



Baltimore County Alumnae Chapter Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

QUEST SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATION DEADLINE: July 4, 2024

The Baltimore County Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. (BCAC) is offering its QUEST Scholarship to newly accepted or current matriculating Adults (*minimum 18 years of age*), attending as a full-time or part-time student at the Community College of Baltimore County (CCBC).

“A Quest is defined as an act or instance of seeking.” This scholarship is intended to assist adults who are seeking an Associate Degree or Certification that will enhance their career and educational goals.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- A.** Must reside in Baltimore County.
- B.** Must be at least 18 years of age.
- C.** Must attend Full-time or Part-time – (*minimum 6 credit hours*).
- D.** Submit the Quest Scholarship Application completed in its entirety.
- E.** Provide Proof of Acceptance at the Community College of Baltimore County.
- F.** Provide a high school Transcript with a minimum GPA of 2.75 or GED/Certificate (if applicable).
- G.** Submit an ESSAY on one of the following topics: (TYPED-250 WORDS MINIMUM).
 - Explain how continuing your education will impact you and your community.
 - What field of study do you wish to pursue, and what influenced you in choosing that career path?
- H.** Submit (2) Letters of Recommendation on official letterhead, signed in ink by the writer. Letters of Recommendation written by relatives are not acceptable. Letters must be written by any of the following individuals:
 - School Official
 - Clergy
 - Civic Leader
 - Community Leader
 - Employer

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Each Scholarship will consist of \$1500 for one academic school year to be distributed at \$750 per semester. All funds will be distributed directly to the Bursar's Office using the applicant's school identification number. Funds will only be provided after proof of enrollment for the current semester.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- A. Complete and upload a signed on-line scholarship application along with the following items:
 - A copy of the applicant's complete high school transcript or/ GED certificate
 - Proof of acceptance from Community College of Baltimore County.
 - Written Essay (TYPED-250 WORDS MINIMUM).
 - Two (2) Letters of Recommendation on official letterhead selected from the list in the Eligibility Requirements section above, who have personally interacted with the applicant (e.g., through supervision, instruction, and/or coaching). Letters of Recommendation written by relatives are not acceptable.
- B. Must complete all sections of the Application – *(N/A – if not applicable)*
- C. Include your Name on all additional supporting documents.
- D. Retain a copy of all application materials for your records.

SELECTION & NOTICE OF AWARD

Selections will be based on the applicant's overall academic progress, extracurricular activities, leadership skills, and participation in community activities. BCAC will notify applicants of the results of the selection process in writing.

REVOCAION OF AWARD

BCAC reserves the right to revoke any scholarship award at any time if the applicant falsifies information or fails to meet or maintain academic standards.