



# Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc.

## ***MISSION***

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The mission of the National Education Fund, Inc. is to provide scholarship aid to needy students both male and female of all races and to conduct educational programs to enhance the quality of life.

The NEF Board of Trustees convenes annually at rotating geographical locations throughout the nation.

## ***BOARD OF TRUSTEES***

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## ***SCHOLARSHIPS***

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Scholarships are awarded to high school students, undergraduates, and post-graduate students who can demonstrate financial need.

Scholarships are funded through a variety of sources:  
Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Member Assessments  
United Way Contributions  
Special Legacy Contributions

## ***SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS***

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As an IRS 501 C-3 organization, we can accept your solicited individual and corporate contributions and your company's matching gift donations.

Please make your checks payable to:  
*Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc.*  
Mail to: P.O. Box 18616 Indianapolis, IN 46218

### ***REGIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS***

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Awarded Annually (one per region)  
Regional Scholarship Committee recommends recipient.

### ***SEVEN FOUNDERS SCHOLARSHIPS***

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(Annual Award-Number of scholarships vary yearly)

### ***NEF SCHOLARSHIPS***

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(Annual Award-Number of scholarships vary yearly)

Lorraine A. Williams  
(graduate/undergraduate - awarded Boule Year)  
Rejesta V. Perry  
(Education Majors-awarded Boule Year)  
Philo Sallie A. Williams  
(Awarded Annually)

### ***DONOR SCHOLARSHIP***

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Cleo S. Higgins  
(Doctoral Student-awarded Boule Year)  
LaRona J. Morris  
(Hotel/Restaurant Management Majors-awarded Boule Year)  
Angela E. Randall  
(Graduate/Undergraduate-Annual award)  
Vivian D. Tillman  
(Communication/Journalism-500 word essay on how recipient will use  
communication/journalism skills for the betterment of the country-Annual Award)  
Inez Colson Memorial  
(Savannah State University Students (only)-Math or Education Majors-Annual Award)  
Philo Geneva Young  
(Boule Year Award)  
LoVette Hood, Jr  
(Theology Majors-Awarded Annually)

Applicants need only to complete the NEF Scholarship Application to be considered for any of the above listed scholarships.

The NEF Scholarship Application may be viewed below.

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# **Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc.**



Dear Applicant,

This application is being forwarded to you per your request. Please complete the application along with all requested information and mail to:

**Georgia L. Johnson  
6505 Auburnhill Drive  
Austin, Texas 78723-2705**

Applications that are not accompanied by the information requested below **will not** be considered for funding.

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc., was established to provide scholarship aid to student, both male and female of all races for the pursuit of higher education. Students must attend a university, college, accredited business college or graduate school.

The recipient must be an individual with a scholastic record of **C or better**, and with a demonstrated financial need. Each individual may reapply each year that he/she meets general requirements for consideration.

Each applicant must submit along with the application, the following items:

1. Most recent transcript of work completed in high school or institution of higher learning.
2. Brief statement of ambition and financial need.
3. A copy of the current or previous year's W-2 Form and IRS Tax Return.  
(Parent/Guardian)(IRS Tax Return if High School Student)
4. Outline of high school or college activities. (see page 3 of application form)
5. Scholastic Aptitude Scores. (High School Students Only)
6. Letter of acceptance by an institution of higher learning.
7. Listing of involvement in church and community activities. (Optional for Graduates/Post Graduates)
8. Picture of applicant (wallet size - for publishing in our publications)
9. Two (2) letters of reference. (excluding family members)
10. A \$20.00 money order or cashier's check for processing. (no personal checks)  
Make payable to: Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc.

**DEADLINE: APRIL 30      SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED: SEPTEMBER 1**

Thank you for requesting the services of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc.

Sincerely,

Georgia L. Johnson  
Scholarship Chairperson

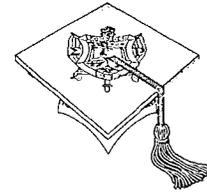
**Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority  
National Education Fund, Inc.**

**APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: F \_\_\_ M \_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Night ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip



Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

Parent(s) Mother \_\_\_\_\_

Father \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Present School Status:  
High School \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

College/University \_\_\_\_\_

Technical Institute \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Scholastic Aptitude Score: (SAT, ACT) Math \_\_\_\_\_  
Verbal \_\_\_\_\_  
Total \_\_\_\_\_

Career Interests: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Most Recent Official Transcript attached: Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Sealed with Registrar's Signature)

**SECTION A**  
(circle one)

Single / Married / Divorced  
Dependents: 1 2 3

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

If married, your spouse's occupation and approximate income \_\_\_\_\_

Your occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Income \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Siblings \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Siblings enrolled in College \_\_\_\_\_ Financial Support: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**Family Income**

Father's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Salary \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Salary \_\_\_\_\_

Other Financial Aid: \_\_\_\_\_

Explain Unusual Financial need and conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

**Estimated Educational Expenses Per Year**

Tuition/Room & Board \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Books/Supplies \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other (List) \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied for Federal or State Financial Assistance? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Financial Aid Available**

A.	Grants	Amount(s)
	Pell Grant (BEOG)	\$ _____
	(SEOG)	\$ _____
	Legislative Tuition Grant	\$ _____
	Work Study Grants	\$ _____
	Private Scholarships	\$ _____
	Graduate Assistantships	\$ _____
	Other Sources (Specify)	\$ _____

B. Loans (identify)

Total Funds Identified From Other Sources \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Requested From National Education Fund \$ \_\_\_\_\_

1. Outline of current school achievements and extracurricular activities:

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2. Church and Community Activities:

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3. Goals after Graduation:

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4. List two (2) references (excluding family members)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

5. Have individuals listed above to send letters of reference to:

**Georgia L. Johnson, Scholarship Chairperson**  
**Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc.**  
**6505 Auburnhill Drive**  
**Austin, Texas 78723-2705**

**DEADLINE: APRIL 30**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant's Signature)