



**Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter
Columbus, OH**

2010 Scholarship

SUBMISSION DATE

All application materials must be postmarked no later than **April 30, 2010** and returned to the following address:

**Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P. O. Box 247322
Columbus, OH 43224-7322**

EVALUATION CRITERIA

Applications for our 2010 scholarship are evaluated according to the following criteria:

1. Must be a graduating senior during the current school year
2. Must provide a comprehensive and complete application that is typed*
3. Must have a 2.5 (C+) or greater grade point average from the time of application through the completion of the 12th grade
 - ❖ Must be a resident of the Columbus metropolitan area
4. Must submit proof of community service activities in the form of a letter on official organizational letterhead.
5. Must submit two letters of recommendation from community representatives including, but not limited to a supervisor, religious leader, teacher or counselor.
6. Must submit scholarship application by April 30 including official high school transcript and written essay.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Obtain an application from the high school counselor's office, a Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. – Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter member, or the Gamma Zeta Zeta Web site, located at www.zphibgzz.org.
2. Retrieve an official transcript of your high school grades from your school counselor. Submit **three copies** (original and two copies) of your completed scholarship application, written statement, letters of recommendation, proof of community service, and one original.*

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- The 2010 Scholarship will be awarded based on a comprehensive and quality application with supporting documents. In addition, awards will be based on the evaluation criteria. High school grades will be considered, but are not the only basis for selection.
- One scholarship will be awarded for up to \$1,000. Scholarship recipients will be notified by mail.
- Funds will be released upon receipt of proof of registration into a four-year college or university and final high school transcript. Proof of registration must be on official college or university letterhead. Scholarship checks will be made payable to the scholarship recipient.

* All application materials must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2010. Incomplete, late, or hand written application materials will not be considered.



Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter 2010 Scholarship Application

PART I: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last Name First Name MI

Address City State Postal Code

Telephone Number (xxx) xxx-xxxx Email Address

Father's/Guardian's Name Mother's/Guardian's Name

PART II: EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Name of High School

Name of High School Counselor Counselor Telephone Number (xxx) xxx-xxxx

Cumulative Grade Point Average**

** High school transcripts must be provided directly from the school in a sealed envelope addressed to the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. - Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter at the address indicated on page 1.

EDUCATIONAL PLAN

Expected College Major Career Goal

Identify each of the colleges/universities to which you have applied. Please add a separate sheet of paper, if needed.

Name & Location of School

Name & Location of School

* All application materials must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2010. Incomplete, late, or hand written application materials will not be considered.



Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Gamma Zeta Zeta Chapter 2010 Scholarship Application

PART III: WRITTEN ESSAY (300 word minimum)

On a separate sheet of paper, please provide a typed personal statement describing how a college education will better prepare you for the social, economic, and political challenges facing the survival and prosperity of your community.

PART IV: RECOMMENDATIONS

Two letters of recommendation must accompany this application. One letter must be from a teacher, counselor, or principal at your high school. The second letter must be from a person who can verify your involvement in community service and/or religious activities. **Applications submitted without this supporting documentation will not be considered.**

The letters of recommendation should clearly identify the name of the student and high school and address why this student deserves our support. All letters should be submitted in sealed envelopes (professional/organizational stationary preferred) and included with the final application package.

PART V: EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Please describe in paragraph format your involvement/participation in any of the following areas:

- **HIGH SCHOOL CLUBS/ATHLETICS/COMMITTEES**
- **COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS/RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES/VOLUNTEER SERVICE**

PARENT/STUDENT SIGNATURE

I hereby affirm that I am a graduating senior meeting all the criteria set forth above and that all the statements presented in this application are true. I have enclosed the necessary high school transcript and other supporting documentation. I am willing to provide additional information should it be required. I agree to abide by all rules and regulations governing the decision and award of the 2010 Scholarship Committee.

I hereby grant permission for a representative of the Gamma Zeta Zeta Scholarship committee to obtain information from my guidance counselor regarding this application.

I hereby affirm that the information presented in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I hereby understand that any information submitted falsely will result in forfeiture of the scholarship.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

PLEASE NOTE: Both applicant and parent/guardian signatures are required.

* All application materials must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2010. Incomplete, late, or hand written application materials will not be considered.