



Pittsburgh Alumnae Chapter  
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.

The Pathway to Promise Scholarship

This scholarship is specifically for graduating High School students of incarcerated parents (past or present). Eligible students must be enrolling in a degree program at a college/university or a community college.

**PART I – PERSONAL DATA**

Applicant Name	Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Date of Birth
Address				
	Street Address	City	State	Zip
Contact Info.	Cell Phone Number E-Mail	Address		
Parent Name	Last Name	First Name		
Parent Address				
	Street Address	City	State	Zip
Contact Info.	Cell Phone Number	E-Mail Address		

**PART II – EDUCATIONAL DATA**

**NOTE:** In order for this application to be considered and processed, an official transcript is **REQUIRED.**

Name of High School		Cumulative GPA
Name of Intended College/University or Community College		Intended Major

**PART III – LETTER OF REFERENCE**

Please provide one (1) *Letter of Support* from either an Academic Counselor, former or current Teacher, or Community or Church Leader that supports your Academic Standing, Special Talents or Community or Volunteerism OR a representative at the Amachi.

The *Letter of Support* must be included with this application and addressed to:  
Scholarship Committee of the Pittsburgh Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated. The writer of the letter must sign their name and title.

## PART V – ESSAY QUESTION

**(Essay must NOT exceed 500 words)**

(Attach your essay separately and submit it with this application. The essay should be typed and double spaced.)

**Choose ONE**

Share your thoughts on the importance of education and how pursuing higher education will help you achieve your life goals.

OR

Write about a time when you stepped out of your comfort zone to achieve something important to you. What did you learn from this experience?

OR

Describe a person who has significantly influenced your life, explaining how they have shaped your values, goals, and outlook on life.

Applicants will need to submit the following: Application, Essay, Letter of Support, and a copy of their most recent transcript to be considered for this scholarship. Awardees will need to provide proof of Enrollment before the scholarship funds are distributed. Awardees will be notified via E-Mail and the USPS.

Scholarship recipients' attendance at the award presentation reception is **STRONGLY** encouraged.

By signing below, I agree to the requirements of this Scholarship Application and  
I declare that the foregoing information is accurate and complete.  
I understand that falsification of information will result in my disqualification from consideration.

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

This application and attachments should be sent via E-Mail to [Scholarships@dstpgalumnae.org](mailto:Scholarships@dstpgalumnae.org) **OR**  
via the US Postal System and postmarked by April 30, 2025:

**Pittsburgh Alumnae Chapter  
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.  
Attention: Scholarship Committee P.O.  
Box 99383  
Pittsburgh, PA 15233**

**Application Deadline: April 30, 2025**

If you have additional questions, please contact  
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated  
Scholarship Committee via E-Mail at:  
[scholarships@dstpgalumnae.org](mailto:scholarships@dstpgalumnae.org)