



**RHO SIGMA FOUNDATION (501c3)
SIGMA GAMMA RHO SORORITY, INC. RHO SIGMA CHAPTER
RHO SIGMA SCHOLARSHIP**

February 2022

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the Rho Sigma Scholarship. This scholarship is offered in partnership between the Rho Sigma Foundation and the Rho Sigma Detroit Alumnae Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. The Rho Sigma Foundation (RSF) is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization that supports selected community service projects and develops educational and civic programs related to women, children, health, and education to uplift and improve the Detroit community. It is the mission of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. to enhance the quality of life for women and their families in the U.S. and globally through community service, civil, and social action. Our goal is to achieve greater progress in the areas of education, health awareness, and leadership development.

Up to eight (8) Scholarships are available to be awarded in 2022:

- ***High School Seniors:*** Four (4) \$500 scholarships are available for graduating high school seniors entering a 4-year college/university in the fall of 2022
- ***Undergraduate:*** Two (2) \$500 scholarships are available for any undergraduate student pursuing a degree at an accredited college/university.
- ***Graduate:*** Two (2) \$500 scholarships are available for any graduate student pursuing a degree at an accredited college/university.

The application must be filled out completely and emailed (no paper submissions). For consideration, you must meet the following criteria and submit the required documentation along with your application:

- Must be **entering** in the Fall 2022 or **continuing** studies at a 4-year college or university
 - College Acceptance Letter or Proof of Current Enrollment
- High School Applicants must have a **minimum cumulative GPA** of 2.5, and both Undergraduate & Graduate Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4-point scale.
 - Official High School Transcript (H.S)/Official College Transcript (transcripts must be emailed directly by the school or transcript service)
- **2 Letters of Recommendation**

The application and all required information must be submitted via email to RhoSigmaScholarship@gmail.com by 11:59pm (EST) on April 8, 2022.

If you have questions, please email RhoSigmaScholarship@gmail.com



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

COMPLETE APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED VIA EMAIL BY APRIL 8, 2022

Failure to complete all parts of the application as directed will result in disqualification from consideration.

Name: _____

Birthdate (MM/DD/YYYY): _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

City & Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

High School (if applicable): _____

College/University: _____

Intended Major/Current Major: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (High School Applicants Only): _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number (High School Applicants Only): _____

Parent/Guardian Email (High School Applicants Only): _____

Are you pursuing a career as a teacher? Yes No

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. What type of scholarship are you applying for? (check only one)

- High School
- Undergraduate
- Graduate School

2. What is your cumulative grade point average as reflected on your most recent report card? **Submit appropriate GPA verification (i.e., official transcript)** _____

3. List all organizations in which you have actively participated in during high school/college experience. Indicate the type of organization and the extent of your participation.



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4. List the school activities you have held a leadership role in or in which you have actively participated.

5. List any awards, honors, or commendations you have received during your high school/college experience. Indicate the source, date, and basis for the award. List any other notable achievements.

6. List any community service activities you have been involved in during your high school/college experience. Include the name, address, and phone number of the organization, and contact person's name/phone number.

7. **Attach two (2) letters of recommendation** from people who are NOT relatives (e.g., school staff, counselors, administrators, teachers, business professionals, civic/ community leaders or church leaders). Letters should be on letterhead when available. List the name, title, address, and phone number for each.

	Name	Title/Relationship	Email Address	Phone Number
1				
2				

8. **Attach your Letter of Acceptance or Proof of Enrollment.**

I hereby declare that all my statements in the application are true. Additionally, I have attached or submitted all the requested documents as specified (transcript, recommendation letters, proof of acceptance/enrollment). I agree to accept the decision of the Rho Sigma Scholarship Committee. If granted an award, I acknowledge that receipt of this award is contingent upon my acceptance, enrollment, and continuous enrollment.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

The Rho Sigma Chapter Scholarship Committee of Rho Sigma Foundation and Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc. does not discriminate based on race, color, age, gender, nationality, religion, sexual orientation, or disability.



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SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

The application and all supplemental materials are to be completed, submitted and received by 11:59pm on Thursday, April 8, 2022. Please submit the application along with all required supporting documents to the email below:

TO: RhoSigmaScholarship@gmail.com

SUBJECT: Scholarship Application

SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS & NOTICE OF AWARDS

Applicants will be narrowed down to the finalists based on consideration for each candidate's application including review of their overall academic progress, recommendation letters, extracurricular activities, leadership skills, and participation in community service. The Rho Sigma Scholarship Committee does not discriminate based on race, color, age, gender, nationality, religion, sexual orientation, or disability.

SCHOLARSHIP CANDIDATE INTERVIEWS

Top candidates for each scholarship will participate in a 15-minute virtual interview process via Zoom with the scholarship committee. Following review of the applications, candidate interviews will be scheduled the second week of April and take place May 2-6, 2022.

NOTIFICATION OF AWARD

Applicants will be notified via email of any scholarship award or denial by the end of June 2022.

REVOCACTION OF AWARD

The Rho Sigma Scholarship Committee reserves the right to revoke all scholarships awarded if the applicant fails to meet any scholarship requirements or reports falsified information.

If you have questions, please email RhoSigmaScholarship@gmail.com or call Rho Sigma Scholarship Chair Rayven McMurray at (313) 899-0736.