New Member Education Program

Kappa Phi Lambda
Epsilon Colony
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2/9 – 3/25

Summary: The main learning outcomes and objectives of new member education are to This section, briefly, outlines the main learning outcomes and objectives of new member education. It should also include the mission and objectives of being a member of the specific chapter and fraternity/sorority and any additional notable items for the new member education/intake program.

NME Session #1
Sisterhood
The first week focuses on sisterhood and getting to know the sisters and each other. New members will meet with our sisterhood chair to learn about the position, requirements for events, and past successful events. We will invite them to a planned sisterhood event, and they will plan an event for their class and current sisters. They are also to define the meaning of sisterhood, first in their own words separately, and then one collective meaning as a class. They will take personality tests such as Myer-Briggs Test and Love Languages to show how they are all unique, and so to work together as a class, they need to acknowledge each other’s strengths and weaknesses. They will also begin to learn about our chapter history.

NME Session #2
Academic Excellence
The second week focuses on academic excellence as sisters and first and foremost students so academics should maintain priority. New members will meet with our academic chair to learn about her position, GPA requirements, academic probation, and campus and chapter academic resources. They will set academic goals and schedule weekly study hours amongst themselves that they maintain and hold each other accountable for. They will also present about their individual academic and career goals. They will also begin to learn our sorority general information and national history.

NME Session #3
Cultural Diversity
The third week focuses on cultural diversity as it’s one of the pillars of our sorority. New members will meet our cultural chair to learn about the position, requirements, and past successful events. They will also plan a potential future cultural event. They will also read some cultural articles and discuss the impact of the subjects on the community. They will also begin to learn about our other chapters and colonies.

NME Session #4
Service, Philanthropy, and Fundraising
The fourth week focuses on service and fundraising as service is one of our pillars. New members will meet with our service and philanthropy/fundraising chairs to learn about their positions, requirements, past successful events, our national philanthropy CARE, and our local philanthropies Sanctuary For Families/Relay For Life. They will also plan and complete a community service event as a class.

NME Session #5
Empowerment
The fifth week focuses on women empowerment. New members will research a female role model (either an alumna, community leader, or historical figure) and present her influence. They will also read relevant articles and present their opinions on the matters. They will also meet with our Executive Board to learn about their positions, requirements, other leadership opportunities in the general campus community, and our experiences being leaders.
within the sorority. They will also learn more sorority national history, our Greek council at NYU, and the National APIDA Panhellenic Association.

**NME Session #6**  
**History**  
The final week focuses on our sorority history as it’s part of what makes our organization special. They will meet with our Alumni Advisor, Alumni Relations Chair, and Historian to learn about the positions and our history. They will also research any hardships our chapter/colony endured and any opinions on how our colony can improve and how they will contribute to that improvement. They will also reflect on they have grown through the process.