

Multi-Purpose Programming Guide

Multi-purpose programming is when you can use a single chapter gathering to accomplish multiple tasks.

Why multi-purpose programming is important:

- It allows you to fulfill your chapter/campus programming requirements efficiently.
- It ensures that you are using chapter members' time and energy meaningfully.
- Chapter members will have more time to have fun.

How to identify multi-purpose programming opportunities:

- What programs could be planned together to fulfill requirements in two (or more) areas?
- What activities allow multiple officers to work together?
- Which programs share the same outcomes?
- How could you adjust a program or add to a program to support two or more requirements?

Examples of multi-purpose programming:

business chapter meeting		vote on calendar + vote on budget + vote on bylaws and standing rules + senior recognition + sisterhood
		 Plan during a chapter meeting or skip chapter this week and send announcements via email.
chapter retreat		service project + Recruitment Preparation Workshop (RPW) + goal setting + senior recommitment ceremony + sisterhood
		 Skip chapter meeting this week and send out announcements via email.
activity meeting		chapter meal + etiquette dinner + scholarship recognition + adviser appreciation
		 Plan during a chapter meeting or skip chapter this week and send announcements via email.
Founders Day		Founders Day ritual + adviser recognition + scholarship recognition (you could even add in some career networking/internship advice with alumnae)
		 Skip chapter meeting this week and send out announcements via email.
scheduled university requirement		DG Dialogues
		 If not held during a chapter meeting, skip chapter meeting this week. In both cases, send out announcements via email.
new member retreat		new member meeting + sisterhood
		- No new member meeting this week.
PR/sisterhood event		sisterhood event + on campus in a public space + wear your letters
		- Plan during a chapter meeting and send announcements via email.
Work Week		Anchors Away (Foundation awareness) + RPW + Friendship DG Dialogues

DG Program (ASTP, Mock Trial, Kelly & Becca, Human Dignity, etc.)

DG Dialogues

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