COMING FALL 2021

Delta Gamma
Welcome to the
Do Good Sisterhood
ORGANIZATION & CHAPTER HISTORY

Founded as “a club of mutual helpfulness,” Delta Gamma empowers women to act with intention so that they become an unstoppable force for good. In 1873, Delta Gamma was founded in Oxford, Mississippi. The organization’s three Founders chose the Greek letters Delta and Gamma to represent “Do Good,” a promise to do the work of lasting progress. Since its founding, the fraternity has grown into an international organization with more than 250,000 members, 153 collegiate chapters and 200 alumnae groups. Today, members show their commitment to the sisterhood by empowering and uniting women of conviction to see beyond barriers and redefine the path for those who come next.

Delta Gamma was first invited to establish a chapter at Clemson University in February of 1981. The Epsilon Kappa chapter of Delta Gamma held their first Anchor Splash event that first fall, and continued to engage in the greater Clemson community, from student senate and campus tour guides, to Rally Cats and marching in the First Friday Parade. Epsilon Kappa chapter members were also active Panhellenic women, such as Clemson Panhellenic president in 1991, and Greek Week winners in 1995. Though the women of Epsilon Kappa showed impressive dedication to their chapter, ultimately Delta Gamma’s Fraternity Council made the difficult decision to close Epsilon Kappa chapter in October 2003.
In 1936, our sister Ruth Billow, Eta-Akron, made a plea to the Convention body to adopt sight preservation and aid to those who are blind or visually impaired as Delta Gamma’s philanthropy. It was from this request that our commitment to **Service for Sight** evolved. Collegians and alumnae spend hundreds of thousands of hours each year advocating alongside members of the blind and visually impaired community, through fundraising efforts, raising awareness and hands-on service.

Delta Gammas at Clemson would be able to support local organizations like the South Carolina State School for the Deaf and Blind, South Carolina Talking Book Services or National Federation of the Blind South Carolina.

Our signature fundraising event, Anchor Splash® or Anchor Games, is a series of sporting competitions that invite members of the greater community to join in our efforts of supporting sight preservation and conservation, and aid to those who are blind or visually impaired.
RECRUITMENT PROCESS

Delta Gamma will participate in the first round of recruitment in fall 2021. Following Panhellenic Bid Day, we will host events and info session that focus on topics such as leadership and the new chapter experience, our sisterhood, and the Foundation and service. These events will be held both as invitation only and open to all women interested in Delta Gamma. We will also be tabling throughout campus and hosting coffee dates with potential new members.

Visit joindg.com to learn more about our recruitment process and Infoview sessions.
Membership is open to all individuals who identify as women. Those selected for membership in Delta Gamma must have the following:

- **Good Scholarship**
  - Enrolled as full-time student
  - 2.5 GPA

- **Be of good character and standing**

- **Have an interest in activities that will enhance the academic atmosphere at Clemson**

- **Have a sincere desire to contribute to the work of Delta Gamma**
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