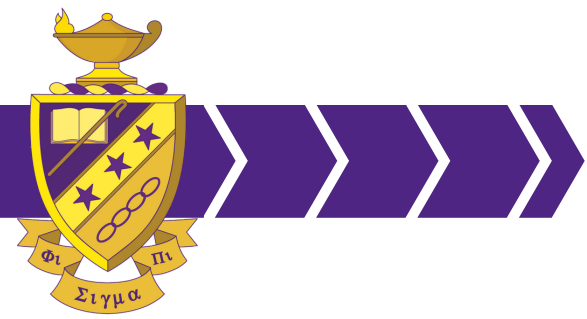


# Scholarship Ideas



Phi Sigma Pi's Mission Statement highlights "promoting lifelong learning" as one of the key values of our Fraternity. Chapters that embody Scholarship are those that foster curiosity, create opportunities for learning and encourage Members to share their knowledge with others.

## Cultural Sharing

Having Members share aspects of their cultures or cultures in which they have been immersed through study abroad and other programs can help all Members broaden their world view. Sharing music, food and art is a great way to make learning fun.

## Learn to Manage Risk

Learn about important topics that keep your Members safe while meeting a National requirement. Ask local organizations or campus offices to provide education on topics like safe drinking, sexual assault prevention and distracted driving.

## Tackle Adulthood Together

Do you know how to sew on a button? Change the oil in your car? Make ramen noodles taste like fine dining? Have Members share the secrets to surviving adulthood so everyone can conquer it together.

## Take a Class

Connect with local artisans, chefs and artists to learn something new together. Ask Members what kind of class--pottery making, cooking, or dance--might be of interest, then check out Groupon for great deals.

## Visit Local Historical Sites

Venture beyond the campus boundaries to learn something about the local history in the surrounding community. Whether it's checking out a monument, museum or National Park, there may be a historical gem right under your nose.

## Making the Most of Your Chapter's Scholarship Efforts

- Start in house by asking Members to share topics that they could teach about at the beginning of each term
- Utilize free online resources and those available through local non-profits to provide educational materials to Members
- Capitalize on opportunities to engage Alumni, family and the campus community by asking them to share their knowledge, skills and experience
- Collaborate with another student organization or campus office to sponsor events focused around a skill like resume writing



*Alpha Omicron Chapter (University of Virginia) has a book swap between Members. They cover the books to add some mystery and attach a note to the reader.*