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Sigma Psi Omega Chapter

Long Island, NY

Dr. Michelle J. Richards, President



College Bound Book Award Scholarship Application

The Sigma Psi Omega Chapter invites High School Seniors to apply for a one-time College Bound Book Award Scholarship. Successful candidates must demonstrate academic achievement, exhibit leadership ability and participate in community service activities. Selected students will be asked to attend an interview. The recipients may use the academic based scholarship to attend any four-year college or university to cover the costs of books and/or other supplies for school.

Students competing for the Sigma Psi Omega Book Award Scholarship must meet the following criteria:

- Applicant must be a high school senior residing in Nassau or Suffolk County.
- Applicant must enroll in a full-time undergraduate program no later than the fall of their graduation from H.S.

Sigma Psi Omega College Bound Selection Process:

- Applicant attained a Cumulative Grade Point Average of 85 or better.
- School and community involvement.
- Demonstrated leadership ability.
- Effective oral and written communication skills.

Notification to Applicants:

Applicant will be notified in May of their status. Checks will be distributed upon receipt of the students' proof of enrollment in an accredited institution in the fall of their graduation year.

Applications are due by final postmarked deadline of April 3, 2017



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This application may be completed online. However, it **MUST** be printed and mailed with all requested materials in one packet. You **MUST** include a copy of your most recent High School Transcript and at least 1 letter of recommendation. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

Return Completed Application Package to:

Sigma Psi Omega Chapter
Attn: Scholarship Committee P.O. BOX 5269
Bay Shore, NY 11706

or

Email-: sigmapsiomega1908@gmail.com

Name:
Address:
City, State, Zip Code:
Email Address:
Parent Name/Telephone Number:
Parents Email Address:
Name of High School:
Extracurricular Activities: (Please include Dates of Involvement)
Community Service Involvement: (Please include Dates of Involvement)
Please check if you are attending a Historically Black College or University <input type="checkbox"/>
College or University You Plan to Attend:
Intended Major:
Educational and Career Goals:

Essay Topic



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Please respond to 1 essay topic in approximately 300 words.

Your response should be typed in Times New Roman with a 12-point font.

Please use additional pages should you require additional space, and be sure to include your name.

1. What do you feel is the most pressing societal problem facing youth today?
2. Why is education important in your community?

By signing below, you are certifying that to the best of your knowledge the information presented on this application is truthful. You are also acknowledging that the essay is your own work.

Applicant Signature and Date: _____

For Parents/Guardians

By signing below, you are certifying that you give permission for your child to complete this scholarship application. Should your child be selected, you are giving approval for members of Sigma Psi Omega to contact the applicant regarding matters relating to the College Bound Book Award Scholarship.

Signature and Date: _____