Dear Applicant:

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Gamma Alpha Rho Zeta Chapter is seeking college bound, serious minded graduating high school seniors for *The Bertha E. Johnson Scholarship* award. This scholarship is awarded annually.

The purpose of the $1,000 scholarship is to assist graduating high school seniors in obtaining a college education and to promote Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc scholarship principles. This scholarship targets under-represented minority students (African-Americans, Latinos, and Native Americans) who are currently high school seniors, residing in New Castle County, Delaware. It is particularly aimed at African-American females.

**CRITERIA:**

To receive consideration, applicants must:

* Be a graduating high school senior, living or attending H.S. school in Southern New Castle County (New Castle County below the C & D Canal)
* Accepted at a college or university granting a four-year degree
* Minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
* Demonstrates examples of community service
* Demonstrates how they will benefit from receiving this award.
* The recipient must provide proof of acceptance and enrollment before funds will be dispensed.

Accompanying this letter is the scholarship application. All applications and supporting documents must be postmarked by **January 30, 2024** and mailed to the following address:

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Gamma Alpha Rho Zeta

c/o Scholarship Programs

P.O. Box 138

Odessa, Delaware 19730

Please contact me at GAPZsecondvp@gmail.com if you have questions.

Sincerely,

Malika Warner

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2nd Vice President Gamma Alpha Rho Zeta

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### Gamma Alpha Rho Zeta Scholarship Application

# Personal Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Home/Cell Telephone #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Parent/Guardian #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Education

# High School \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Awards and Honors \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Name and State of College you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Accepted at that College? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_ If yes, date to start college \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Prospective College Major \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you related to a member of this organization? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

If yes, who? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Chapter\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Essay:** What are your career goals and what characteristics do you possess that will make you successful in this endeavor? (Please attach typed written sheet, 500 words or less)

Please include

* 2 letters of recommendation. At least one from a teacher, the other may be from an instructor, employer, guidance counselor, religious leader, or community leader
* Applicant’s most recent official transcript - with a minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale

Mail to:

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Gamma Alpha Rho Zeta

c/o Scholarship Programs Committee

## P.O. Box 138

## Odessa, Delaware 19730

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