

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Omega Pi Zeta Chapter P.O. Box 5227 Evanston, IL 60201

THE FIVE PEARLS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD 2016

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated - Omega Pi Zeta Chapter, Evanston, IL

Founded January 16, 1920, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated began as an idea conceived by five coeds at Howard University in Washington D.C.: Arizona Cleaver, Myrtle Tyler, Viola Tyler, Fannie Pettie and Pearl Neal. These five women, also known as our Five Pearls, dared to depart from the traditional coalitions for black women and sought to establish a new organization predicated on the precepts of Scholarship, Service, Sisterhood and Finer Womanhood.

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated (Omega Pi Zeta Chapter) is an admirable organization of predominately black, college-educated women whose main purpose is to uphold their founding principles of Scholarship, Service, Sisterhood and Finer Womanhood in the suburb of Evanston, IL and its surrounding northern communities. Our focus is to provide assistance and support through our established programs such as ZHOPE (Zetas Helping Other People Excel), Stork's Nest, and the National Education Foundation (NEF).

The Five Pearls Scholarship is awarded to a senior African American female student living in Evanston, IL, with a minimum 2.5 GPA and acceptance into a four-year college or university.

Application must be fully completed, postmarked and sent by March 31, 2016

Send to the following address:
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
Omega Pi Zeta Chapter
P.O. Box 5227
Evanston, IL 60201

In order to apply please submit the following: (Send all materials as a completed package)

- The Five Pearls Scholarship Application (typed)
- Essay (typed)
- One Letter of Recommendation from each of the following (3 total):
 - 1) High school teacher;
 - 2) Community (church, organization, volunteer) or Employer;
 - 3) Counselor
- Official High School Transcripts
- Copy of College or University Acceptance letter



Please Print Legibly or Type

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Name:				
(First Name)	(Middle Initial)	(Last Name)		
Home Address:				
(Street Address)				
(City) Telephone Number:	(State)	(Zip Code)		
Home: ()				
Cell: ()				
Email Address:				
Name of College/Univers	sity Attending:			
Current GPA:	_			
Parent/Guardian Contact	Information:			
Name:				
Telephone Number:				
Home: ()				
Cell: ()				



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Community Service:

Community Service	Dates of Service	Contact Person (Name and Telephone Number)

Extracurricular Activities:

Extracurricular Activities	Dates



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On a separate double-spaced, typed document, please answer the following question in 500 words or less:

1) How will receiving this scholarship help you earn a college degree and become the person you want to be in 5-10 years?