



UF Panhellenic Council

ALPHA PHI FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY

FALL NEW MEMBER DUES

Total Due: w/ merch: \$3,769.54 w/o merch: \$3,704.54

CATEGORY	EXPLANATION	AMOUNT
Meal Plan & Facility Fees		
Meal Plan and Parlor Fees	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 property and furnishings in the common areas of the chapter facility. This fee includes the meal plan as well, which includes lunch and dinner Monday through Friday.	\$2,387.50
House Bond	These funds are used to support chapter property and physical plant. This is a <u>one time fee</u> paid prior to initiation.	\$300
Panhellenic		
Panhellenic Dues	Supports Panhellenic as a whole and the activities they put on throughout the year for all Panhellenic women.	\$25
National		
International Fee + Badge Fee	<p>International and Badge Fees include: (these are our national fees)</p> <p>Badge Fee: Each organization has a badge/pin. Some groups require a member to purchase a badge and others include it in the initiation fee. Badges can be very simple or jeweled. If a member is purchasing her badge, she determines how much or little she would like to spend.</p> <p>Per Capita Fee: Fee paid to inter/national organization per member to support overall Sorority operations.</p> <p>Technology Fee: These funds support advancement in the Sorority database systems and all aspects of social media.</p>	\$386.54

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Programming		
Chapter Programming	The dues fund all member activities including programming such as our sisterhood retreats and philanthropy events, recruitment, chapter supplies, and chapter operations.	\$515.50
Technology/Financial		
Processing Fee	A small processing fee is included in dues to cover transaction costs from Billhighway, the secure payment platform we use. This helps ensure all payments are tracked, processed efficiently, and go directly toward supporting our chapter operations.	\$90
Other		
Optional Merchandise Package	Members can opt in for a merchandise package.	\$65



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FAQs

1. Are your chapter women required to live in the chapter facility?

- Members are required to live in the house if there are not enough people volunteering to live in the house. However, we generally have a lot of people wanting to live in, and there ends up being a waitlist. We choose who lives in the house by seniority and our point system.

2. Is your meal plan required?

- Our meal plan is required and included in our parlor fees. Our members are fed Monday-Friday for lunch and dinner, and breakfast is provided only for in-house girls. There are also snack options for in-house girls only.

3. Does your national organization offer scholarships?

- Yes, our nationals offer scholarships, and both need and merit-based options exist. The application process is similar to applying to college. There is an essay portion and filling out information on your resume, such as GPA, involvement, and recommendation letters.

4. Do you offer a payment plan?

- We have an annual, semester, and installment payment plans. The annual plan is due in the fall, the semester plan splits into one payment in the fall and one in the spring. The installment plan is three payments per semester. They charge about every month, starting at the first month of each semester. We also have a financial aid plan which is similar to the installment plan but it is one month later to account for when UF does refunds for bright futures and etc.