

# North Dallas Suburban Alumnae Chapter



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## ***Local Alumnae Chapter Provides Scholarships to 11 Area High School Seniors***

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., North Dallas Suburban Alumnae (NDSA) Chapter has awarded 11 area graduating high school seniors from Carrollton, Dallas, DeSoto, Garland, and Richardson schools with \$1000 book scholarships for their collegiate studies next school year at their respective colleges and universities.

“NDSA is committed to the educational development of our youth,” said Jada R. Burton, chapter president. “With the ever-increasing costs of a college education, we are excited about the opportunity to assist these exemplary students in pursuing their educational goals. NDSA has provided book scholarships for more than a decade in this community and we are so pleased to continue our efforts of investing in our young people.”

Sunday, May 5, 2013 at the Emerging Artist Showcase the following students were recognized for their outstanding academic achievements, well roundness, demonstrated through their extracurricular activities, and their essay describing how their high school and community involvement has improved their lives and affected the lives of others.



**Mr. Blake Archer:** Blake currently attends Episcopal School of Dallas. He has a 3.26 GPA on a 4.0 scale. His extracurricular activities include track, soccer, Youth and Government, Mock Trial, Whiz, Chinese Club and volunteering at the Perot Museum of Nature and Science. He plans to attend Colorado College in Colorado Springs, CO, where he will major in Biology. He is the proud son of Raquel Brown.

**Miss Adit Bior:** Adit currently attends Naaman Forest High School in Garland. She has a 3.7 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Her extracurricular activities include National Honor Society Vice President, Speech and Debate Vice President, Spanish National Honor Society Historian, Acapella Choir Chaplain, Young Life Student Leader, and Fellowship of Christian Athletes Student Leader. She plans to attend the University of Texas at Austin where she will major in Neuroscience. She is the proud daughter of Deng Bior and Achol Atem.



**Miss Haleluya Chamiso:** Haleluya currently attends Irma Rangel Young Women's Leadership High School in Dallas. She has a 3.91 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Her extracurricular activities include: Student Council Vice President, GeoClub Secretary, Student Ambassadors and National Honor Society. She plans to attend Texas A&M University and major in Engineering. She is the proud daughter of Bekele Olbamo and Sosina Abebu.

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**Miss Jasmine Green:** Jasmine currently attends Lakeview Centennial High School in Garland. She has a 3.98 GPA on a 4.0 scale and is ranked #16 in her senior class. Her extracurricular activities include Principal's Advisory Council, National Honor Society, Youth Alliance, Senior Leadership Council, Plano Magnet, and Collegiate Academy. She plans to attend Loyola University in New Orleans where she will major in Chemistry. She is the proud daughter of Edward and Lorita Green.



**Miss Tiara Green:** Tiara currently attends Garland High School. She has a 3.94 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Her extracurricular activities include Youth NAACP, band, drill team, National Honor Society, and she is very involved with her church. She plans to attend the University of North Texas where she will major in Journalism. She is the proud daughter of Johnny and Yvette Green.

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**Miss Milen Haile:** Milen currently attends Berkner High School in Richardson. She has a 91 GPA on a 100 scale. Her extracurricular activities include Varsity Tennis, Key Club, Mu Alpha Theta Club, and National Honor Society. She plans to attend Texas Tech University where she will major in Nursing. She is the proud daughter of Berhane Shiker and Freweini Mehari.



**Miss Kyjeila Latimer:** Kyjeila currently attends Irma Rangel Young Women's Leadership High School in Dallas. She has a 3.55 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Her extracurricular activities include Girls Incorporated, LULAC, PALS, National Honor Society, and Israelite Baptist Church Youth Ministry. She plans to attend Xavier University of Louisiana where she will major in Pre-med. She is the proud daughter of Reginald and Linda Latimer.



**Miss Ani Mayo:** Ani currently attends Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing and Visual Arts in Dallas. She has a 3.3 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Her extracurricular activities include member of North Suburban Jack and Jill, President of Teen Group of Jack and Jill, Delta Academy and Delta GEMS, student member of Dallas Black Dance, and volunteering at her church's nursery. She plans to attend Howard University where she will major in Theater Arts (Dance). She is the proud daughter of Will and Valerie Mayo.

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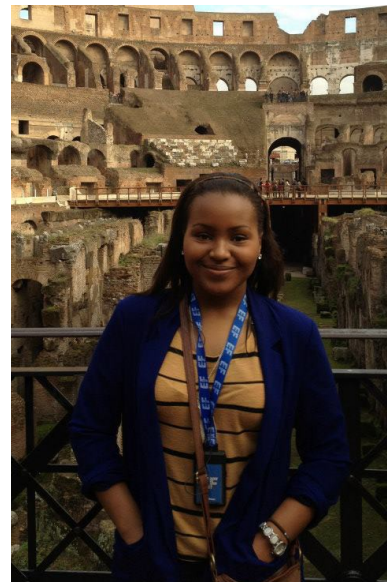
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**Miss Ariel Roman-Hicks:** Ariel currently attends Newman Smith High School in Carrollton. She has a 3.7 GPA on a 4.0 scale. Her extracurricular activities include cheerleading, choir, Student Council, Interact Club Secretary, Student Executive, and National Honor Society. She plans to attend Baylor University where she will major in Biology/Pre-medicine. She is the proud daughter of Raul Roman and Shwanda Hicks.

**Miss Brianna Spiller:** Brianna currently attends Bishop Dunne Catholic School in Dallas. She has a 3.94 GPA on a 4.0 scale and ranks #2 in her senior class. Her extracurricular activities include Student Council, National Honor Society Vice President, TAPPS Academic Team Member, Tutor at St. Cecilia's Catholic School. She plans to attend the University of Texas at Austin where she will major in Business. She is the proud daughter of Leroy and Doris Spiller.



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**Miss Leilani Wallace:** Leilani currently attends DeSoto High School. She has a 4.54 weighted GPA on a 4.0 scale and is ranked #21 in her class. Her extracurricular activities include National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, DHS Twirler, track and field, and DeSoto Youth Advisory Council. She plans to attend the University of Texas at Austin where she will major in Pre-Med/Nursing. She is the proud daughter of Rodney and Loleta Wallace.

### About Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is a public service organization founded in 1913 on the campus of Howard University to promote academic excellence; to provide support to the underserved; to educate and stimulate participation in the establishment of positive public policy; and to highlight issues and provide solutions for problems in their communities. Today, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority has over 250,000 members and more than 1000 chapters worldwide. The North Dallas Suburban Alumnae chapter, chartered in 1996, continues the sorority's tradition of sisterhood and service by implementing programs in response to identified local community concerns.

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