

**2021 - 2022**  
**RECOGNITION OF CHAPTER ACHIEVEMENT**

The Chapter Achievement initiative provides for acknowledgment, recognition, and appreciation in a tangible way for those chapters who meet the criteria at various levels of achievement. It is a thank you to chapters who have stretched the potential of their membership to achieve the mission of Delta Kappa Gamma. This document is to be used as a tool, providing guidance, possibility, and reflection for chapters in NC DKG.

- Notes:**  
**(1) Omission of required information throughout the form constitutes zero points (ie. names, dates, titles, etc.).**  
**(2) An entry can only be used once to earn points.**

**Activities completed March 2, 2021 – March 1, 2022**

**Achievement Levels :**  
**Superior** 700+  
**Excellent** 575+  
**Distinctive** 450+  
**Honorable Mention Below** 450

**\*\*The application must be completed by the chapter president and submitted by March 1st, 2022**

<b>Chapter</b>		<b>Region</b>	
<b>President</b>			

<b>Email</b>		<b>Phone</b>	
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<b>Date Form Sent to Regional Director</b>	
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Chapter Activities/Responsibilities	Points	Completed: (Indicate Points Earned)
<b>Chapter Leadership: (All reports submitted by deadline and to correct person(s))</b>		
Chapter membership showed a <u>Net</u> increase (3/2/2021 to 3/1/2022)	10 pts	
Chapter reinstated member(s) in (3/2/2021 to 3/1/2022) Reinstated Member Name(s)	20 pts per member 40 pts max	
Chapter inducted new member(s) in (3/2/2021 to 3/1/2022) New Member Name(s)	5 pts per member 20 pts max	
Treasurer's Report to State Treasurer by 8/1/2021	5 pts	
State Treasurer received all chapter dues and fees by 8/15/2021	5 pts	
Chapter Rules in compliance and submitted digitally to the State Rules Committee by 10/24/2024. This is a requirement every four years.	N/A	N/A
Form 990N submitted to IRS by 11/15/2021	5 pts	
Chapter Directory (print or digital) sent to Regional Director by 12/15/2021	10 pts	
President's Report to State President by 2/1/2022	5 pts	
Orientation Meeting held for potential members	10 pts	

<b>Chapter/Member Engagement: (Chapter/Region/State/International)</b>		
Chapter active membership (No. of Members): Average percentage of attendance at meetings =	15 pts = 60%+, 10 pts = 40%+, 5 pts = 20%+	
Participated in the 2021 NC DKG Virtual Convention (April 23 - 25) Member(s) Name(s):	10 pts per member 40 pts max	
Presented at the 2021 NC DKG Virtual Convention(April 23 - 25) Member(s) Name(s):	10 pts per member 40 pts max	
Participated as NC DKG Virtual Marketplace <b>vendor</b> during the NC DKG Virtual Convention(April 23 - 25)	10 pts	
Participated in the 2021 NC DKG Leadership Development Seminar (April 24) Member(s) Name(s):	5 pts each 10 pts max	
Participated in ASK Time Sessions (President/Representative)	1-3 sessions = 5 pts 4-6 sessions = 10 pts 7+ = 15pts	
Participated in the 2021 DKG Virtual or In-person International Conference (July 2021) Member(s) Name(s) and Conference attended:	10 pts per member 40 pts max	
Attendance: 2021 Fall Executive Board Meeting - Greensboro: President/Representative (name)	10 pts	
Attendance: New Chapter Leaders Training (Even Years): Member(s)	N/A	N/A
Chapter member serves on a NC DKG committee or NC DKG Educational Foundation committee Member(s) Name(s):	5 pts each 15 pts max	
Member(s) completed the NC DKG Professional Award Survey. (Distributed by NC DKG Awards Committee 2020 - 2021) Member(s) Name(s):	5 pts each 20 pts max	
<b>Chapter Communications:</b>		
First time to have a website and/or newsletter.	5 pts each 10 pts max	
Four Newsletters published. List dates (month/year) newsletters were published.	10 pts each 40 pts. max	
Website displays the current seal of compliance only.	10 pts	
Website updated quarterly. List dates website was updated.	5 pts per update 20 pts max	
Promote chapter through social media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc.)	10 pts	
Press releases submitted to local news media. *Include dates submitted or published.	5 pts each - 20 pts max	

<b>Chapter Activities:</b>		
Chapter member(s) submitted an entry to the <i>DKG Bulletin International Journal for Professional Educators</i> or the <i>DKG Collegial Exchange</i> . *Include member name, date submitted, and entry title.	5 pts each <b>(per submission)</b> 10 pts max	
Chapter member(s) published in the <i>DKG Bulletin International Journal for Professional Educators</i> or the <i>DKG Collegial Exchange</i> . *Include member name, entry title, publication, and date published.	10 pts each <b>(if accepted/published)</b> 20 pts max	
Chapter or member news submitted to <i>NC DKG News</i> *Include title and date.	5 pts	
Chapter member(s) submitted an entry to an educational website outside of DKG. *Include member name, website name, and date submitted.	5 pts	
Chapter member(s) submitted an entry to a professional journal outside of DKG. *Include member name, Journal name, and date submitted. *If published, include article title and date.	5 pts	
Chapter member(s) submitted an entry to the DKG Gallery of Fine Arts. *Include member name, category and date.	5 pts each 10 pts max	
NEW marketing strategy created for chapter in 2021-2022. See the <i>Communication and Marketing Tools</i> section on the DKG International website. *Include date and a short description.	10 pts	
<b>*Quality Programs:</b> (a minimum of four) focusing on the NC vision statement - <b>Voices of Influence Empowering NC Women Educators</b> and the 2021-2022 state themes- <b>“Ready, Set, GROW!”</b> and <b>“Linking: Past, Present, Future”</b> . *Briefly describe programs.		
(1)	10 pts	
(2)	10 pts	
(3)	10 pts	
(4)	10 pts	
Chapter member(s) presented program(s) within their chapter. Include presenter name(s):	10 pts	
Chapter planned and implemented activities related to <b>Beginning Teacher Support</b> . *Excluding The Buzzing Bee initiative. Provide a brief description below of your chapter’s activities.	10 pts	

Chapter implemented the NC DKG Beginning Teacher Support Committee initiative: The Buzzing BEE!	10 pts	
Chapter planned and presented information on <b>Schools for Africa</b> (ie. Knickers for New Life, etc.). *Provide a brief description below:	10 pts	
Chapter planned, implemented, and submitted events/activities to the EEC Resource page that support the Educational Excellence Committee. Refer to NC DKG & DKG International website. *Provide a brief description below of your chapter events/activities:	15 pts	
Chapter submitted Mentor Tips. Refer to NC DKG website. *Provide a brief description below of your chapter events/activities:	15 pts	
Chapter hosted special virtual event(s) to promote member engagement (ie. game night, murder mystery, book club, etc). *Include description:	10 pts	
Chapter promoted member engagement through the use of unique outreach methods (ie. handcrafted postcards to members, masks, poetry, flocking, monthly/seasonal contacts, etc ). *Include description:	10 pts	
Chapter/member participated in DKG virtual opportunity beyond NC DKG not related to conventions or conferences (US Forums, DKG art sessions, etc). *Include member(s) and session title:	10 pts	
Preserve chapter history through scrapbook or digital format.	10 pts	
<b>Chapter Community Project(s): Not individual/personal service</b>		
Give a brief description below of a chapter project(s) involving donations (include estimation of number of donations):	10 pts	
Give a brief description below of a different <b>chapter</b> project(s) involving chapter volunteer service. *Include the project title and # of members involved.	20 pts	
<b>Chapter Strategic Plan:</b>		
Chapter Strategic Plan reflects goals and specific actions of the NC DKG Strategic Plan. Date approved by chapter:	10 pts	

<b>Correspondence and Invitations Beyond the Chapter:</b>		
State or local official invited to a chapter meeting. (ie. House of Representative) * Include name(s) of official and date(s):	10 pts	
Chapter communications with elected officials (local/state/national). *Include name(s) of official and date(s):	10 pts	
NC DKG President or her designee, state officer or related personnel participated in a meeting. *Include date and name of attendee:	5 pts Attendance + 10 pts for Presentation 15 pts max	
NC DKG President or her designee participated in a multi-chapter meeting/event. (2 or more chapters) *Each chapter attending receives 10 points * Include date and name of attendee:	5 pts Attendance + 10 pts for Presentation 15 pts max	
Regional Director participated in a meeting/event. *Include date and name of attendee:	5 pts Attendance + 10 pts for Presentation 15 pts max	
Prospective member(s) attends DKG events (ie. chapter meeting, chapter social event, convention, chapter presentation, etc.) *Include member name(s) and guest(s):	5 pts 15 pts max	
<b>Scholarships/Grants:</b>		
Chapter member submitted an application for a NC DKG State/International Scholarship. Applicant's Name:	5 pts	
Chapter member submitted an application for a NC DKG Educational Foundation Grant. Applicant's Name:	5 pts	
Chapter member submitted an application for DKG Ignite. Applicant's Name:	N/A	N/A
Chapter member submitted an application for the Lucile Cornetet Award for Professional Development. Applicant's Name:	5 pts	
Chapter member submitted an application for a DKG Educational Foundation Project Award. Applicant's Name:	5 pts	
Chapter Grant/Award to a Non-member	15 pts	
Chapter Grant/Award to a Member	15 pts	

<b>Contributions:</b>		
Any International Fund (Educational Foundation, Emergency, DKGIgnite, International Speakers, etc.) Fund name and date submitted:	10 pts	
World Fellowship: Date submitted:	10 pts	
Schools for Africa: Date submitted:	10 pts	
NC DKG Headquarters Fund Date submitted:	20 pts if \$2 per member OR 30 pts if \$3 per member	
Chapter contributed to the 2021 NC DKG Convention project (Knickers for New Life).	10 pts	
Pauline Longest Leadership Fund (Must be <b>made directly to NC DKG Educational Foundation website <a href="http://www.ncdkgef.org">www.ncdkgef.org</a> or mailed to Foundation Treasurer, Betty Marshall.</b> ) Date submitted:	20 pts	
NC DKG Scholarship Fund (Must be <b>made directly to NC DKG Educational Foundation website <a href="http://www.ncdkgef.org">www.ncdkgef.org</a> or mailed to Foundation Treasurer, Betty Marshall.</b> ) Date submitted:	20 pts	
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<b>Chapter Awards and Recognitions:</b>		
Chapter recognized members at various membership milestones. For example, recognition of members for years of membership. Provide a brief description below of your chapter's recognition efforts.	15 pts	
Chapter recognized members with 10 or fewer years for outstanding contributions to the work of DKG. *Those taking leadership roles, attending events beyond the chapter level, and making significant contributions to chapter/state/international programs and projects. Provide a brief description of your chapter's recognition efforts.	15 pts	
Chapter submitted a Founders Award nomination Name:	N/A	N/A
Chapter submitted a nomination for 2022 Golden Key Award Name:	10 pts	

Chapter submitted a nomination for 2022 Rising Star Award Name:	10 pts	
Chapter submitted a nomination for 2022 Beginning Teacher Award Name:	10 pts	
Chapter submitted a nomination for NC DKG Member Spotlight Name:	10 pts	

**Total Points Earned:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Chapter President has reviewed the application.**

**Regional Director has reviewed the application.**

***\*\*In addition to the Honorable Mention, Superior, Excellent and Distinctive achievement levels, a Presidential Chapter Achievement Award will be given to the top five (5) scores. Chapter recognition will be at the 2022 NC DKG Convention. Digital Badges will be provided for all levels of achievement.***