

**The Five Pearls of Excellence, Incorporated  
in partnership with  
Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated  
Gamma Rho Zeta Chapter  
519 Sand Crane Court  
Bradenton, Florida 34212**



**Scholarship Application 2020**

**Guidelines**

The Five Pearls of Excellence Incorporated Scholarship Award is available to public high school graduating seniors in Manatee/Sarasota Counties, Florida planning to enter college in the fall of 2020.

The applicant's overall GPA must be 2.8 or above unweighted.

The scholarship applicant must attend an interview.

The scholarship will be paid directly to a college, university and the applicant to be applied toward tuition or appropriate fees. Proof of enrollment and university/college acceptance must be received. An acceptance letter must be presented prior to receiving the award.

**Candidate(s) may also qualify for the Nathaniel Brown, Sr. Memorial Scholarship. The applicant must enter college fall of 2020 and major in education.**

**Candidate(s) may also qualify for the Juanita Jewels Scholarship. The applicant must enter college fall of 2020 and major in education.**

The scholarship recipient will be required to attend an Annual Award Ceremony .

**Name \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_**

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**Scholarship Application**

**Applicant's Contact Information:**

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Last

First

Middle

Address

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip Code

Cell/Home Phone Number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Guardian/Parent(s) Contact Information:**

Guardian/Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip Code

Cell/Home Phone Number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Guardian/Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip Code

Cell/Home Phone Number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Number of Sibling in school (Pre-K through Undergraduate College):**

Number of Siblings in school (Include ages)

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**Education:**

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_

Guidance Counselor Name \_\_\_\_\_

Guidance Counselor Phone Number (with Extension)

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High School Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City State Zip Code

Expected Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average

Weighted \_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted \_\_\_\_\_

What College/University you plan to attend

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Your Intended Major

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What Academic awards and honors have you received?

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**Community Service and Activities:**

List your hobbies and recreational activities

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List your community activities (Non-School) including offices held, etc.

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List other extra-curricular and community services activities, during the past four years (Activities, Approximate Date of Participation, Position Held, Honors Received):

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**Work Experience:**

Do you have a part time job? If yes, describe

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List jobs you have held in the past 3 or 4 years (Job/Title, Employer, Approx. Date of Employment, Approx. Hours Per Week)

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This application along with the following items should be submitted to:

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**By Mail only and postmarked on or before**  
**Saturday, January 11, 2020**

1. Submit two letters of recommendations (no relatives):
  - One from a school Counselor or Teacher (using school letterhead)
  - Community person
  - Or Pastor / Church member (using church letterhead)
2. Submit an official high school transcript.
3. Submit a letter of acceptance from a college or university of your choice.
4. Submit a short paragraph of how you plan to use your degree to give back to your community in the future.
5. Submit an essay:
  - Please tell in 200 words why you think you should receive this financial assistance.
  - (Essay should be typed – double spaced with your name and school at the top.)

**For Guardian/Parent(s):**

I have read the foregoing application and hereby declare that the information provided is, to the best of my knowledge, accurate and complete. I am willing for my daughter/son to make this application on the conditions stipulated.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Candidate \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_