

**DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC  
SUBURBAN HOUSTON-FORT BEND ALUMNAE CHAPTER**

**Guidelines for 2016-2017 Scholarship**

- Scholarship Standards (**Fort Bend ISD Seniors**) – You must attend a College, University or Technical School as a **Full-Time** student. **The choice of school and location is yours to decide.**
- Applications are due by **Thursday, October 15, 2015**. As long as the postmark date is on or before the due date then the application will be accepted. An essay is required and should be included with your application on this date. Incomplete, un-typed or late applications will **not** be accepted. **This application is PDF fillable. Please type on the application and then print it out.**

Mail Application to:  
**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc**  
**Suburban Houston-Fort Bend Alumnae Chapter**  
**Attention: Scholarship and Awards Committee**  
**P.O. Box 2066**  
**Missouri City, TX 77459**

- Two **(2)** letters of recommendation are required and due by **Thursday, October 15, 2015**. **One from a Counselor/Principal/Teacher and one from another source (example: Athletic Coach, Pastor and Employer).** **All letters must be on official school/organization letterhead, with a contact number and signed.** Please ensure that all letters of recommendation are submitted in a sealed envelope. **Mail to address above.**
- An **Official** Transcript (reflecting fall grades) is due by **Friday, March 4, 2016**. The minimum GPA is **2.5** on a **4.0** scale. Therefore, if your school uses a weighted or different scale, please have your school convert it to the 4.0 scale. **Mail to address above.**
- The chapter will conduct two (2) Workshops for the benefit of the applicants. The workshops are the enrichment component of the program. Students will gain invaluable information regarding college admission, financial aid, interviewing skills, life skills, and college survival skills. The workshops are **MANDATORY** for senior students and at least one parent or guardian. Workshop I will be held on **Saturday, November 7, 2015** from **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at HCC-Stafford. Workshop II will be held on **Saturday, February 6, 2016** from **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at HCC-Stafford. **Both workshops** must be attended in order to be granted an interview. **Please note: Only school related function(s) will be excused.**
- Scholarship & Awards Committee will then conduct personal interviews to qualified candidates on **April 2, 2016 and April 3, 2016** by invitation. Location: to be determined. The committee will announce the awards and will salute the students and a parent at our annual awards May Luncheon sometime in May 7, 2016.

**If you have any questions regarding the scholarship guidelines, please contact Evelyn Dean at [deltadeanep@gmail.com](mailto:deltadeanep@gmail.com).**