Greek Life Membership Standards

Student Standards
Active membership in a social fraternity or sorority is limited to current undergraduate students at Auburn University. Candidates for membership must be enrolled full-time at Auburn University at the time of joining the organization.

Chapter Standards
All fraternities and sororities at Auburn University must comply with the following chapter standards. Note: many of these standards are required as outlined in the Auburn University Student Organization Policy. All chapters must:

1. **Have Inter/national fraternity or sorority recognition**
   - Chapters must be a recognized chapter of an inter/national fraternity or sorority.
   - Chapters must follow the standards and training of their inter/national fraternity or sorority.

2. **Manage membership**
   - Chapters must maintain an accurate roster that includes at least 10 full-time currently enrolled Auburn University students or participate in recruitment/intake annually.
   - Participate in a formal recruitment/intake program every academic year.

3. **Provide chapter information to Greek Life**
   *The following information must be submitted every semester.*
   - Roster of membership, including new members
   - Chapter officer and advisor contact information
   - New member education plan
   - Membership costs
   - Service hours, including member and location
   - Philanthropic support, including how much donated and to where
   - Grade release forms for each member
   - Hazing policy acknowledgement for each member
   - Proof of liability insurance for the organization

4. **Participate in Greek Life meetings and trainings**
   - Chapter presidents must meet with their Greek Life coordinator at least once per semester.
   - Chapter presidents must attend the Greek Leadership Summit.
   - Chapter executive officers must attend the Greek Officer Trainings.
   - Chapter officers must attend AUinvolve Event Management Trainings.
   - Chapter leaders must participate in council meetings.

5. **Manage chapter finances**
   - Remain current in payment of dues to their respective council, as well as fines, fees, and other financial obligations by the required deadlines.
6. **Have an active chapter advisor**
   - The advisor must maintain regular contact and involvement with the chapter officers.
   - The advisor must provide support for the daily operations of the chapter.
   - The advisor must be knowledgeable about and assist the organization in upholding policies and procedures for both the university and the inter/national organization.
   - The advisor must assist with the administration of the financial affairs of the organization.

7. **Register events**
   - All fraternity and sorority events must be registered in AUinvolve at least 7 school days prior to the event.

8. **Manage their property**
   - Fraternities and sororities with property (chapter houses, etc.) are required to have property insurance.
   - Chapters must comply with the fire and life safety standards applicable to their facility. This includes:
     - Attending fire and life safety training.
     - Comply with fire and life safety inspection.
     - Complete fire and life safety violations to the standards of Auburn University and the City of Auburn.

9. **Notify Greek Life of emergencies**
   - Any time an emergency team, or “flashing lights” vehicle visits a fraternity or sorority event or member(s), chapter leadership should notify Greek Life.
   - Any time a member is seriously injured or a member passes away chapter leadership should notify Greek Life.
   
   Note: This policy is always applicable, day and night at any time.