

January 23, 2012

To: Scholarship Applicant  
From: Gamma Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority,  
Scholarship Committee  
Re: Submitting Completed Scholarship Packets

Please mail your completed scholarship application packet by March 5, 2012. **If the packet is received after March 5, 2012, the post marked date must read 'March 5, 2012'.**

Dr. Beth C. Smith, Scholarship Chairman  
P.O. Box 7393  
Portsmouth, Virginia 23707

Thank you for completing this scholarship application. You are encouraged to submit an application for all other possible outside scholarship opportunities.

## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

In order to be considered for a one time \$1,000.00 scholarship award, an African American high school female senior must meet **all** of the criteria AND submit an application. Scholarship opportunities are available for qualifying applicants who exhibit academic promise and meet the stipulated criteria required for each scholarship. **You must submit an application** to be considered for a scholarship. Recipients will be officially notified by mail in May 2012 and awards will be announced at your senior awards ceremony or graduation. **Completed application packets must be mailed to:** Dr. Beth C. Smith, Scholarship Chairman, P. O. Box 7393, Portsmouth, Virginia 23707 **by March 5, 2012. If the packet is received after March 5, the post marked date must read 'March 5, 2012'.**

### Gamma Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Scholarship Criteria

The application begins on the next page.

The applicant must:

1. Have a grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or above on a four (4) point scale.
2. Have a minimum score of 1100 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or a score of 17 on the American College Test (ACT).
3. Submit a copy of a letter of acceptance from a college or university.
4. Submit a completed application on or before the stipulated deadline.
5. Submit three (3) letters of recommendation for character references.

### Twenty Pearls Scholarship for High School Seniors

(Another Possible Scholarship Opportunity)

Information regarding this criteria and application process can be found on line at <http://tpi.gdo-aka.org/scholarship.html>

**NOTE: We encourage all applicants who meet the scholarship criteria above to submit an application for all other outside possible scholarship opportunities.**



\*List your involvement in Community and Church activities

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\*List your Honors and Awards received

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\*Vocational/Career Interest \_\_\_\_\_

\*List the name and address of the college/university you plan to attend. You must submit a "photocopy" of the letter of acceptance from the college/university.

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\*Scholarship/Financial Aid received to date

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\*Attach three letters of recommendation to the application.

\*Please state the reasons you wish to apply for this scholarship and "financial need" below (attach a separate paper if needed).

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Applicant's Signature