

Fraternity and Sorority Life

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Dear Chapter Presidents, Chapter Advisors, Faculty Advisors, & Headquarters Staff:

This letter contains information regarding the Spring 2025 academic report for all fraternities and sororities at George Mason University. Please take time to review your chapter's information and contact our office with any questions.

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the top three sororities and fraternities with the highest Grade Point Average (GPA) during the 2025 Spring Semester.

Sororities: Alpha Kappa Alpha (3.53), alpha Kappa Delta Phi (3.45), and Kappa Phi Gamma (3.36) Fraternities: Chi Phi, Omega Psi Phi (3.25), and Iota Nu Delta

In addition, during the 2025 Spring semester 32% of our fraternity and sorority members made the Dean List having received at minimum a 3.5 Term GPA. We are very proud of our community scholars and recognize there is still room for improvement regarding our community's overall academic performance. Below is the general academic information for our FSL community and overall George Mason community.

All-FSL:	3.03	All-Sorority:	3.14	All-Fraternity:	2.90
All-Student:	3.18	All-Female:	3.28	All-Male:	3.08

George Mason University recognizes the importance that scholastic achievement plays in the success of a chapter. All chapters are asked to maintain a 2.5 term GPA and 100% of our chapters met our standard. Those that did not will have to meet with our office to develop a scholarship action plan and will also lose certain privileges for the Fall 2025 semester.

In closing, George Mason has a wide array of resources available to chapters and members of the Fraternity and Sorority Community. If you have a successful academic program that you would like to share with our community or are looking to get tips on how to increase your chapter's GPA, please let us know. If you have questions or concerns about any information listed in this report don't hesitate to contact us at (703) 993-2909 to set up an appointment to discuss your chapter's needs or concerns.

Interfraternally,

Phil McDaniel Associate Director

Population Statistics															
Frate	raternity Members 471 Undergraduate Men 13,841		13,841	Fraternity Member %		3.4% Active Members 855			Academic Statistics						
Soror	ity Members	500	Undergra	aduate V	Women	13,314	Sorority Member % 3.8% New Members 116								
Total	Total F&S Enrollment 971 Undergraduate Enrollment 27,155		27,155	F&S	F&S Total % 3.6%			All-Male Avg	3.08						
Interfraternity Council (IFC)						United Greek Council (UGC)						All-Female Avg	3.28		
Rank		Chapter Chapter Act GPA Size GI	Chapter	pter Active	# of New	New Mem	D 1	C1	Chapter	Chapter	Active	# of New	New Mem	All-Student Avg	3.18
			GPA	Members	GPA	A Rank	x Chapter	GPA	Size	GPA	Members	GPA	Fraternity Average	2.90	
1	Chi Phi	**	2	**	n/a	n/a	1	alpha Kappa Delta Phi	3.45	10	3.45	n/a	n/a	Sorority Average	3.14
2	Alpha Epsilon Pi	3.13	10	3.13	n/a	n/a	2	Kappa Phi Gamma	3.36	11	3.36	n/a	n/a	FSL Average	3.03
3	Sigma Chi	3.10	23	3.10	n/a	n/a	3	Lambda Theta Alpha	3.23	10	3.39	4	3.02	Initiated Member Avg.	3.03
3	Alpha Sigma Phi	3.10	27	3.10	n/a	n/a	4	Lambda Pi Chi	3.22	6	2.84	2	**	Initiated Sorority	3.12
5	Chi Psi	3.07	20	3.03	2	**	5	Iota Nu Delta	**	2	**	n/a	n/a	Initiated Fraternity	2.93
6	Theta Chi	3.02	3	3.02	n/a	n/a	6	Sigma Psi Zeta	3.13	18	3.01	3	3.67	New Member Avg.	3.05
7	Phi Delta Theta	3.01	31	3.06	2	**	7	Lambda Theta Phi	3.11	4	**	3	3.36	New Member Sorority	3.26
8	Phi Sigma Kappa	2.95	22	2.90	1	*	8	Gamma Rho Lambda	3.10	12	3.10	1	**	New Member Fraternity	2.67
9	Kappa Sigma	2.94	45	3.05	3	1.24		All-UGC	3.01	10	2.98	3	3.15	# of Fraternites	-
10	Delta Chi	2.93	26	2.93	n/a	n/a	9	Pi Delta Psi	2.89	11	2.89	n/a	n/a	at/above All-Male	7
10	Zeta Psi	2.93	24	2.88	4	3.11	10	Alpha Sigma Rho	2.85	7	2.95	3	2.75	% of Fraternites	250/
	All-IFC	2.91	27	2.94	3	2.50	11	Lambda Phi Epsilon	2.84	17	2.81	2	**	at/above All-Male	35%
12	Tau Kappa Epsilon	2.88	43	2.97	6	2.34	12	Kappa Phi Lambda	2.81	21	2.69	4	3.27	# of Sororities at/above	
	Pi Kappa Alpha	2.83	45	2.83	n/a	n/a	13	Lambda Upsilon Lambda	2.74	4	2.74	n/a	n/a	All-Female	4
	Beta Theta Pi	2.75	30	2.76	4	2.70	14	Chi Upsilon Sigma	2.66	7	2.66	n/a	n/a	% of Sororities at/above	24.07
15	Kappa Alpha Order	2.67	48	2.72	4	2.07	15	Phi Iota Alpha	2.37	6	2.15	3	2.52	All-Female	21%
National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC)					Panhellenic Council						IFC Exec Board	3.06			
	Chapter Ch	Chapter Cha			# of New	f of New New Mem Members GPA Rank	1	nk Chapter	Chapter Chapter Active		# of New	New Mem	UGC Exec Board	3.27	
Rank		1 1	Members	Rank	GPA		Size		GPA	Members		NPHC Exec Board	2.88		
1	Alpha Kappa Alpha	3.53	18	3.29	12	3.63	1	Kappa Delta	3.35	41	3.36	8	3.33	CPH Exec Board	3.33
2	Omega Psi Phi	3.26	3	**	2	**	2	Zeta Tau Alpha	3.23	60	3.25	10	3.11	Chapter Presidents	2.99
3	Zeta Phi Beta	3.25	11	3.25	n/a	n/a	3	Alpha Phi	3.21	62	3.21	2	**	FSL Deans List	308
-	All-NPHC	3.08	10	3.01	6	3.21		All-Panhellenic	3.15	49	3.15	6	3.19	FSL Deans List %	32%
4	Kappa Alpha Psi	2.90	11	3.23	7	2.73	4	Alpha Omicron Pi	3.11	55	3.12	8	3.07	Sorority Deans List	189
5	Delta Sigma Theta	2.87	11	3.00	4	2.64	5	Chi Omega	3.09	54	3.04	5	3.57	Fraternity Deans List	119
6	Sigma Gamma Rho	2.86	12	2.86	n/a	n/a	6	Gamma Phi Beta	3.03	26	3.07	2	**	# of Chapters at/above	
7	Phi Beta Sigma	2.81	7	2.81	n/a	n/a	7	Alpha Xi Delta	2.98	48	2.96	5	3.11	2.5	42
8	Iota Phi Theta	2.72	7	2.72	n/a	n/a	** Fraternity and Sorority Life does not publish the grades of groups with less than 3 members						% of Chapters at/above 2.5	93%	
									mem	0015				Z.5 Total # of Chapters	45

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Academic Requirements:

In an effort to better emphasize the academic focus and mission of both the University and the fraternity and sorority community, the following minimum chapter academic standards were developed by Fraternity & Sorority Life.

All chapters below the all-male or all-female GPA must meet with Fraternity & Sorority Life to review their current academic programs and formulate ideas on how to make adjustments/improvement to their scholarship program.

Minimum Chapter Academic Standing:

- 2.50 semester chapter GPA (chapter defined as actives and new members combined)
- Failure to maintain the minimum GPA will result in the chapter being placed in Poor Standing with Fraternity & Sorority Life for all campus and Inter/National reporting and the following will result

Failure to achieve minimum chapter academic standards will result in the following:

1st Semester:

The chapter may **NOT** host/co-sponsor **ANY** social event (defined as date parties, mixers, formals, semi-formals, Parties or any event with alcohol) for the following semester.

- The chapter leadership (president and scholarship chairman) will schedule a meeting with the appropriate FSL advisor to outline a scholarship action plan.
- Additional sanctions as outlined in the councils' scholarship policy may also apply.

2nd Consecutive Semester:

- The chapter may **NOT** host/co-sponsor **ANY** social event (defined as date parties, mixers, formals, semi-formals, Parties or any event with alcohol) for the following semester.
- The chapter leadership (president and scholarship chairman) will schedule a meeting (by phone) with the appropriate FSL advisor AND a representative from the regional or inter/national office to discuss the chapter academic performance.
- The chapter will not be allowed to participate in Homecoming events or Greek Week the following semester (whichever is appropriate).
- All chapter programs will need to be approved by Fraternity & Sorority Life. A full calendar of events will be submitted by the 10th business day of the following semester
 - Could result in chapter not participating in certain large-scale university events (Greek Week, Homecoming, Patriots Day, etc.) as determined by FSL and Chapter Advisors
- Additional sanctions as outlined in the councils' scholarship policy may also apply.

<u>3rd Consecutive Semester:</u>

- The chapter will lose all university recognition. The chapter will have no rights or privileges of being a registered student organization.
 - In order to apply for re-recognition, a chapter's GPA must be at or above the minimum
 2.5. They must submit a written request for re-recognition to the Associate Director for Fraternity and Sorority Life. The request must include a thorough academic plan. Upon reviewing the materials, the officers of the organization will meet with the Associate Director for Fraternity & Sorority Life.

Fraternity and Sorority Life Leadership Positions:

(Governing Council officers and other FSL Office positions)

All members in a Fraternity and Sorority Life Leadership position must achieve a 2.7 cumulative GPA & term GPA, and must maintain these standards throughout their term. Member who's cumulative and/or term GPA drops below a 2.7 while in office will forfeit any and all positions held. Once a member's GPA falls below the required 2.7 cumulative and/or term GPA Fraternity & Sorority Life will notify the student in writing; thus, the student will have 5 business days from the date of the letter to resign his/her position.

Governing Council Academic Recommendations:

In addition to these academic requirements, it is strongly advised that each governing council develop, implement, and enforce a substantial academic scholarship plan and/or policy which should, at minimum include the following:

- General purpose statement on academic achievement
- A short and/or long-term plan which addresses minimum academic standards (specific to each council)
- An outline of council specific awards/incentives for chapters that exceed the minimum standards
- An outline of council specific sanctions/interventions for chapters not meeting the minimum standards
- A list of resources available to both the chapter, as well as individual members

Notes

1. Fraternity & Sorority Life will make the final determination of what activities are deemed as "social" in reference to this policy.