



# Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Zeta Tau Omega Chapter West Palm Beach, Florida Scholarship Application

*Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. the oldest African American sorority was founded in 1908 at Howard University. A major purpose of the sorority is to cultivate and encourage high scholastic and ethical standards, maintain a progressive interest in college life and to be a service to all mankind.*

Dear Prospective Graduate:

Zeta Tau Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. will once again award scholarships to deserving high school seniors, for the upcoming 2010-2011 academic year. If you meet the requirements listed below we encourage you to apply.

## **Mandatory Eligibility Requirements**

- **High School (or Home Schooled) senior on track to receive a standard diploma**
- **Resident of Palm Beach County**
- **Planning to pursue a degree at an accredited U.S. postsecondary institution**
- **Minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA at the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> semester of senior year of High School/Home School**

## **Additional Requirements**

- Completed application (Please print using black or blue ink)
- Official transcript (sealed in envelope from school official)
- Yearbook photo (no larger than 3 1/2 x 5) with self addressed stamped envelope for return of photo
- Three letters of reference~ (Two faculty members from your high school ~ 1 community/church affiliation ~ No family members)
- Application and all additional requirements must be **received by March 12, 2010.**

**Mail to:** Traci Boysaw  
2038 Normandy Circle  
West Palm Beach, FL 33409  
561-471-9278

Your compliance with these guidelines will be of valuable assistance as we process your application.

Sincerely,

Traci Boysaw  
Scholarship Chairperson

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.  
Zeta Tau Omega Chapter  
~APPLICATION FORM~

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name: Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

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

City & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Education and Community Involvement**

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Guidance Counselor \_\_\_\_\_

Number of students in your graduating class \_\_\_\_\_ Your class rank \_\_\_\_\_

Grade point average \_\_\_\_\_

ACT results \_\_\_\_\_ Date of test \_\_\_\_\_

SAT results \_\_\_\_\_ Date of test \_\_\_\_\_

List any academic honors/recognitions received

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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List your extracurricular activities

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List your community activities

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**ESSAY**

Please submit a typed essay (350 - 500 words) explaining how this scholarship will help you with your education and future career goals.

Please attach your essay to this application.

An official transcript, a yearbook photo (no larger than 3"X5") and three letters of reference are required to complete this application.

*\*Two of the letters must be from faculty members at your high school.*

Application deadline: **March 12, 2010** ~ Applications must be **received** by this date.

Applicants chosen for an interview will be notified by March 17, 2010. Interviews will take place on **Saturday, March 27, 2010.**

**Forward all questions/concerns to Traci Boysaw at [tboysaw@aol.com](mailto:tboysaw@aol.com).**

**Mail completed applications to:**

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Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent \_\_\_\_\_