



ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA  
SORORITY, INC.



## 2016 Scholarship Application



PI THETA OMEGA CHAPTER  
P. O. Box 1548  
Morristown, NJ 07962-1548

## PI THETA OMEGA CHAPTER MORRISTOWN, NJ

*Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated® - Pi Theta Omega Chapter was chartered on May 31, 1986. This marked the establishment of the first African American Greek Letter organization in Morristown, NJ and the beginning of what will be a long legacy of Alpha Kappa Alpha sisterhood and service to the community.*

*For the past 23 years, Pi Theta Omega has offered scholarships to students in the Morris County area.*

### *Eligibility Criteria:*

- ❖ *Be of African-American decent*
- ❖ *Applicant must be a high school senior and reside or go to school in Morris County*
- ❖ *Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher*
- ❖ *Acceptance to a four-year college or university*
- ❖ *Attendance at the Chapter's Scholarship Awards Presentation Event scheduled for Saturday, June 18, 2016*

*In order to be considered for the Pi Theta Omega scholarship, the completed application, all recommendations, and transcript must be postmarked **by April 15, 2016**. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.***

### *Application Packet Checklist:*

- ☐ *Completed Application Form*
- ☐ *College or University Acceptance letter*
- ☐ *Guidance Counselor Recommendation Form*
- ☐ *Letter of Recommendation from an Academic Teacher*
- ☐ *Letter of Recommendation from Minister, Coach or Employer (or other adult, non-family member)*
- ☐ *Answer one of the provided essay questions.*
- ☐ *Official High School Transcript (mailed directly to Pi Theta Omega Chapter)*
- ☐ *Acknowledge that attendance is required at the Pi Theta Omega Chapter Scholarship Awards Presentation*

*Completed application packets should be mailed to:*

*Pi Theta Omega Chapter  
Attn: Education Committee  
P.O. Box 1548  
Morristown, NJ 07962-1548*

*If you have questions concerning the application, please contact: Sadiq Mitchell at [ptoeducation@gmail.com](mailto:ptoeducation@gmail.com)*

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**Pi Theta Omega Chapter**  
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**PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE**

Name\_\_\_\_\_ Age\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

City\_\_\_\_\_ State\_\_\_\_\_ Zip\_\_\_\_\_

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

Home Phone No.\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address\_\_\_\_\_

High School\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

City\_\_\_\_\_ State\_\_\_\_\_ Zip\_\_\_\_\_

List any relatives that are members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated and their current chapter(s).

**NAME/RELATIONSHIP**

**CHAPTER**

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List any honors or awards received while in high school, with corresponding dates:

**AWARD(s)**

**DATE RECEIVED**

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List academic and community organizations of which you are/were a member and indicate any offices held:

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List extra-curricular activities you have participated in while in high school:

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List accredited colleges or universities to which you have applied. Please indicate if you have received an acceptance notice from any of these schools.

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Have you made a decision as to which school you plan to attend? Yes\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_

If so, please indicate which school you plan to attend in the fall:

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Is this school a HBCU? Yes\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_

Please attach a copy of the acceptance letter from the college you plan to attend.

## GUIDANCE COUNSELOR RECOMMENDATION FORM

*This section is to be completed by your High School Guidance Counselor*

**Guidance Counselor's name** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Please print*

**School** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student's GPA** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student's Class Rank** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please evaluate the student based on the following criteria using the scale below; 5 being the highest, 1 being the lowest. Please circle the number that is the most applicable.

	<b>Highest</b>				<b>Lowest</b>
Academic Performance	5	4	3	2	1
Intellectual Promise	5	4	3	2	1
Leadership	5	4	3	2	1
Motivation	5	4	3	2	1
Communication/Interpersonal Skills	5	4	3	2	1
Presentation	5	4	3	2	1

2. Please list three (3) words to describe the student:

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Guidance Counselor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

The following items must accompany this application:

1. Two letters of recommendation - one from an academic teacher, one from a minister, coach, or employer (*or other adult*). Please do not send recommendations from family members.
2. A 300 - 500 word essay. Topic choices are A or B listed below:
  - A. Please tell us about a role model in your life. Explain how this person has influenced your life and your ability to mentor others.
  - B. Police abuse remains a very serious human rights issue in the United States. In what ways has the issue shaped your views about violence; and what do you think is an effective means to foster an amicable relationship between the police and the communities they serve?
3. Your high school transcript should be mailed directly to Pi Theta Omega Chapter (***address is on front of application***). **The transcript should be in a sealed envelope on school letterhead.**

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE **April 15, 2016.**

**All selections will be made anonymously.**

Applications can also be downloaded and printed from our website -  
[pithetaomega.com](http://pithetaomega.com)