

Community Foundation of Greater Chattanooga Scholarships by Minimum GPA Requirement

Minimum 2.8 GPA Scholarship Opportunities

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. Gamma Theta Sigma Chapter Scholarship

Purpose and History: Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. was organized on November 12, 1922 in Indianapolis, Indiana by seven school teachers: Mary Lou Allison Little, Dorothy Hanley Whiteside, Vivian Irene White Marbury, Nannie Mae Gahn Johnson, Hattie Mae Dulin Redford, Bessie M. Downey Martin, and Cubena McClure. The group became an incorporated national collegiate sorority on December 30, 1929, when a chapter was granted the Alpha chapter at Butler University. Soaring to greater heights of attainment around the world, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., as a leading national service organization, has met the challenges of the day and continues to grow through Sisterhood, Scholarship and Service. In a time when education for African Americans was difficult to attain, the founders of Sigma Gamma Rho became educators. They believed that self-respect, knowledge and discipline gained through study would help individuals to recognize their duty and responsibility for their society. Thus, Sigma Gamma Rho was founded on the precept of education and continues to promote and encourage high scholastic attainment

Residency Requirement: Hamilton County, TN

School Requirement: Any Hamilton County School (Public, Private, Charter or Home-school)

Education requirement: Graduating high school senior

Scholarship Amount: One time scholarship in the amount \$500 to be used the fall following graduation

GPA minimum: 2.8

College/ Enrollment Requirement after HS graduation: any regionally accredited, non-proprietary, technical, community or four-year college or university/Full-time enrollment