



***The East Pocono Alumnae Chapter of  
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.***

**P. O. Box 156, East Stroudsburg, PA 18301**

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**www.eastpoconoalumnae-dst.org**

Dear Applicant:

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is an organization of predominantly African-American, college-educated women, dedicated to public service. For over 100 years we have been at the forefront of promoting programs and projects in local communities throughout the world that provide support in the areas of Economic Development, Educational Development, International Awareness and Involvement, Physical and Mental Health Awareness and Involvement, and Political Awareness and Involvement.

The East Pocono Alumnae Chapter, which was chartered in East Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania in 2013, is seeking to further the organization's goals through the implementation of programs that reflect the mission of our sorority. One of our primary goals, in the realm of educational development, is to encourage and support the pursuit of academic achievement and excellence. Towards that end, we have established a supplementary scholarship fund to provide awards to young Black students pursuing a college education. Each recipient will receive an award of up to \$1000.00 (one thousand dollars). Scholarships will be issued once proof of enrollment such as a current tuition bill or college schedule is received and verified. In the event a recipient declines the scholarship award, it will be offered to the next eligible recipient.

We are looking for students who are matriculating towards a baccalaureate degree in the Fall of 2024 at a four year accredited college or university.

Requirements for applicants are as follows:

- Must be a Black high school senior or undergraduate college student.
- Must have a 3.0 cumulative grade point average.
- Must be a resident of the East Pocono service area (Monroe County and Pike County).
- Must submit a completed application, including a typed, double-spaced personal Statement not more than 250 words **by March 22, 2024**
- Must submit an official high school transcript and college acceptance letter (incoming freshmen only).
- If you are already attending college (freshman, sophomore, junior), submit an official college transcript and applicants current tuition and fees bill.
- Must submit a photo (headshot).
- All applicants must sign the application.
- All applicants must complete a personal interview.
- Incomplete applications will not be reviewed.
- **Interviews will be held on April 27th, 2024**

**Completed applications are due by March 22, 2024 and should be either mailed or emailed, or uploaded to our website.**

**Mail: Chair- Scholarship Committee  
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**If you have questions, please contact me at [eastpoconoalumnae@gmail.com](mailto:eastpoconoalumnae@gmail.com).**

Sincerely,  
Samantha Thomas  
Chair Scholarship Committee



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***2024 Scholarship Application\****

***\* This scholarship is awarded to Black students.***

**Please type and complete this application in its entirety.**

**I. Personal**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City County Zip

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Do you identify as Black? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

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**II. School & Community Activities**

Organizations	Dates Active	Office(s) Held

Honors/Awards received while attending high school/college  
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**II. Employment Information (if applicable)**

Present Employer

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Employer's Address

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Type of Work

\_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Employment From \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

To \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**IV. College Information**

College: \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated Major: \_\_\_\_\_

**V. Personal Statement**

In 250 words respond to this question: **As a young person in today's society, how has your participation in community service and your pursuit for higher education influenced your career goals?** Response must be typed and double spaced – use additional paper if necessary.

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Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_  
(if under 18)

Date \_\_\_\_\_



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**Application Checklist**

I have included the following: *(please check each that apply)*

- Completed Application
- High School Seniors: Official Transcript and College Acceptance Letter
- College Student: Official College Transcript and Copy of Current Semester Tuition and Fees
- Personal Statement
- Photo (headshot only)
- Signature on Application

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