



PHI GAMMA DELTA

BUILDING COURAGEOUS LEADERS

PHI GAMMA DELTA'S PLEDGE EDUCATION MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

The minimum requirements for pledge education can be found in Section 19.34 of the Fraternity's Bylaws. Below is an outlined summary of the requirements outlined in the Bylaws.

All chapter pledge education programs must:

- **Be written** and available for review by the Chapter's graduates, Field Secretary and Greek Advisor upon request.
- **Be organized and planned in advance.** A detailed week by week schedule should be included within the program.
- **Be a maximum of 12 weeks in length.** The Fraternity recommends program length of 6-8 weeks. Chapters must abide by campus requirements where they are more stringent.
- Use and provide to each pledge the **Purple Pilgrim**.
- Focus on education, not training. This means that all testing and similar requirements focus on general fraternity knowledge, not useless memorization.
- Pledges shall be initiated following the conclusion of the pledge education program.
- Abide by Section 25.33 **Prohibition of Hazing**.