

2021 - 2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

CHAPTER STANDARDS



Chapter Standards

Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

Academics

1. Chapter recruits potential new members who have **at or above** a 2.5 **cumulative** high school GPA, or, if established, collegiate GPA.
2. Chapter achieves a minimum, semesterly, chapter GPA at or above the campus all men's average GPA or achieves a 2.7 semesterly GPA for campuses who do not provide an all-men's average GPA.

Education and Programming

3. Chapter sends the required officers - no substitute officers - to attend Webb Academy in its entirety.
4. Chapter sends 50% of associate members in each associate member class to attend Noble Man Institute in its entirety.
5. Chapter sends required delegates to attend Grand Conclave in its entirety.
6. Chapter executes Path of Principles in its entirety with associate members.

Finance & Administration

7. Chapter meets all administrative and financial deadlines each semester as outlined in the Important Dates and Deadlines Document.
8. Chapter is current on all academic year finances, having a \$0 balance in their National Dues and Fees, Conferences, Member Safety Fee*, and housing registers by December 31 and May 31.
9. Chapter elects new officers in November and updates contact information for all officers in Vault by December 1.

Member Safety & Wellness

10. Chapter abides by the Fraternity's Member Safety and Wellness Policy.
11. All member education, recruitment, and ritual events are alcohol-free.

Recruitment & Retention

12. Chapter size is equal to or greater than the IFC average chapter size or 28 members – whichever is higher.
13. Chapter retains 85% of total associate members from association to initiation.
14. Chapter supports "student choice" or 365 recruitment.

Ritual

15. Chapter performs association and initiation ceremonies, as instructed by the Sigma Tau Gamma ritual book, for every academic semester in which a chapter extends bids to potential new members.
16. Initiation of associate members takes place in the same semester in which bids are extended.

Service & Philanthropy

17. Chapter averages at least 12 hours of service per member per semester.
18. Chapter hosts at least one fundraiser a year through CrowdChange to raise funds for Special Olympics.

*Member Safety Fee is due, in full, by October 1

Important Dates and Deadlines

Fall 2021 – Spring 2022

OCTOBER 2021

Member Safety Balance Due
 Fall Association Report Due
 Form 990: Tax Organizer Due

DUE DATE

October 1, 2021
 October 1, 2021
 October 1, 2021

Admin. Suspension & Surcharge
 \$200 Late Fee
 Admin. Suspension & \$200 Late Fee

NOVEMBER 2021

Fall Initiation Report Due
 Spring Roster Update Due
 Annual Officer Elections

November 1, 2021
 November 15, 2021
 Chapter Discretion

\$200 Late Fee

DECEMBER 2021

Officer Updates in Vault Due
 National Dues & Fees Balances Due
National Dues & Fees, Member Safety, Conferences

December 1, 2021
 December 31, 2021

JANUARY 2022

Virtual Webb Academy Attendance
President, Director of Finance, and
 Standards Board Chairman
 In-Person Webb Academy Attendance
Director of Recruitment and Director of
 Education & Wellness

January 8 – 9, 2022
 January 14 – 16, 2022

MARCH 2022

Spring Association Report Due

March 1, 2022

\$200 Late Fee

APRIL 2022

Spring Initiation Report Due
 Fall Roster Update Due
 Chapter Standards Report Due

April 1, 2022
 April 15, 2022
 April 15, 2022

\$200 Late Fee
 Admin. Suspension

MAY 2022

National Dues & Fees Balances Due
National Dues & Fees, Member Safety, Conferences

May 31, 2022

JUNE 2022

Grand Conclave Attendance

June 23 – 26, 2022