ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INCORPORATED® GAMMA BETA OMEGA CHAPTER ODELLE W. BARNES CENTER for COMMUNITY SERVICES WILSON, NORTH CAROLINA

EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®, Gamma Beta Omega Chapter in partnership with Odelle W. Barnes Center for Community Services offers educational scholarships to **senior young ladies** from the Wilson County public high schools, Early College(s), Wilson Preparatory Academy and Wilson Academy of Applied Technology. The scholarships are granted on the basis of the following criteria:

- 1. High school **GPA** of 3.0 or higher (attach a copy of your transcript)
- 2. Class rank
- 3. SAT and/or ACT Score (if available)
- 4. Two (2) letters of recommendation
- 5. HBCU (Historically Black College and University) attendance
- 6. Essay (300 to 500 word essay discussing why you should be considered for this scholarship)
- 7. Interview

Listed below are some instructions to assist you in the completion of the application process. Therefore, read the instructions carefully before you complete the form.

SUBMIT THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION TO: gboscholarships@gmail.com BY MARCH 15, 2025.

- 1. Please type or print LEGIBLY (using black ink) when supplying requested information.
- 2. The **REQUIRED 300 to 500 Word ESSAY MUST BE TYPED** and submitted with the application. **Please review collegeessay.org if you need assistance in writing essays.**
- 3. Answer all questions to the best of your knowledge.
- 4. Submit an electronic copy of your high school transcript with your application.
- 5. Submit your **SAT** and/or **ACT** score (if available).
- 6. Have **ONE** of your high school teachers and **ONE** person from the community to write a letter of recommendation (describing your character, leadership, and probability of success). There must be **TWO** letters sent on your behalf to: gboscholarships@gmail.com
- 7. Once your application is received you will be notified of the time and date for an interview.

AGAIN, YOU ARE TO RETURN YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION by MARCH 15, 2025

DO NOT MAIL THE APPLICATION OR PLACE IT IN THE MAILBOX AT THE O.W. BARNES CENTER.

If you have questions, please contact Amy Burt (919) 389-0294.

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Name	Date of Birth
Address	
Telephone Number:	
Email Address:	
Father's or Stepfather's Name	
Father's or Stepfather's Phone Number:	
Mother's or Stepmother's Name	
Mother's or Stepmother's Phone Number:	
Legal Guardian [if living with someone other th	an parent(s)]:
Name	Phone:
Number of minor siblings in the home: brothers	sisters
How many brothers and/or sisters	will be in college in the fall?
Class Rankout ofGrade P	oint Average
List the College you plan to attend:	
Name:	
Accepted?YesNo (Please include a	copy of the Acceptance Letter)

CLUB/ACTIVITY	YEAR(S) PARTICIPATED	OFFICE/RESPONSIBILITY
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LIST HONORS (scholastic,	, citizenship, athletic, artistic, etc.) duri	ng high school:
VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES	S FOR THE PAST FOUR YEARS:	
ACTIVITIES FOR THE PAS	ST THREE SUMMERS:	
Signature of the applicant:	:	Date

Considerations for awarding this scholarship will be: Senior young lady, Attendance at an HBCU – Historically Black College and University, MERIT (including high school course of study), GPA of 3.0 or higher, SAT/ACT scores (if available), Letters of Recommendation, Essay and Interview. Prepare a well-organized 300 to 500 word essay discussing why you should be considered for this scholarship. (Grammar, sentence structure, spelling, punctuation, word choice will be MOST important). You are to **TYPE** your essay and submit it with your application to gboscholarships@gmail.com.