



PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY DELTA ALUMNAE FOUNDATION, INC.

in association with

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY ALUMNAE CHAPTER
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.

FALL 2011 CONTINUING STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



Application Deadline: Friday, January 7, 2011

*** Must be postmarked by 1/7/2011**

For more information contact:
Chair, Scholarship Committee
scholarship@pgcacadst.org
301-736-3250
www.pgcacadst.org



CONTINUING APPLICATION PROCEDURES 2011

All Scholarship Applicants must:

- **Be a resident of Prince George's County, Maryland**
- Have been a previous Prince George's County Alumnae Chapter (PGCAC), Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. scholarship recipient.
- Be attending an accredited institution of higher learning (4-year institution, except Prince George's Community College ~~(PGCC)~~ Continuing scholarship. (PGCC).
- **Must submit an official transcript.** The transcript must cite the cumulative grade point average and must be signed by a school official with the official school seal in a sealed envelope.
- Provide an explanation of school's grading system.
- Submit (1) one current (**2010/2011**) signed letter of recommendation from non- school related **community service or job** related (volunteer or work related) activity that you participated in on the organization's letterhead.
- Submit (1) one current (**2010/2011**) signed letter of recommendation from the **school** (i.e. teacher, counselor etc.) currently being attended on official school letterhead.
 - *Persons writing recommendations should specify relationship or capacity in which they know or have observed the applicant. **Unsigned letters will not be accepted, therefore the application package will be deemed incomplete.***
- Submit a typed essay detailing future goals. (One page - maximum).
- Enclose a recent portrait size (5x7) color photograph (no proofs or personality photos). **Please print your name on the back of photo.**
- **Check all applicable scholarships if applying for more than one and provide all supporting documentation.**
- **Application must be signed by the student and parent/guardian.**

Submit application (in its original format) along with attachments, official transcript, photo, and recommendations to:

PGCDAF
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 2178
Bowie, MD 20718-2178

APPLICATION DEADLINE: All materials must be postmarked by **Friday, January 7, 2011**. You may be contacted for a personal interview. All information on this form is considered confidential. All materials (including photo) become the property of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Prince George's County Alumnae Chapter.

****If any items are omitted, applications will be deemed incomplete and will not be considered****

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY ALUMNAE CHAPTER (PGCAC) SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Name _____

How did you find out about the scholarship application? _____

CHECK PREVIOUS PGCAC SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED:

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP _____

MERIT NEED SCHOLARSHIP _____

YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP _____

IMPROVED PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIP _____

PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP _____

ETHEL ROGERS GRUNDY _____

CAROLYN B. CASHWELL TEACHER'S SCHOLARSHIP _____

SINGLE MOM SCHOLARSHIP _____

All previous PGCAC Scholarship Recipients are eligible to apply for the following scholarships. Please place a check next to each scholarship you are applying to:

CONTINUING MERIT SCHOLARSHIP _____

- Must have a 3.0 or better grade point average
- Must have previously received a PGCAC Scholarship
- Must be attending a four- (4) year institution of higher learning
- Must be an undergraduate student

CONTINUING MERIT NEED SCHOLARSHIP _____

- Must have a 3.0 or better grade point average
- Must have previously received a PGCAC Scholarship
- Must be attending a four- (4) year institution of higher learning
- Must be an undergraduate student
- **Must demonstrate financial need by completing Part V**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE (PGCC) CONTINUING SCHOLARSHIP _____

- Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA or above
- Must have previously received a PGCC Scholarship
- A male or female that has completed one semester at PGCC
- Full time student enrolled for a minimum of 12 credit hours

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP _____

PART I – APPLICANT INFORMATION:

NAME _____
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

HOME TELEPHONE #: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

COLLEGE CURRENTLY ATTENDING: _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA): _____

PART II – SCHOOL/WORK/COMMUNITY SERVICE:

On the sheet provided, list all awards, community service, school, and work-related activities participated in during Freshman, Sophomore and Junior years on sheet provided. Please specify each year of participation, positions or offices held, and any awards received.

PART III – COLLEGE INFORMATION:

Itemize your estimated college expenses for one (1) full academic year.

COLLEGE PLANNING TO ATTEND IN FALL 2011 _____

INTENDED MAJOR/CAREER INTEREST _____

TUITION \$ _____ OTHER (specify) \$ _____

BOOKS \$ _____ TOTAL \$ _____

PART IV – ESSAY:

Write an essay detailing your future goals, not more than one (1) page (MUST be typed).

PART V - INCOME (MERIT NEED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS ONLY):

Please answer the following questions pertaining to your household and income of your parent(s), legal guardian(s), and household members (Federal Government Poverty Guidelines will be used):

1. Household size (including yourself, your parents (or guardians) and other dependent children _____
2. Of the above number, how many are attending college full-time? _____ Part-time? _____
3. Total household taxable income filed in 2009? \$ _____
4. Source of annual income (including yourself, your parents (or guardians) and other dependent children:

Father: _____ Mother: _____ Legal Guardian: _____ other income: (Specify) _____

NOTE: Verification of income information must be submitted. Non-taxable income must be noted and official documentation included.

PART VI (Application must be signed by the student and parent/guardian) – SIGNATURES:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that all statements made herein, and on any attachments, are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Print Name _____ SIGNATURE _____
STUDENT/DATE

Print Name _____ SIGNATURE _____
PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN/DATE

Print Name _____ SIGNATURE _____
PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN/DATE



APPLICANT CHECKLIST

CONTINUING SCHOLARSHIPS 2011



- All questions answered completely
- Typed essay detailing goals [one (1) page– maximum]
- Original portrait photo enclosed: 5x7/print name on back of photo
(no proofs or personality photos)
- Official sealed transcript
- List all awards, community service, school, and work-related activities participated in during Freshman, Sophomore and Junior years on sheet provided (required format)
- Income verification **Merit Need Scholarship applicants only**. (i.e., current W-2 forms, tax returns, pay stubs, etc.). All non-taxable income must be listed and official documentation provided (i.e. Proof of income Letter, Proof of Award letter or a Benefits letter)
- School recommendation current letter (2010/2011) – **MUST BE SIGNED AND TYPED** and on organization’s letterhead
- Community recommendation current letter (2010/2011) – **MUST BE SIGNED AND TYPED** and on official letterhead
- Application must be postmarked by **January 7, 2011**
- If applying for more than one scholarship, check all applicable scholarships and include all supporting documentation
- Application must signed by student and parent/guardian

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Name _____

**PGCAC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
SCHOOL/WORK/COMMUNITY**

(Required format)

Print additional forms if needed

Category	Year of Participation			Position/ Office Held/Year
	Place X under year of participation			
College Activities	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	
Work	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Position/ Office Held/Year
Community/Church Service Activities	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Position/ Office Held/Year
List AWARDS received	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Organization/Year