



Sigma Rho Sorority, Inc.
BETA SIGMA ALUMNAE CHAPTER

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MONARCH BUTTERFLY SCHOLARSHIP

December 3, 2025

To whom it may concern:

The Beta Sigma Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. awards a scholarship to a Rhoer affiliate who exhibits exemplary academic achievement, strong leadership ability, and service to their community. The qualifying Rhoer will receive a scholarship of \$1000. The selected candidate will also be invited to our annual scholarship reception.

Please distribute the enclosed documents to Rhoers and feel free to include any documents that you deem necessary to complete the scholarship packet. Please note, this scholarship is merit based. **Applicants should know that any application received that does not meet the guidelines will be marked incomplete, and applications received after February 3, 2026, will not be considered for the scholarship.**

For additional information, please feel free to contact the scholarship committee via email at betasigmascholarship2@gmail.com

Thank you for your participation. The committee looks forward to meeting you.

Sincerely,

Gloria Wright

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Scholarship Committee Chairperson

CRITERIA

- ❖ Member of Beta Sigma Rhoer Club
- ❖ Complete Application packet (**please type**)
- ❖ Application and a 300-word essay. Essay must be typed, double spaced, using Times New Roman 12-point font with 1 inch margins (**Essay topic must be selected from the topics listed below**)
- ❖ Official Transcript
- ❖ Four (4) letters of recommendation (Two academic and one personal, and one from Rhoer Club Advisor)
- ❖ Photograph (business/ formal attire)
- ❖ Candidates with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher

Completed application packet must be submitted electronically by 11:59 pm on **February 3, 2026**, to: betasigmascholarship2@gmail.com

Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Gloria Wright, Chairperson, by email at betasigmascholarship2@gmail.com

❖ Application Scoring Rubric

Grade Point Average (20pts) Based on the following:

4.0 - 3.7 (20 points)

3.6 – 3.4 (15 points)

3.3 – 3.0 (10 points)

2.9 – 2.0 (5 points)

❖ Essay (20pts) Based on:

The applicant's name and Essay Title at the top of the page

300-word limit

Spelling and grammar

Adequately addresses the "Essay Topic"

Double-spaced

Mechanics (punctuation, sentence structure)

- ❖ Extra-Curricular Activities / Community service (documented 20 hr. minimum) (15 pts)

- ❖ All sections of application completed | Honors and Awards Listed (5pts)
- ❖ Letters of Recommendation (5pts) • Three (3) letters included

Essay Topics

1. Describe your most meaningful achievements and how they relate to your field of study and your goals for the future.
2. Select an experience from your life and explain how it has influenced your development in becoming the person you are now.
3. The most influential person in your life.

Notification to Applicants and Scholarship Recipients....

Applicants who are selected to receive a scholarship will be notified via email. Upon notification, recipients are required to send their acceptance of the scholarship, provide a headshot photograph for publication, and confirm their participation in an awards recognition ceremony or event. **Applicants who are not selected will be notified by email only. The scholarship is not renewable.**

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APPLICANT INFORMATION				
Last Name		First Name		Middle Name/Initial
Date of Birth			Age	
Sex			() Male () Female	
Address			Home Phone	
City		State	Zip Code	Cell Phone
Email Address				
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION				
College/University Name		City		State
Major(s)		Enrollment Date		
EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES				
List sports, clubs, church, and organizational involvement; include any leadership roles.				

COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS (ATTACH SHEETS AS NEEDED)			
Hours	Agency/Location	Hours	Agency/Location

HONORS/AWARDS/RECOGNITIONS	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
Share any additional information you would like the committee to consider. (Attach sheets if needed.)	

<p>By signing, I acknowledge that the information I have provided is accurate.</p> <p>Release Authorization: I certify that I have read and understand the scholarship conditions, and I certify that the information in this application is true, complete, and accurate. I understand that any inaccurate information of a substantial nature provided as a part of this application will result in disqualification. I hereby voluntarily grant my college permission to confirm and verify information Beta Sigma Alumnae Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Incorporated for the scholarship selection. If selected as a recipient, I grant permission for my name, information, and/or picture to be used in press releases, websites, or other media outlets identifying me as a Beta Sigma Scholarship recipient of Beta Sigma Alumnae Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.</p>	
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE	DATE