

CHANGES TO STATE CHAPTER RULES TO COINCIDE WITH CHANGES IN INTERNATIONAL CONSTITUTION AND STANDING RULES

CATEGORY

WORDING

Membership joining

Membership in The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International shall be by invitation. At the time she joins the Society, a member becomes a member of the international Society, a state organization and a chapter.
(preferred wording)

Membership reserve membership

Reserve membership shall be granted only to a member who is unable to participate fully in the activities of the chapter because of medical disability, geographic location, and/or no technological connection/skill.
(slight change of definition of reserve member)

Membership honorary

A chapter or state organization honorary member shall be a woman not eligible for active membership who has rendered notable service to education or to women and is elected to honorary membership in recognition of such service.
(specific wording to be used)

Membership collegiate

Collegiate members shall be undergraduate or graduate students who meet the following criteria:

- a. Bachelor student collegiate members shall be
 1. enrolled in an institution offering coursework leading to a career in education; and have the intention to continue academically and professionally in the field of education; and
 2. be enrolled within the last two years of their bachelor's/education degree.
- b. Graduate/Masters/Doctoral student collegiate members shall have Graduate/Masters/Doctoral standing in an institution offering coursework in the field of education; and have the intent to continue academically and professionally in the field of education.

When a collegiate member starts her career as a paid educator, she will pay active member dues and become an active member. If a collegiate member does not pursue a career as an educator, her membership will expire upon graduation or withdrawal from the education degree program.
(change of designation of collegiate students to agree with international designations [which do not use the words graduate and undergraduate], slight change of wording concerning coursework)

Induction Fee

Induction fee is eliminated, no longer collecting it.

New Members dues

New members shall become members when dues are paid. New members who join between July 1 and Dec. 31 shall pay full international dues for current fiscal year. New members who join between January 1 and March 31 shall pay half dues. New members joining between April 1 and June 30 shall pay full international dues for the ensuing year. Reinstated members shall pay full annual dues whenever reinstated. Chapter and state organization dues may be pro-rated as the chapter/state organization determines. Immediately thereafter, the state organization portion of the dues shall be sent to the state organization treasurer and the international portion to the International Headquarters.
(structure of international dues collection)

