



*Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated
Alpha Alpha Alpha Zeta Chapter
Post Office Box 7454
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Dear Applicant,

Now in existence for over 100 years, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated continues to expand its programs and contributions to the community. The Alpha Alpha Alpha Zeta Chapter was chartered on September 21, 2013, to serve the communities in Planning District 16, that includes the City of Fredericksburg and the Counties of Caroline, King George, Spotsylvania, and Stafford. It is our mission to embody our Sorority's principles of Scholarship, Service, Sisterhood, and Finer Womanhood throughout the district.

The ladies of Alpha Alpha Alpha Zeta Chapter are proud to announce that applications are now being accepted for our 5 PearlZ Scholarship. The 5 PearlZ Scholarship offers financial assistance with college-related expenses, to a graduating, African American female senior meeting the eligibility requirements. They must be enrolling as a full-time student at an accredited post-secondary institution (college, university, trade school, etc.) in Fall 2025.

If you meet the eligibility requirements, we encourage you to apply for the 5 PearlZ Scholarship today. The deadline for submitting your application for consideration is Thursday, January 16, 2025. Scholarship recipients will be recognized at our annual Finer Womanhood Brunch on March 15, 2025.

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, Alpha Alpha Alpha Zeta Chapter takes pride in her continued zest for excellence and is poised for perpetual service to mankind by awarding the worthiest recipients. Best of luck! Please note, affiliation with any member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated or any of its auxiliary organizations is not an eligibility requirement for this scholarship.

History of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated was founded January 16, 1920, at Howard University, Washington, D.C. by five coeds who envisioned a sorority which would directly affect positive change, chart a course of action for the 1920s and beyond, raise consciousness of their people, encourage the highest standards of scholastic achievement, and foster a greater sense of unity among its members. These women believed in a mission of progressiveness that would address fully the societal mores, ills, prejudices, and poverty affecting humanity.

Since its inception, Zeta has continued to demonstrate concern for the human condition both nationally and internationally. Zeta's national and local programs include: the endowment of its National Educational Foundation, community outreach services, and support of multiple affiliate organizations. Zeta chapters and auxiliaries have given numerous hours of voluntary service to educate the public, assist youth, provide scholarships, support organized charities, and promote legislation for social and civic change.

The sorority takes pride in its continued participation in transforming communities through volunteer services from members and its auxiliaries. Zeta Phi Beta has chartered hundreds of chapters worldwide and has a membership of 100,000+.

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Award Intent

The 5 PearlZ Scholarship Program will award five \$1,000 scholarships to assist with educational expenses. The program aims to honor African American female high school seniors, who exhibit personal integrity and excellence through academic achievement and community involvement. The recipient may complete their studies in the field of their choice at any post-secondary institution.

Application Deadline: January 16, 2025

Award Announcement: February 2025

Award: \$1000

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be an African American female senior student residing in and attending a Planning District 16 Area high school (City of Fredericksburg and the Counties of Caroline, King George, Spotsylvania, and Stafford).
- Must be graduating in May/June (Spring) of the award year and enrolling as a full-time student in an accredited post-secondary institution in the fall of the same year.
- Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale.
- Must show involvement in community service.
- Applications and supporting documents received after January 16th will not be considered for an award. Partial Submissions will not be accepted.

Scholarship Application Package Checklist

Submit the following by January 16, 2025:

1. 5 PearlZ Scholarship Application
2. Goal statement / personal essay properly formatted (PDF FORMAT)
3. Letter of recommendation #1 (PDF FORMAT)
4. Letter of recommendation #2 (PDF FORMAT)
5. Official transcript (PDF FORMAT)

[CLICK HERE TO APPLY](#)

Sincerely,

Denise Boamah

Denise Boamah, President
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated
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Serving Planning District 16 *since 2013*

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