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RECOGNIZING STUDENTS RECEIVING
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Celebration of Excellence & Achievement for Students of African Descent

Call to Order	Aba Gerri Scott
Introduction of Elders	Aba Gerri Scott
Procession	
Invocation	Minister Howard Thomas
Pouring of Libation	Chief Bode Fasuyi
Lift Every Voice and Sing	Brittany Williams & Wanda Bumphus
Greeting & Explanation of Celebration	Aba Gerri Scott & Kwesi Jeri Marshall
Ceremonial Okyeames	
Recognition of Guests & Sponsors	Esi Teresa Aldredge
Musical Selection.....	Brittany Williams & Wanda Bumphus
Introduction of Student Speakers	Ama Winnie LaNier
Student Speakers	ARC–Kimberly Bigg CRC–Diana Atkins FLC– SCC–
Drummers & Dancers.....	Fenix Drum and Dance Company
Transition Ritual ~ Conferring of Kente Strips and Stool Ceremony	
Musical Selection	Aspire Youth Choir under the direction of Elika Bernard
Closing Remarks	Aba Gerri Scott
Recessional	

Reception Immediately Following Ceremony

Explanation of Rituals and Symbols

Call to Order

Drumming will be used as an instrument to communicate that the Ceremony is about to begin. It also sends a signal to all participants (honorees and guests) the transitional moment of focusing our collective attention and energy on the event about to take place. Through these deeds, we create a sacred space to express our greatest intentions so that what we do can be for the greatest good.

Permission from Elders/Eldership

In many African societies, 'Elders' are the custodians of the village, community or land. Because of this caretaking and oversight role, it is appropriate that we ask their blessings for any event, activity or plans involving that community/village. This is also done as a sign of respect, and in recognition of the experience and knowledge of the elders of our community.

Okyeame

"Okyeame" is an Akan word which represents a spokesperson, ambassador, and interpreter to a village (community) elder or chief.

Pouring of Libation

The African tradition of pouring Libation at all important social gatherings is another way to communicate with God and to honor and remember our ancestors. Libation recognizes those members of our family and larger community that lived in the past and laid the foundation for those of us still living.

Transition Ritual

We are gathered here to honor our students and symbolically mark their transition in the educational arena. This transition ceremony is also a way to communicate those values, intentions and behaviors important to the continued facilitation of growth and development toward fulfillment of future goals. The conferring of kente cloth strips and the Stool Ceremony will serve as the symbols in this Transition Ritual.

- **Kente Cloth**

The Kente cloth originates from the Asante Kingdom of Ghana. Kente is an Asante ceremonial cloth that comes in various colors, sizes, and design and are worn during very important social and religious occasions. In a cultural context, kente is more important than just a cloth. It is a visual representation of history, philosophy, ethics, oral literature, moral values, and social code of conduct, religious beliefs, political thought and aesthetic principles. Conferring the kente cloth symbolizes our historical and cultural tradition of continuing to strive for excellence and achievement. The Kente students receive is meant to remind them of their accomplishments and reinforce their responsibility to continue that which is good.

- **Stool Ceremony**

According to tradition, the Golden Stool which is made of pure gold, flew out of the sky and landed on the lap of the first king of the Asante's, Nana Osei-Tutu. The nation prospered and flourished and became famous for gold and brass, and the famous brightly colored hand-woven 'kente' cloth which is widely recognized as an African symbol. The Golden Stool is considered to be so sacred that no one is allowed to sit on it. It is kept under the strictest security and is taken outside only on exceptional occasions and never comes into contact with the ground. The Stool has become a symbol of the unifying force of the Asante people and it is believed to contain the soul or sunsum of the Asante nation. Replicas of the Golden Stool are hand carved out of wood and used in the enstoolment ceremonies of chiefs, kings, and queen mothers. The Asante Stools are also used in religious, transitional and/or rite of passage ceremonies.

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LIFT EV’RY VOICE AND SING,
‘TIL EARTH AND HEAVEN RING,
RING WITH THE HARMONIES OF LIBERTY;
LET OUR REJOICING RISE
HIGH AS THE LIST’NING SKIES,
LET IT RESOUND LOUD AS THE ROLLING SEA.
SING A SONG FULL OF THE FAITH THAT THE DARK PAST HAS TAUGHT US,
SING A SONG FULL OF THE HOPE THAT THE PRESENT HAS BROUGHT US;
FACING THE RISING SUN OF OUR NEW DAY BEGUN,
LET US MARCH ON ‘TIL VICTORY IS WON.

STONY THE ROAD WE TROD,
BITTER THE CHASTENING ROD,
FELT IN THE DAYS WHEN HOPE UNBORN HAD DIED;
YET WITH A STEADY BEAT,
HAVE NOT OUR WEARY FEET
COME TO THE PLACE FOR WHICH OUR FATHERS SIGHED?
WE HAVE COME OVER A WAY THAT WITH TEARS HAS BEEN WATERED,
WE HAVE COME, TREADING OUR PATH THROUGH THE BLOOD OF THE
SLAUGHTERED,
OUT FROM THE GLOOMY PAST,
‘TIL NOW WE STAND AT LAST WHERE THE WHITE GLEAM OF OUR BRIGHT
STAR IS CAST.

GOD OF OUR WEARY YEARS,
GOD OF OUR SILENT TEARS,
THOU WHO HAS BROUGHT US THUS FAR ON THE WAY;
THOU WHO HAS BY THY MIGHT LED US INTO THE LIGHT,
KEEP US FOREVER IN THE PATH, WE PRAY.
LEST OUR FEET STRAY FROM THE PLACES, OUR GOD, WHERE WE MET
THEE,
LEST OUR HEARTS DRUNK WITH THE WINE OF THE WORLD, WE FORGET
THEE;
SHADOWED BENEATH THY HAND,
MAY WE FOREVER STAND,
TRUE TO OUR GOD, TRUE TO OUR NATIVE LAND.

