# PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED KAPPA UPSILON SIGMA CHAPTER BURLINGTON/ ATLANTIC COUNTIES ALUMNI CHAPTER 2025 BRO. TYRONE BAKER, SR. SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



#### Special Notes:

To obtain a copy of this scholarship application, see your Guidance Counselor.

You can complete this scholarship application using Acrobat Reader, but the application cannot be saved as a document. You must complete and print the form during one computer session. Otherwise, you will have to retype the information.

To obtain a free copy of Acrobat Reader, visit <a href="www.adobe.com">www.adobe.com</a>.

## Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated Kappa Upsilon Sigma Chapter Burlington County Alumni Chapter



#### 2025 Bro. Tyrone Baker, Sr. Scholarship Application

#### **Purpose**

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated was founded at Howard University in Washington, DC on January 9, 1914, by three young African American male students. The founders, A. Langston Taylor, Leonard F. Morse, and Charles I. Brown, wanted to organize a Greek letter fraternity that would truly exemplify the ideals of Brotherhood, Scholarship and Service. Today, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. has more than 105,000 members in 650 collegiate and alumni chapters in the continental U.S., Africa, Europe, and the Caribbean. Kappa Upsilon Sigma Chapter, the alumni chapter which services Burlington and Atlantic Counties, has designed the "Bro. Tyrone Baker, Sr. Scholarship Program" to:

- Assist male graduating seniors in obtaining a college education.
- Promote our fraternity's ideal of scholarship.

#### **Scholarship Amount**

The scholarship will be a one (1) year, nonrenewable grant of \$ 2,000.00.

#### **Key Dates**

- Applications Returned by 05/23/2025.
- Award Dispersed upon proof of enrollment.
- Award winners will be notified via phone call or email.

#### **500 Word Essay (Topic)**

Describe a time in your life that has shaped who you are as a person.

Essay must be a minimum of 500 words, but not to exceed 1000 words. Applicant's name, school and the title of the essay should appear at the top of the page. The body of the essay must be double-spaced and use a 12-point font.

The following items must be enclosed with your application for the Bro. Tyrone Baker Sr. Scholarship:

- Two (2) letters of recommendation (non-family members)
- Essay (detailed above)
- Completed Application
- Current Official Transcript
- Verification of Acceptance [Proof of enrollment is required prior to dispersal of funds]

#### Return your completed application with enclosures to:

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Kappa Upsilon Sigma Chapter Attn: Scholarship Committee P.O. Box 341 Willingboro, NJ 08046

**Application Deadline: May 23, 2025** 



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Kappa Upsilon Sigma Chapter Burlington County 2025 Bro. Tyrone Baker, Sr. Scholarship Application

### **Personal Information**

Name:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Email Address:		Date of Birth:	
Name of Parent or Legal Guardian:			
Relationship to Scholarship Applicant:			
Parent or Legal Guardian's Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Parent's/Legal Guardian's Telephone No.:	Home:	Work:	
<b>Education</b>			
Name of High School:			
Address:			
City:	State:		
Cumulative GPA: (Including 1st		Expected Date of	
semester senior year)		Graduation:	

Extracurricular Ac	tivities:									
Award and Honor	s:									
Have you taken the Scholastic Aptitude Test?						Yes		Date of Test:		
					Real		Total			
Math Score:		Score: Score			ical Reading re:			Score	:	
Have you been accepted to a						If yes,	college	starts.		
college/university?			Yes		No	date:				
Name of College:										
Address:										
City:						State:		Zip:		
Prospective Colleg	ge Majo	r:								
How did you learn about this scholarship?										

Please include the following with your completed application:

- Two separate (2) letters of recommendation from either teachers, ministers, supervisors, or community leaders
- Essay (minimum of 500 words, but not to exceed 1000 words)
- Current Official Transcript
- Letter of acceptance [Proof of enrollment required prior to dispersal of funds]

Mail information to: Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

**Kappa Upsilon Sigma Chapter Attn: Scholarship Committee** 

P.O. Box 341

Willingboro, NJ 08046

**Deadline:** May 23, 2025

#### Guidelines

The Tyrone Baker, Sr. Scholarship is for male students graduating in 2025 from a Burlington County high school. All applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.0. In addition:

 Applicants must be accepted to a bachelor's degree program to an accredited college or university.

Applicants are required to submit an essay with their application on the topic: "Describe a time in your life that has shaped who you are as a person."

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- The essay must be:
  - o At least 500 words, but not to exceed 1,000 words.
  - o Double spaced and typed on white paper utilizing a 12-point font.
- Applicants must complete the application as required and include the following materials with their application:
  - Two (2) separate letters of recommendation from either teachers, ministers, supervisors, or community leaders (non-family members)
  - Current Official Transcript
  - o Letter of acceptance [Proof of enrollment is required prior to dispersal of funds]

#### **Duties of Scholarship Committee**

Kappa Upsilon Sigma Chapter's Scholarship Committee is responsible for the entire process associated with the scholarship program. The Scholarship Committee will review allapplications and determine the award recipient. A letter of acceptance will be sent to the recipient, and a copy will be sent to the student's school. The Scholarship Committee will arrange for a public announcement naming the award recipient (graduation program, newspaper article, fraternity newsletter, etc.)