

**Delta Kappa Gamma-Sigma Chapter
E. Merle Scott Scholarship Application
2019-2020**

THIS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING COMPONENTS:

1. Coversheet with Sigma Chapter sponsoring information
2. Scholarship purpose and eligibility information
3. Applicant data sheet
4. Extracurricular involvement and honors
5. High school transcript showing class rank, GPA (weighted and unweighted)
6. College entrance exam scores
7. Two letters of recommendation
8. Personal statement from the applicant (limited to 500 words)

**COMPONENTS 3-8 MUST BE SUBMITTED BY MAIL TO THE CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP
CHAIRMAN LISTED BELOW BY MARCH 15.**

Sponsoring Chapter Information—Delta Kappa Gamma—Sigma Chapter
Chapter Scholarship Co-Chairs--Diane Lynch and Sharon Kimrey

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Scholarship Purpose and Eligibility Information

Purpose. The E. Merle Scott Scholarship is awarded to assist aspiring female education majors. It is awarded annually in May. The amount of the award shall be \$1,000.00. Upon receipt of the grant in year one, the scholarship is renewable up to three additional years, if academic criteria is met.

Eligibility. Applicant:

1. Shall be a senior at a Lenoir County High School
2. Shall be a resident of Lenoir County
3. Shall have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; (weighted and unweighted)
4. Shall be eligible upon receipt of scholarship to apply for renewal of scholarship for three additional years as long as academic criteria are met (Note: It is the recipient's responsibility to request, complete and submit the renewal application by the deadline.)

Notification of Recipient-Recipient of scholarship will be notified no later than April 10.

E. Merle Scott Scholarship
Sponsored by Sigma Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma

(3) APPLICANT DATA SHEET:

Name: _____
Last First Middle Preferred

Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone Number(s) _____

Email Address: _____

High School: _____

High School Address: _____

Father or Guardian's Name: _____

Mother or Guardian's Name: _____

Name(s) of Colleges/Universities from which you have received acceptance letters: _____

(4) EXTRACURRICULAR INVOLVEMENT AND HONORS

Please provide a typed list of your extracurricular activities (clubs, sports, fine arts groups, volunteer work, scouting, hobbies, jobs, internships, etc.) Include the number of years you participated and the number of hours per week devoted to each. Also list awards or recognitions you have received. Attach as many pages as needed.

(5) TRANSCRIPT

Please attach your official mid-year high school transcript showing courses taken, class rank, and GPA (weighted and unweighted). Your transcript should be in a sealed envelope with the signature of your school counselor across the seal.

(6) COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION SCORES

Please attach a copy of your college entrance exam scores.

(7) LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Please submit two letters of recommendation, as follows: one from a teacher, one from another adult of the applicant's choosing (teacher, school counselor, coach, pastor, supervisor, or other qualified individual.) The letters should outline the character traits, special talents and abilities, examples of leadership and service, etc. of the applicant. The letters should be in sealed envelopes with the signatures of the writers across the seal.

(8) PERSONAL STATEMENT (Limited to 500 words)

Please attach a personal statement detailing your plans, career goals, and reasons for wanting this scholarship.