



**PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC.
INTERNATIONAL OFFICE OF EDUCATION
2018 NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Application Deadline is
SEPTEMBER 30, 2018**

Applicant

Name in Full: _____

College / University: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone #: (____) _____ Chapter: _____

Email (*Please Print*) _____ Membership# _____

Cumulative Grade Point Average: COLL/UNIV GPA _____

***Parent / Guardian**

Name in Full: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: (____) _____

Email Address (*Please Print*) _____

**In order to notify of and celebrate your award.*

ON SEPARATE SHEETS OF PAPER, PLEASE SEND US AN ESSAY, OF NOT MORE THAN FOUR PAGES, WHICH INCLUDES (Place headings for each section):

- 1 An introduction of yourself to include what you would like the selection committee to know about you (school, church and community activities).
- 1 Statement of why you should be awarded the scholarship.
- 1 Statement of your service involvement in the community, and the college or university.
- 1 Statement of intent to continue your college education.
- 1 Statement of your academic achievements and goals, and aspirations for the future.

Verification Information:

Dean (Print Name)

Dean Signature

Telephone Number

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT:

If selected by the **Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Scholarship Committee**, I understand that I must abide by all rules, regulations and criteria of the program, and make proper use of educational opportunities provided. If for any reason, I violate any part of this statement, I understand that I will be disqualified, and no further award will be granted.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Chapter President Signature Date

Chapter Advisor (*if undergrad*) Date

These scholarships will be awarded based on academic work during the 2017–18 academic year (August 2017 – June 2018). **Must be uploaded on or before September 30, 2018 Will be notified by October 15, 2018**

Dr. Steven D. Kniffley,
International Director of Education,
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated

General Eligibility:

This award is provided to Sigma Men who are financial for the current year (2018) and pursuing a degree, and meet all criteria delineated in this application form.

Criteria:

1. The recipient must:

- Be currently admitted and attending an accredited college or university
- Must be a financial member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., in good standing
- Must have a Cumulative GPA of 3.00 or better (on a 4.0 scale)
- Must submit an official transcript (*Traditional or Electronic*) with the school seal and an authorized official's signature
- Must submit the essay section of the application, listed on the first page of the form, wh
headings for each of the five sections of the essay
- Must submit a completely executed and signed Sigma Scholarship application (*original or electronic signature acceptable*)

IF MORE APPLICATIONS ARE RECEIVED THAN CAN BE FUNDED WITH THE MONIES AVAILABLE, THE APPLICATIONS WITH THE HIGHEST GRADE POINT AVERAGES, AND WHICH MEETS ALL OF THE OTHER CRITERIA WILL BE GIVEN FIRST PREFERENCE FOR THE AWARD.

2. Rules and Regulations:

1. All entries into this application form and its attachments must be true and accurate.
2. All copies of transcripts must be the official, original documents, issued by the college or university with appropriate seal or watermark (*Official electronic transmission will be acceptable*), must represent a full-time student for Fall and Spring semesters of the school year.
3. Once you have received any Fall PBS Scholarship award, any instance of criminal activities will disqualify you from any future, additional, or continuing awards.
4. All awardees must conduct themselves on/off the campus in a way which garners the respect of other students on/off the campus, and all officials of the university.

3. Award recipients will be notified by or about October 15, 2018, or as soon thereafter on completion of the review process.

Please note: The selection of scholarship recipients will be influenced by the completeness, neatness, and legibility of applications.

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