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Dear Applicant,

The ladies of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, Pi Zeta Zeta Chapter, would like to extend to you a scholarship opportunity. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated was founded January 16, 1920. Zeta began as an idea conceived by five coeds at Howard University in Washington D.C.: Arizona Cleaver, Pearl Neal, Fannie Pettie, Myrtle Tyler, and Viola Tyler. 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. The local chapter, Pi Zeta Zeta, has been active in the Inland Empire community since 1995.

Our endeavor is to award one (1) \$500 scholarship to a female, graduating senior. We are looking for phenomenal Women of Color who exemplify Zeta Phi Beta's founding principles. To qualify you must be a young woman who has completed 20 hours of community service, has a minimum GPA of 3.0, and who is preparing to matriculate at an accredited 4-year college or university. The scholarship will be awarded in the **Fall 2023**, upon verification of enrollment and confirmation of completion of the first term.

In order to apply, an original application, official transcripts, one letter of recommendation, a senior picture, proof of community service, and a one-page essay defining what Finer Womanhood means to you must be submitted.

All applications and materials must be received no later than March 18, 2023. Only completed applications will be considered.

For additional information, you may contact La'Resha Holmes at (562) 977-7086 or email: LaReshaHolmes@gmail.com.

We wish you good luck and continued success in your education!

Sincerely,

Pi Zeta Zeta Chapter



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Supplemental Requirements

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Incorporated, Pi Zeta Zeta Chapter will award one (1) \$500 scholarship to one (1) Woman of Color, who is a graduating senior and will be attending an accredited 4-year college or university.

Applicants must be a:

- A Woman of Color
- Completed at least 20 hours of community service,
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.0, with anticipated matriculation in an accredited 4-year college or university.
- Attend high school in Riverside/San Bernardino County

The following must be submitted with a completed application packet:

Scholarship – an official high school transcript must be submitted with the application. Verification of college enrollment will be requested from the recipient at a later date.

Community Service – *documentation* from an agency/program in which the community service was completed, on the agency/program's letterhead. This letter should include a detailed description of services performed, amount of hours, and total time spent with the agency. Additional community service projects may be detailed on a separate sheet of paper.

Sisterhood – one letter of recommendation from an individual with personal knowledge of the applicants gifts, skills, and talents. Letters from relatives are not acceptable.

Finer Womanhood – a typed, double spaced, one page essay defining what Finer Womanhood means.

The application deadline is March 18, 2023. Applications received after this date will not be considered. Please submit an application using the following [link](#).