



**ALPHA DELTA KAPPA**  
**EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION AWARD**  
**FRATERNITY EDUCATION**

**Please promote the Excellence in Education (EiE) Award at the April, May and June chapter meetings of the odd-numbered year by using the following information.**

**Purposes:** This is Alpha Delta Kappa's educator of the biennium award. As an organization that promotes excellence in education, it is an essential program that was designed to recognize members for outstanding contributions in education, to promote the goals and purposes of Alpha Delta Kappa (ΑΔΚ), to increase the visibility of the organization and to offer an additional benefit for being a member.

**Why should chapter members nominate sisters?** Imagine how honored a member would feel to be recognized by her sisters as an exemplary educator. Members that are active educators may also self-nominate. Furthermore, picture how proud the chapter members would be if the nominee is the recipient at the State/Province/Nation (S/P/N) level and goes on to be recognized at the regional level. The regional recipient receives an award of \$500 from the ΑΔΚ Foundation. That regional recipient would then be eligible to receive the highest recognition at the International level which includes a monetary grant of \$5,000 to use for educational purposes. This is a once in a biennium opportunity for recognition!

**What are the criteria for nomination?** Nominate an active member who is actively engaged in the education profession and under contract in teaching, administration or some specialized field of education; exhibits exceptional professional dedication, knowledge and skills; is recognized as an outstanding educator by colleagues, parents and students; has made exemplary contributions to education; shows evidence of professional achievement and success; and demonstrates school/community collaboration.\**A member can be nominated again for this award at the S/P/N level.*

**How does an Alpha Delta Kappa member become nominated?** The process is simple. A Sample Nomination Form is available on the ΑΔΚ website. The online live Nomination Form is active April 15, odd-year with a deadline of November 1. A narrative describing why the nominee is a worthy candidate must be uploaded with the online Nomination Form. Nominees will receive the emailed Kaleidoscope Application link by November 10, odd-year. Application deadline is January 15, even-year.

*Information pertaining to the EiE award can be located on the International website under MEMBERSHIP, click on Scholarships and Grants, then click on Excellence in Education.*

**EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION TIMELINE IN BRIEF**

- Promote the Excellence in Education Award at the chapter level in April, May and June, odd-numbered year.
- Remind chapter members of the November 1, odd-numbered year, deadline in September and October.
- Submit nomination forms **by** November 1, odd-numbered year through the online link to Kaleidoscope.
- S/P/N nominees will be emailed the online Application link to be completed by January 15, even-year deadline.
- S/P/N recipient is recognized at the S/P/N convention held in the spring, even-numbered year.
- S/P/N recipient is recognized at the regional conference, held in the summer of the even-numbered year, where a regional recipient is named.
- The seven regional recipients are recognized at International convention, held during July in the odd-numbered year, where the International recipient is named.

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