

**ZETA PHI BETA SORORITY, INCORPORATED**

**GAMMA ZETA Scholarship Application 2024**

Criteria:

1. Female high school senior in Berkeley County, Charleston County, or Dorchester County.
2. Cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or better based on a 4.0 grading scale (verified by official transcript.) Transcripts should be submitted in a sealed envelope with your school’s seal.
3. Demonstrate interest and involvement in public service and community related activities.
4. Demonstrate goals, aspirations, and plans to pursue an education beyond high school.
5. Submit two (2) letters of recommendation.
   1. One (1) from school official (teacher, counselor, or administrator)
   2. One (1) from non-relative (pastor, community member, employer, mentor) who can attest to your leadership abilities and/or community service commitment.
   3. Submit a 500-word essay.

* Topic**: Engaging in community service provides students with the opportunity to become active members of their community and has a lasting, positive impact on society at large. Describe your community service and how you have made a lasting impact in and around your community.**

***Scholarship Application***

**PERSONAL DATA**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Name(s) of Parent(s) or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Number (include area code): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION**

High School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Counselor’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Weighted Un-weighted

SAT Scores: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Verbal Math

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College or University You Plan on Attending: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Have you received a Letter of Acceptance to this college or university: Yes No

If yes, please attach letter.

**EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Please complete each section. All information can be used by the Scholarship Committee during the selection process.

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| **Activity** | **Description** | **Leadership Position Held** | **Length of Service** |
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**COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

List community activities in which you have participated. Activities include church groups, volunteer organizations, clubs, and community service projects, etc. Community service activities are those activities outside of school in which you are engaged in the community.

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| **Community Service Activity** | **Description** | **Length of Service** |
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Are you or have you been involved in any Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Auxiliaries?

Yes No When: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Which Auxiliary: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**TRANSCRIPT**

Please enclose an official transcript with your scholarship application. Applications without an official transcript will not be considered.

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

List any honors and recognition you have received (Grades 9-12).

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| **Awards/Recognition** | **Dates or Grades** |
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**REFERENCES**

Please provide two letters of reference. One must come from a teacher and one from a community leader, teacher, employers or church member. References from relatives will not be considered. Letters of reference should address the following:

Character Personality Motivation

Initiative Citizenship Sense of Responsibility

**ESSAY**

**ESSAY:** A 500-word essay must accompany your application. Essay should be typed, double-spaced, Times New Roman (12 font). Essay must be in MLA or APA format. Cover page should include your name, essay title, and date of submission.

**Essay question: Engaging in community service provides students with the opportunity to become active members of their community and has a lasting, positive impact on society at large. Describe your community service and how you have made a lasting impact in and around your community.**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND SIGNATURE**

By submitting this application, I acknowledge the facts set forth are true and correct. I understand if I am awarded a scholarship by Gamma Zeta the scholarship award will be paid during Fall 2024 academic school year. If I fail to enroll in a college or university, the scholarship awarded will be forfeited.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship awards are paid at the start of a semester once the student has provided proof of registration from the college or university’s registrar.

**APPLICATION CHECK LIST**

A completed application must contain the following:

Scholarship Application Packet

Official High School Transcript

500-Word Essay

Two Letters of Recommendation

**Applications must be received by April 15, 2024. If applications are not postmarked by this date the application will be disqualified. Applications should be emailed to** [**gz.scholarshipcommitte@gmail.com**](mailto:gz.scholarshipcommitte@gmail.com) **or mailed to:**

**Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.**

**Gamma Zeta**

**P.O. Box 20871**

**Charleston, SC 29413**

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