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TO: Senior/College Scholarship Guidance Counselor

FROM: Alpha Delta Kappa International Honorary Sorority for Women Educator,
Alabama Fidelis Alpha Chapter
Mrs. Mary S. Johnston, Chair

SUBJECT: Information Regarding Two Scholarships

DATE: February 28, 2025

Would you please make this scholarship information available to your seniors who are interested and make copies of the enclosed necessary forms as needed. The application deadline for both of these scholarships is April 5, 2025 (postmarked).

- The Alabama Fidelis Alpha Chapter Memorial Scholarship, in the amount of \$2,500 and renewable for three years, is offered to students majoring in education.
- The Dr. Nell Burden Skidmore Music Scholarship, in the amount of \$1,000, non-renewable, is offered to students majoring in music or music education.

We appreciate your duplicating and making these applications available to your interested seniors. Please contact me if you have any questions.

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**ALPHA DELTA KAPPA
INTERNATIONAL HONORARY SORORITY FOR WOMEN EDUCATORS
ALABAMA FIDELIS ALPHA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FORM**

This is a \$2,500 (renewable for three years if grades are maintained) scholarship for a Huntsville City, Madison City, Madison County, area private school student, or direct descendent of a current Fidelis Alpha member, regardless of residence, planning to major in education. **Complete and mail by April 5, 2025**, to the Scholarship Chair listed at the bottom of this application. Any qualifying high school graduating senior who ranks in the upper third of his/her class and has demonstrated outstanding attributes is eligible for consideration. All other things being equal, preference will be given to applicants who are descendants of active, retired, or deceased professional educators.

High School Attending: _____

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ DOB: _____

Father's Name: _____

Place of Employment: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Place of Employment: _____ Occupation: _____

Circle the Appropriate Adjusted Gross Income from Last Tax Return

Under \$30,000	\$50,000-\$65,000	\$95,000-\$110,000
\$30,000-\$40,000	\$65,000-\$80,000	\$110,000-125,000
\$40,000-\$50,000	\$80,000-\$95,000	Over \$125,000

Total No. of family members living at home: _____

No. of Parents' Dependents including you: _____

Children _____ Ages: _____ No. Attending College at _____
At Present:

Are any other siblings presently full-time college students? Yes No

Other financial considerations which need to be noted:

Government Aid (source and amount, if applicable): _____

Other Scholarship(s) (name and amount, if applicable): _____

Any Other: _____

List college(s) to which you have applied for admission _____

Have you taken the ACT or SAT? Yes No Score _____

***High School Honors/Awards:**

***Extracurricular Clubs and Activities (including any offices held as well as any volunteer work):**

***Work Experience:**

***If adequate space is not given, add an attachment.**

Applicant's Signature

Date

You must provide all three of the following in addition to this completed application form:

1. Typewritten one-page essay detailing why you want to enter the field of Elementary or secondary education, "Why I Want to be a Teacher"
2. Your high school transcript
3. One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or counselor

ALL PAPERWORK MUST BE RETURNED (POSTMARKED) NO LATER THAN APRIL 5, 2025

Return to:

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