b>	<b>Zip Code</b>	<b>Telephone Number (include area code)</b>

<b>Age</b>	<b>Date of Birth</b>

<b>Current High School</b>

<b>Graduation Date (month/year)</b>

**Parent Information**

	Father/Guardian	Mother/Guardian
Full Name		
Address		
Employer		
Occupation		

**List All Other Children in Family**

Name	Age	School

**Activities:** List your extra-curricular school and community activities. (Example: student government, athletics, Gems, orchestra, band, clubs, church participation, and offices held, awards, etc.) Attach an additional sheet if necessary.

Extra-Curricular Activities	Dates (from – to)	Participation, Office held, Honors

Community Services	Dates (from – to)	Participation, Office held, Honors

Awards/Recognition	Date Received	Sponsoring Organization

Work Experience Position	Dates (from – to)	Description of tasks/duties

Name and location of the college/university you plan to attend.

**Education/Future Plans:** On a separate sheet of paper, write a brief essay of your educational plans, future goals, and areas of interest. Your essay should be a minimum of one and half pages and no more than two pages in length. The essay must be typed and double-spaced.

**Applicant's Name (print)**

**Parent's Name (print)**

**Applicant's Signature**

**Parent's Signature**

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**Mail Completed Application Packet to:**

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc – SFVA  
Scholarship Committee  
c/o Gail Hardy, Committee Chairperson  
P.O. Box 3731  
Granada Hills, CA 91394

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