BERTHA PITTS CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. A PUBLIC SERVICE SORORITY

SEATTLE ALUMNAE CHAPTER

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Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Seattle Alumnae Chapter Bertha Pitts Campbell Scholarship Information 2015-2016

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is an international public service organization composed of collegeeducated women predominantly of African-American descent. The membership of the sorority includes collegiate chapters located on university and college campuses, as well as citywide and graduate/alumnae chapters. The sorority is committed to public service projects in the African-American community.

The Seattle Alumnae Chapter will award **Three (3) \$2000 scholarships** to women graduating from high school and pursuing higher education in recognition of one of twenty-two of the sorority's founders, the late Bertha Pitts Campbell. She exemplified outstanding leadership, academic excellence and community service in her lifetime and spent the remaining years of her life in Seattle.

ELIGIBILITY FOR THE BERTHA PITTS CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIP

To be eligible for a Bertha Pitts Campbell Scholarship, applicants must:

- □ Be an African-American female
- □ Be a citizen of the United States
- □ Be a graduating high school senior
- □ Have a 2.5 cumulative grade point average or above
- □ Attend a college, university, and/or accredited technical/trade school in the year following their high school graduation
- □ Recipient may not be a child or grandchild of a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc
- Demonstrate community service involvement
- □ Express a financial need
- Complete application and submit all required information as one package by the application deadline of Monday, April 18, 2016
- □ <u>Note:</u> All winners will be required to submit a photo, signed media release and brief biography within 48 hours of notification.

Failure to complete <u>ALL</u> requirements of the application process will result in your disqualification for consideration.

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APPLICATION PROCEDURES FOR THE BERTHA PITTS CAMPBELL SCHOLARSHIP

Please note that the scholarship application includes several forms. All of the forms must be completed and submitted as one packet to be considered for the Bertha Pitts Campbell Scholarship. Incomplete applications and applications that are not **postmarked** by **Monday**, **April 18**, **2016** will not be considered for an award.

- 1. Complete the attached application. Please note that your completed application **MUST** include:
 - □ Scholarship Application Form
 - □ Official high school transcript
 - □ Financial Information
 - □ One Letter of Recommendation on letterhead from a member of your high school leadership team, which may include the principal, teacher, counselor, and/or coach.
 - □ One Letter of Recommendation on letterhead from a community leader who is not a family member, which may include minister, coach, and/or mentor.
 - □ Essay (500 words or less) describing your future career goals and how this award will assist you in achieving your goals.

Requests for an electronic version of the scholarship application will be taken at the following email address: <u>info@seattledeltas.org</u>

2. Submit the entire application package by the deadline (postmarked BY APRIL 18, 2016) to:

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc Seattle Alumnae Chapter Attn: Scholarship Committee P. O. Box 28046 Seattle, WA 98118

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INSTRUCTIONS: Please read the entire application carefully before completing. Please type or use blue or black ink.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name:	First Name:	
Middle Name:	Date of Birth:	
Street Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Telephone/Cell Number: ()	Email:	
Current School:		
We would like to use awardees photos f do we have permission to use your phot		If you are awarded a scholarship,
How did you learn about this award?		
PLEASE TELL US ABOUT YOU Please list the names of colleges, univers		
Name of Institution:	City a	and State:
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Name of Institution: _____ City and State: _____

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Name: _____

In the space provided, please list your current school activities, athletics, hobbies and community service.

Name of Activity and/or Organization	Years of Participation	Hours per week/ weeks per year	Leadership positions held And/or notes

Please select one activity from this list above and describe why it is meaningful to you or how you think it will help you advance your goals.

Please list any awards and honors you have received in the past four years.

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Name: ____

ESSAY INSTRUCTIONS: (In 500 words or less) Please describe your future career goals and how this award will assist you in achieving your goals. (Use the space provided and/or attach a separate sheet of paper to the application).

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Name: _

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: Please be as thorough as possible when completing this portion of the application. All information is confidential.

1. Please tell us about your parent(s)/guardian(s). If you need more space for this item, please use the back of this page.

Parent/Guardian Name	Occupation	Annual Salary (after taxes)

2. Please list siblings or other minors in your household.

Name	Age	School

3. Is your parent(s)/guardian(s) able to assist you financially during your freshman year?

□ No □ Yes If Yes, how much support will be provided? _____

4. Please list all financial assistance/scholarships applied for or received to date. If you need more space please use the back of this page.

Source	Amount Sought	Received (Yes or Pending)?

5. What is your projected Budget for Freshman Year?

Available Funds	Estimated Expenses
Grants	_ Tuition
Scholarships	_ Fees
Loans	_ Room and Board
Parent(s)/Guardian(s)	Books and Supplies
Summer earnings	_ Transportation
Other (describe)	_ Other (describe)
Total	Total

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I	have completed this application accurately and to the best of my ability.
Applicant Signature:	Date:
All financial information is cur	rent, complete and accurate.

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature: Date:
