**Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.**

**Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter**

**A Public Service Sorority**



June 19, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Your daughter has the opportunity to join Delta GEMS. The Delta GEMS Institute is a continuum of services that address the needs of young African American women in the grades 9 through 12 with the framework for the participants to discover and understand their individual brilliance by embracing the AIMS of the GEMS theme; Growing and Empowering Myself Successfully.

The GOALS for Delta GEMS are:

* To install the need to excel academically.
* To provide the tools that enable girls to sharpen and enhance their skills to achieve high levels of academic success.
* To assist girls in proper goal setting and planning for their future in high school and beyond.
* To create compassionate, caring, and community minded young women and actively involve them in service advocacy and community opportunities.

For your daughter to participate in the program, parents/guardians please:

* Complete in full the Delta GEMS Application
* Attend all parent programs so you will understand the program.
* Understand that a given volunteer (mentor) does not have to be a member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. and will attend all of the required training

Your daughter will need to:

* Complete a one page essay about yourself and explain why you should be chosen to be part of Delta GEMS.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Radawn Williams (405) 833-3008

Please complete the application and parent/guardian forms (incomplete application and parent/guardian forms will not be considered) and returned by July 30, 2021 to

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter

Attention: Delta GEMS

P.O. Box 54396

Oklahoma City, OK

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Email: deltagemsokcalumnae@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Angela Rogers, President, Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter

Radawn Williams, Chair Delta GEMS

**Delta GEMS Student Application**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

First Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ T-shirt Size\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Guardian(s) Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Occupation (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Number in Household (including self): \_\_\_\_\_\_

Family Income:

\_\_\_\_$29K & up \_\_\_\_$26K-29K \_\_\_\_$23K-$26K \_\_\_$20-$23K

\_\_\_\_$17K-$20K \_\_\_\_$14K-$17K \_\_\_\_$11k-$14K \_\_\_\_$9K-11K \_\_$8K-& below

Some things I enjoy doing: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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In School, I enjoy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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In school, I sometimes have difficulty with: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Delta GEMS Student Application Continued**

Some careers I am considering are: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If I could be a participant in this program, I would like my mentor to be:

\_\_ Interested in sports \_\_ Interested in indoor activities

\_\_ Interested in the arts \_\_\_ Interested in outdoor activities

I understand the purpose of the Mentor Program, and if selected intend to fulfill my responsibilities in the partnership with my mentor:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_