

# North Arundel County Alumnae Chapter Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated



Dear Applicant:

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, founded in 1913, is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to provide services and programs to promote human welfare in local communities throughout the world. The North Arundel County Alumnae Chapter (NACAC) of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, is one of over 900 chapters in which the mission of the organization is realized through various programs and projects that fall within the Five-Point Programmatic thrust of the Sorority: Educational Development, Political Awareness and Involvement, International Awareness and Involvement, Physical and Mental Health, and Economic Development.

Since our inception in April 1989, our chapter has played a vital role in Anne Arundel County and we continue to provide innovative programs designed to improve the lives of families and individuals in our community.

In the area of Educational Development, NACAC encourages personal and professional growth at every stage of life. However, life-circumstances many times present barriers to achievement. For this reason, NACAC has created the *Second Chance Award*.

The purpose of the *Second Chance Award* is to offer financial support to adult women who are residents of Anne Arundel County and are facing significant hardship in their efforts to attain higher education and better employment opportunities. This award may be used to pay for a college course or other training that could enhance career possibilities. **Individuals with advanced degrees (Master's or higher) are ineligible to apply.**

The application form can be downloaded from our website at [www.nacacdst.org](http://www.nacacdst.org).

We look forward to hearing from you! If you have any questions please contact us at [scholarship@nacacdst.org](mailto:scholarship@nacacdst.org).

Sincerely,

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