

Financial Transparency Form (Chapter with Housing)

Sorority: Alpha Omicron Pi

Campus: University of Connecticut

Chapter Fees

I. New Member: \$ 303.00

NOTE: All items included in the New Member Fees (above) are listed and itemized in the chart below. The items will vary for each sorority. The amount for each term should be all-inclusive. The sum of the itemized listing in the chart must equal the total amount placed in the space above. Chapters should also include how much money would be expected from a new member (as applicable) and how much is due within a certain amount of time from the new member or pledging ceremony so that PNMs may adequately understand their immediate financial responsibilities. Those figures are pulled out from the expenses listed in the three columns already and should not alter the total due for new members for a chapter. Other fees should be broken down by specific items (such as foundation donation = \$15

Inter/national fee:	\$
Sisterhood events:	\$
Social/special events:	\$
Philanthropy:	\$
Badge or onetime initiation fee:	\$298.00
T-Shirts/Apparel: included in chapter dues; billed for optional items	\$
Meal plan:	\$
Parlor fee:	\$
Technology fee:	\$
Other: National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) Fee	\$5.00
Other: New Member Corporation Fee & Corporation Operating Fee	\$270.00
Amount due on Bid Day:	\$
Amount due within X days of pledging:	\$73.00

II. Members Residing IN HOUSE: Fall \$ 487.00 Spring \$ 378.00

NOTE: All items included in the academic terms (above) are listed and itemized in the chart below. The items will vary for each sorority. The amount for each term should be all-inclusive.

In this section, the chapter will specify what is billed each term to chapter members living in chapter housing. The amount for each term should be all-inclusive with each category/item listed with the amount. The sum of the itemized listing in the chart below must equal the total amount placed in the space above.

Inter/national fee: \$249.00



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Sisterhood events:	\$
Social/special events:	\$
Philanthropy:	\$
T-Shirts/Apparel:	\$
Meal plan: Included in Room & Board	\$
Parlor fee: Included in Room & Board	\$
Technology fee: Included in Room & Board	\$
Other: Chapter dues for activities (all-inclusive)	\$586.00
Other: Local Panhellenic Fee	\$30.00
Other	\$

Sorority residency requirement: Collegiate members are required to live in the chapter facility when space is available and it is not contrary to College or University rules.

III. Members Residing OUT OF HOUSE: Fall \$ 487.00 Spring \$ 378.00

NOTE: All items included in the academic terms (above) are listed and itemized in the chart below. The items will vary for each sorority. The amount for each term should be all-inclusive.

Inter/national fee:	\$249.00
Sisterhood events:	\$
Social/special events:	\$
Philanthropy:	\$
T-Shirts/Apparel:	\$
Meal plan:	\$
Parlor fee:	\$
Technology fee:	\$
Other: Chapter dues for activities (all-inclusive)	\$586.00
Other: Local Panhellenic Fee	\$30.00
Other: Corporation Operating Fee	\$170.00

Financial Assistance

Describe payment plan options (when monies are due, how dues can be paid, etc.)

New Member Payment Plans: There are 2 payment plan options, which include the entire year's dues.

Option 1: NM pays the year in full before initiation

Option 2: Dues are broken down into 6 monthly payments (3 in the fall & 3 in the spring)

Plan A- Fall New Members		
1-Oct		
	International New Member Fee*	\$175.00
	Badge Purchase Fee (includes shipping)*	\$123.00
	National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) Fee	\$5.00
	International Operating Fee (Spring)	\$122.00



Local Panhellenic Dues	\$30.00
Chapter Budget	\$440.00
Chapter Total	\$895.00
New Member Fee	\$100.00
Damage Deposit	\$100.00
Corporation Fees	\$170.00
Year Total	\$1,265.00

Plan B - Fall New Members			
1-Oct			
		International New Member Fee (portion)*	\$45.00
		Badge Purchase Fee (portion)*	\$23.00
		National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) Fee	\$5.00
		October Total	\$73.00
1-Nov			
		Balance of International New Member Fee*	\$130.00
		Badge Purchase Fee (portion)*	\$40.00
		November Total	\$170.00
1-Dec			
		Balance of Badge Purchase Fee	\$60.00
		December Total	\$60.00
1-Jan			
	50%	International Operating Fee - Spring (portion)	\$61.00
		Local Panhellenic Dues	\$30.00
	24%	Chapter Budget	\$106.00
		January Total	\$197.00
1-Feb			
		International Operating Fee - Spring (balance)	\$61.00
		Chapter Budget (Balance)	\$110.00
		February Total	\$171.00
1-March			
		Balance of Chapter Budget	\$224.00
		March Total	\$224.00



Chapter Total	\$865.00
New Member Fee	\$100.00
Damage Deposit	\$100.00
Corporation Fees	\$170.00
Year Total	\$1,265.00

Active Member Payment Plans: There are 3 payment plan options

Option 1: Pay the entire year of dues in full

Option 2: Dues are broken down into 3 payments (2 in the fall & 1 in the spring)

Option 3: Dues are broken into 10 payments (Aug-May)

Reach out to the Director of Finance if additional time/assistance is needed with paying dues. Custom payment plans can be created per member.

Additional Costs

What is not covered in your dues that might need to be paid by the member? (e.g., intramurals, t-shirts)

N/A

This section should cover whether your chapter has standard payment plan options and what those entail. The amount and due dates of each payment should be included if standardized. If the chapter does not have a standardized payment plan, include the process to request one.



Financial Definitions

Member Organization Fees

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Badge fee:	Each member organization has a badge/pin. Some organizations require a
	member to buy a badge and others include it in the initiation fee. Badges may be
	very simple or jeweled. If a member is buying her badge, she decides how much
	or little she would like to spend.
Per capita fee:	Fee paid to inter/national organization per member to support overall sorority
	operations.
Technology fee:	These funds support the member organization database, social media and other
	technologies.

Chapter Fees

Assessment: A chapter may vote to support an activity/event/cause that is not included in the chapter budget and the expense would be assessed per member. Campus obligation These funds are used when a chapter is asked to donate funds to other organizations and/or fundraising opportunities on campus.
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Chapter dues: These monies fund member activities including programming, recruitment,
chapter supplies and chapter operations.
Composite: An annual photograph is taken of each chapter's membership. This expense can
be included in chapter dues or billed separately.
Initiation fee: Fee paid to complete initial membership in the organization.
Liability/risk This fee covers insurance-related costs for the safety of members, their guests
management insurance: and sorority property. Funds may also be used for special programming relating
to risk management concerns on campus or within the chapter.
New member fee: Fee paid to set up membership in the organization.
Panhellenic dues: These funds are used to support Panhellenic operations. Examples of items that
may be included in the Panhellenic budget are attending conferences, office
operations, marketing and electronic media.
Parking permit: Parking is typically limited at chapter houses. Spaces are distributed by each
chapter to members based on criteria set by the leadership and/or chapter
corporation.
Philanthropy fee: Philanthropy fee: Each chapter has a philanthropy and some have local causes
they support. This fee can be included in chapter dues or billed separately.
Purchase fund: This fund is set up at the beginning of each term to pay for things not included i
chapter dues. It may be used to buy T-shirts, sorority paraphernalia or attend
optional social functions.
Social fees: Social functions not included in chapter dues are billed out individually based
upon the cost of event(s).

Facility Fees

House corporation fee	These funds are used to support chapter property and physical plant. Often this is
	a one-time fee paid prior to initiation.
Parlor/House usage fee:	The entire membership has access to the house and thus the property is subject
	to a great deal of wear and tear. This fee is used primarily for care and
	maintenance of the property and furnishings in the common areas of the chapter
	facility.



Security fee:	Special security staff may be employed to protect chapter property, members
	and guests. Typically, all members, not just those living in the house, would be
	asked to help cover this expense.