### **New Member Education Plan Fall 2025**

#### **During Fidelity for New Members**

The following items must be completed during Fidelity for New Members. Indicate that you have a plan for these items by checking the boxes below and setting a completion date.

A guide to implementing the four-week Fidelity for New Members model can be found on page 3. A guide to implementing the weekly in-person meetings can be found beginning on page 4. Both guides must be completed to submit a complete New Member Education Plan.

**Note:** All new member education programming included above must be completed within a four-week time frame.

#### Implementing The Four-Week Fidelity For New Members Model

Please use the following guide to fully implement the new member education programming using the four-week model. Indicate that you have a plan for these items by filling in the blanks below. Please note that the below outline is intended to be a guide and can be adapted to meet the needs of your chapter.

	Ritual Services and Programs	Fidelity for New Members
Week One	<ul><li>Bid Day (9/19)</li><li>Ribbon Pinning Service</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Week One Online Lesson (started 10/14)</li> <li>Week One In-Person Meeting</li> <li>Gamma Pals</li> </ul>
Week Two	<ul><li>Randomly assign Big/Little pairs</li><li>Badge orders</li></ul>	<ul><li>Week Two Online Lesson</li><li>Week Two In-Person Meeting</li><li>Phi Friends</li></ul>
Week Three	• Big/Little Reveal	<ul> <li>Week Three Online Lesson</li> <li>Week Three In-Person Meeting</li> <li>Beta Buddies</li> <li>Sisterhood program page 61</li> </ul>
Week Four	<ul> <li>New Member Exam (online)</li> <li>International new member dues paid prior to Initiation</li> <li>New Member Pledging Service</li> <li>Initiation</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Week Four Online Lesson</li> <li>Week Four In-Person Meeting</li> <li>Sisterhood program page 76</li> <li>Sisterhood program page 80</li> </ul>

#### **Activity Date Time Location**

Ribbon Pinning Service	9/19/2025	5pm	Chapter House
Big/Little Reveal	10/30/2025		
Initiation	11/5/2025	7pm	Chapter House

## **Fidelity for New Member In-Person Meetings**

**Directions**: Use the below guide to coordinate all elements of the weekly Fidelity for New Members in person meetings. Indicate that you have a plan for these items by filling in the blanks below.

#### Week One

**Note**: Additional information about the Week One In-Person Meeting can be found on Page 37 in the Fidelity for New Members: Facilitator Guide.

Date: 10/14 Meeting Location: Chapter house

Time: 7pm

#### **Overview Of New Member Education**

- Provide an overview of the new member education program by following the Overview of New Member Education guidelines below.
- Recite the New Member Pledge.
- · Sing "The Blessing."

#### 10-Minute Recap: Week One Online Lesson

• Review content in the online lesson by following the 10-Minute Recap.

#### **Guest Speaker: Financial Vice President (Fvp)**

• Invite the FVP to attend the new member meeting to explain OmegaFi and new member financial obligations.

#### **Carnation Crew Meeting**

- Assign all new members to their Carnation Crew and introduce the Carnation Crew leaders.
- New members meet with their Carnation Crews.
- Follow Carnation Crew meeting guidelines.

#### **Sisterhood Program**

• Facilitate one to two sisterhood programs from Group A by following the Sisterhood Program guidelines.

#### **Announcements And Reminders**

· Make any final announcements and reminders during this time

#### **Week Two**

**Note**: Additional information about the Week Two In-Person Meeting can be found on Page 51 in the Fidelity for New Members: Facilitator Guide.

Date: 10/21 Meeting Location: Chapter house

Time: 7pm

#### WELCOME

- Recite the New Member Pledge, found on page 6 of the new member guide and page 6 of the facilitator guide.
- Sing "The Blessing," found on page 6 of the new member guide and page 6 of the facilitator guide.
- Teach one Gamma Phi Beta chant or song.

#### 10-MINUTE RECAP: WEEK TWO ONLINE LESSON

• Review content in the online lesson by following the 10-Minute Recap guidelines on page 52.

#### GUEST SPEAKER: EDUCATION VICE PRESIDENT (EVP) AND PUBLIC RELATIONS VICE PRESIDENT (PRVP)

• Invite the EVP and PRVP to attend the new member meeting. Each guest speaker will provide a five-minute overview of their department. Follow the guidelines on page 53.

#### **CARNATION CREW MEETING**

• Facilitate progressive conversations by following the guidelines on page 54.

#### SISTERHOOD PROGRAM

• Facilitate one to two sisterhood programs from Group B by following the Sisterhood Program guidelines on page 72.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS**

• Make any final announcements and reminders during this time.

#### **DISMISSAL**

• New members are dismissed.

#### **Week Three**

**Note**: Additional information about the Week One In-Person Meeting can be found on Page 57 in the Fidelity for New Members: Facilitator Guide.

Date: 10/28 Meeting Location: Chapter house

Time: 7pm

#### WELCOME

- Recite the New Member Pledge, found on page 6 of the new member guide and page 6 of the facilitator guide.
- Sing "The Blessing," found on page 6 of the new member guide and page 6 of the facilitator guide.
- Take attendance.
- Teach one Gamma Phi Beta chant or song.

#### 10-MINUTE RECAP: WEEK THREE ONLINE LESSON

• Review content in the online lesson by following the 10-minute recap guidelines on page 58.

# GUEST SPEAKER: PANHELLENIC AFFAIRS VICE PRESIDENT (PAVP) AND ADMINISTRATIVE VICE PRESIDENT (AVP)

• Invite the PAVP and AVP to attend the new member meeting. Each guest speaker will provide a five-minute overview of their department. Follow the guidelines on page 59.

#### **CARNATION CREW MEETING TIME**

• Facilitate progressive conversations by following the guidelines on page 60.

#### SISTERHOOD PROGRAM

• Facilitate the sisterhood program by following the guidelines on page 61.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS**

• Make any final announcements and reminders during this time.

#### DISMISSAL

• New members are dismissed.

Note:

During week 3 COB big little will occur

#### **Week Four**

**Note**: Additional information about the Week One In-Person Meeting can be found on Page 63 in the Fidelity for New Members: Facilitator Guide.

Date: 11/4 Meeting Location: Chapter house

Time: 7pm

#### **WELCOME**

- Recite the New Member Pledge, found on page 6 of the new member guide and page 6 of the facilitator guide.
- Sing "The Blessing," found on page 6 of the new member guide and page 6 of the facilitator guide.
- Take attendance.
- Teach one Gamma Phi Beta chant song.

#### 10-MINUTE RECAP: WEEK FOUR ONLINE LESSON

• Review content in the online lesson by following the 10-Minute Recap guidelines on page 64.

#### **GUEST SPEAKER: MEMBERSHIP VICE PRESIDENT (MVP)**

• Invite the MVP to attend the new member meeting. The guest speaker will provide a five-minute overview of their department. Follow the guidelines on page 65.

#### **CARNATION CREW MEETING TIME**

• Facilitate progressive conversations by following the guidelines on page 65.

#### SISTERHOOD PROGRAM ONE

• Facilitate one sisterhood program from Group C by following the Sisterhood Program guidelines on page 76.

#### SISTERHOOD PROGRAM TWO

• Facilitate one sisterhood program from Group D by following the Sisterhood Program guidelines on page 80.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS**

Make any final announcements and reminders during this time.

#### **DISMISSAL**

New members are dismissed.

Note: During week 4 **initiation will occur on 11/6**, new members will be asked to come to the chapter house wearing all white. The ritual chair will lead initiation.

#### After week 4 meeting

- Members will complete the New Member Exam 11/5
- Post initiation online lesson 11/7
- Post Initiation workshop 11/7
- Continue sisterhood post initiation through sisterhood events