



**Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.**

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**Brotherhood  
Scholarship  
Service**

**Iota Alpha Sigma Chapter  
East Bay & Northern California**

## **BOOK SCHOLARSHIP 2026**

Dear Applicant:

The Iota Alpha Sigma Foundation's Book Scholarship is opened to African-American students within the geographical area of Oakland Eastbay down to San Jose, and up to Vacaville. The applicant must be a graduating high school Senior with a G. P. A. of 2.6 or higher.

Thank you for taking the time to apply for Iota Alpha Sigma Chapter's annual book scholarship. The successful candidate must be present at the Pan Hellenic Council reception. Reception date, time, and directions to the event will be given to scholarship winner.

It is important that you read the instructions listed below, before completing this application. Candidates who fail to follow the instructions will be disqualified. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

1. You must write a three to five hundred word essay on one of the following topics:
  - A. I am the most qualified person for this scholarship because:
  - B. My future goals and plans are:
  - C. The most influential person in my life is and he/she has helped me in life by:
  - D. Diversity is important to me because:
2. You must provide the screening committee with one letter of recommendation from someone who can attest to your character. (Letter may come from personal references listed on the application)
3. An official hard copy of your high school transcript must accompany your application. Fax copy not acceptable.
4. **Application form with all supporting documents must be received on or before Tuesday May 5, 2026.**
5. Mail application packet to Mr. William Bronson, Iota Alpha Sigma Chapter, 3127 Andora Drive, San Jose, CA 95148
6. Applicants must complete all portions on this application in order to be considered.
7. A recent photo should also be included.

Yours truly,

William Bronson  
Scholarship Chairman

Cedrick Soso  
President, Iota Alpha Sigma Chapter