

DKG Benefits of Membership

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Ladies, DKG has so many benefits to offer. You pay your dues, now let your money work for you. Copy this document for all your Chapter members. Ask different members to check out some benefits and report at next meeting. Other articles on specific benefits can be found on the Pi State website (dkgnystate.org) under the "MORE" drop down menu. Also go to www.dkg.org and research other benefits. (I'm sure there is more since I wrote this!

1. **Scholarships and Awards - both International and State - up to \$10,000**

For members, for women returning to education majors, for travel, for Native American Women and more

2. **Leadership training** at both the International and state level

3. **A juried professional journal, an International newsletter and State newsletter**

4. **An International Emergency fund** where YOU can apply and receive funds

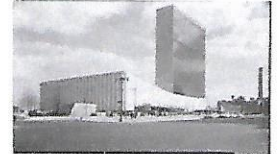
5. **Affiliation with the United Nations Economic and Social Council** where you or your Chapter can help women and children worldwide.

6. **Affiliation with the Institute of International Education**

7. **The United States Forum** that informs us about current on educational issues and legislative events

8. **Insurance:**

- Liability, both personal and chapter
- Auto, Home and Renters Insurance
- Excess Major Medical Insurance
- Cancer Insurance
- Travel Accident Insurance
- Medicare Supplement Insurance
- Hospital Plus Insurance
- Surgical Assistance Insurance
- Term Life Insurance
- Long Term Care Insurance
- ID Theft Assist Recovery Service
- VPI Pet Insurance



9. **Medical History Bracelet**

10. **Flight deals to International Conventions**

11. **Opportunities to join Committees** at all levels of the society

12. **Educational Foundations** at both the International & State levels to join, donate tax free money and receive grants

13. **An International Speakers Fund** to host speakers worldwide or become a speaker.

14. **Capella University offers 10% discount** to DKG members

15. **One Cause: CLICK, SHOP, CONTRIBUTE** and AmazonSmile

16. **The Bob Pike Group** provides "Train the Trainer" Workshops

17. **Headstone markers**

18. **Memorabilia** like picture frames, vases, etc.

19. **Gallery of Fine Arts** to display your creative works

20. **Plenty of ways to keep current:** *Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Linkedin and Pinterest*

21. **Jewelry with DKG logo**

22. **Workshops** at Area, State, Regional and International Meetings, Conferences and Conventions that can be used towards your Professional Development and APPR credit

23. **Officers at all levels of the Society** that are there to help you, encourage you, honor you, support you, educate you, and be your friend and opportunities for YOU to serve in leadership and Committee positions

24. **Approximately 82,000 members in 17 countries**

25. **A focus on support for Early Career Educators** through Chapter projects in local communities

26. **Networking with educators around the world**

27. **ME, and the lady who invited you to be a member, the lady who sat next to you at the last meeting and the Officer who helps your Chapter stay strong and the State Officer who visited your Chapter and so on. Take a good look at the marvelous women who surround you at every gathering of DKG members. You are blessed to know them and they are blessed to know you.**



Jean Sekel