



**Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. - Tau Chapter
High Aspirations Foundation, Inc.
PO Box 7369
Atlanta, Georgia 30357- 0369**

2015 College Scholarship Essay Contest Application

Dear Participant,

In an effort to help relieve some of the financial responsibility of going to college it is with great pride that the High Aspirations Foundation, Inc. (HAFI) in conjunction with the Tau Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. announces our Annual High School Student Scholarship Essay Contest. The High Aspirations Foundation, Inc. is our chapter's 501c3 not-for-profit organization that focuses its efforts on providing scholarships for graduating high school seniors who have attained academic excellence in the classroom and is a leader in his community, amongst other charitable ventures.

HAFI, is seeking HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS who are GRADUATING MALE SENIORS for its annual scholarships. A total of \$10,000 in scholarships will be awarded for the 2015-2016 academic year. The scholarships will be awarded in the following amounts:

- **(10) \$1,000**

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. was founded on November 17, 1911, at Howard University in Washington, D.C. The founders of the fraternity were three undergraduate students and a faculty advisor. To date, the fraternity has over 700 chapters throughout the world and a membership of over 200,000 predominately African-American, college educated men who are recognized as leaders in the arts, athletics, business, civil rights, education, government, and science sectors at the local, national and international level.

Thank you for taking the time to review the attached application. All applicants interested in the scholarship award **must include an essay** and completed application. Your completed application must be postmarked no later than April 6, 2015.

For more information please contact Scholarship Chairman, Bro. Josh Tittle, at 404-422-4964.

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Eligibility Requirements

Applicants must be male high school seniors who meet the following criteria:

- Attend a Metro Atlanta area High School
- Will be attending college for the 2015-2016 Academic Year
- Demonstrate leadership activity, community service, and moral character

How to apply:

- Complete a Scholarship Application
- Submit one letter of recommendation from a teacher, mentor, or community leader
- Official Academic Transcript
- Write a 500 word essay (typed and double spaced) on the following topic:

Explain the importance of having an education? How will you use that knowledge to grow as a person today, and better society for the future?

- For those interested in a career in the healthcare field, an additional \$1,000 Healthcare Scholarship is available. Write a 500 word essay (typed and double spaced) on the following topic:

Why are you interested in the health care field? Describe a significant interest or experience that has had a major impact on your health care career goals.

Return completed application and requisite materials by April 6, 2015:

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Please type or print clearly in blue or black ink

Last Name	First Name, Middle Initial
Street Address	City, State, ZIP Code
Applicant Contact Phone Number	Applicant E-mail Address
Parent/Guardian Last Name	Parent/Guardian First Name
Parent/Guardian Street Address (if different)	Parent/Guardian City, State, ZIP (if different)
Parent/Guardian Contact Phone Number	Parent/Guardian E-mail Address
Alternate Contact Name	Alternate Contact Number
Date of Birth ____/____/____ MM/DD/YEAR	Name of High School
GPA _____ on a _____ Scale	Date of Graduation: Are you a United States Citizen Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Colleges and/or universities to which you have or will apply: _____

Anticipated Major? _____

List any honors and awards that you have received while attending high school:

List your high school extra-curricular activities, memberships, or offices held:

Describe any civic/community activities in which you have been involved:

I understand withholding information requested on this form or knowingly giving false information will make me ineligible for assistance from the High Aspirations Foundation, Inc. I certify the statements I have made on this application are correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. Also, I grant the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. permission to publish my name, picture, and amount of award and personal biographical information in conjunction with annual reports filed.

Signature of Student

Date

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