



Announcement

The Members of *Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.*
at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

Announce

“The Valjeanne Taylor Grigsby
Book Scholarship Award”

In Memory of our Beloved Soror and Parishioner

The Valjeanne Taylor Grigsby Book Scholarship Award will benefit a deserving college-bound graduating high school senior who attends St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church. The award is an academic award to assist a college freshman with books and study materials. Any college-bound student who is a member of the St. Anthony Parish may apply for the Book Scholarship.

The criteria for the selection of the college-bound student will consist of:

1. Stated Financial Need
2. Academic Achievements
3. Essay – “My Goals Beyond High School” or “My Tentative Career Plans”
4. Scholastic/Extracurricular Activities
5. Community Service Activities
6. Parish Activities and Teen Ministry (requires verification signature of the Director of Religious Education)

Each student’s application will be evaluated based on the above criteria listed and the book scholarship(s) will be awarded based on available funds.

Attached is the application with instructions. The application must be completed and submitted no later than **May 7, 2023**. Completed *applications not submitted by the deadline are subject to cancellation*. The selected award recipient(s) will be announced in June 2023. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Alicia McCord-Estes at 404 432-8061 or armcestes@bellsouth.net

All scholarship requirements must be completed and monies must be requested within the academic school year of the award date.



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Scholarship Application (please type)

Name of Student Applicant: _____

Parents Name(s): _____

Name of College Student will Attend _____

Student's Planned Course of Study/ Major: _____

Student's Phone #(s): Mobile _____ Home _____

Student's email address: _____

Student's mailing address _____

Each Student must complete/submit the following items to be considered for this Scholarship:

List Scholastic Activities: _____

List Community Service Activities within the past three years: _____

List Parish Activities within the past three years: _____

Please submit the following documents.

1. Essay title "My Goals Beyond High School", 500 words or less *(one typewritten double space page only)*
2. Transcript indicating Grade Point Average(GPA)
3. Copy of Passing Scores on the GASGT (where applicable)
4. Copy of College Acceptance Letter
5. Verification of Participation in Parish Activities Form signed by Director of Religious Education, St. Anthony Catholic Church

APPLICATION DUE DATE: MAY 7, 2023. Applications may be mailed or hand-delivered to St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church c/o Delta Sigma Theta, Valjeanne Taylor Grigsby Book Scholarship, 928 Ralph D. Abernathy Blvd., Atlanta, GA 30310. If you have questions, please contact Alicia McCord-Estes at (404) 432-8061 or by email at armcestes@bellsouth.net. Please notify Ms. McCord-Estes of the submission prior to May 7, 2023.



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Verification of Participation Form

Applicant Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

List of Parish Activities over the past three (3) years (include exact or estimate of the date/year of activities):

Deltas at St. Anthony Workshop Attendance: (include dates/year):

Signature of St. Anthony Parish Director of Religious Education:

_____ **Date:** _____

Signature of Applicant

_____ **Date:** _____