

Beta Sigma Chapter

Founded June 23, 1979. Our Seattle Chapter has 52 members.

Chapter Projects:

Beta Sigma Chapter makes a difference in the community and world-wide. Each year we support one international and one local project.

Current and past projects include:

- Gift Bags, first year educators
- Days for Girls
- Youth Care
- Little Dresses for Africa
- Luy-A-School in the Philippines
- West Side Baby
- Treehouse
- Foster Youth Workshops
- Health and Hope Foundation
- Purpose-filled Purse Project
- Women, Infants & Children, (WIC), Okanogan County
- Young Lives, Teen Mothers

Beta Sigma Chapter funds grants-in-aid for women educators.

Annual Fundraisers include:

- Holiday Auction
- May Yard Sale



Seven Purposes of the Society

- 1. To unite women educators of the world in a genuine spiritual fellowship**
- 2. To honor women who have given or who evidence a potential for distinctive service in any field of education**
- 3. To advance the professional interest and position of women in education**
- 4. To initiate, endorse and support desirable legislation or other suitable endeavors in the interests of education and of women educators**
- 5. To endow scholarships to aid outstanding women educators in pursuing graduate study and to grant fellowships to women educators from other countries**
- 6. To stimulate the personal and professional growth of members and to encourage their participation in appropriate programs of action**
- 7. To inform the members of current economic, social, political, and educational issues so that they may participate effectively in a world society**

Membership

- Membership is by invitation, based on leadership ability and professional success.
- Prospective members are encouraged to attend chapter meetings as a guest to learn more about the Society and its programs.
- Women who accept the invitation to join commit themselves to an active role in special projects, programs and activities.
- Membership in the Society carries with it responsibility as well as honor.

Our members include women from all fields of education:

Classroom Teachers, School Nurses, Curriculum Specialists, Special Education Teachers, Administrators, Instructional Assistants, Occupational and Physical Therapists, Guidance Counselors, Classified Employees, School Psychologists, and Speech and Language Pathologists.

About DKG

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International was founded in Texas in 1929 by Annie Webb Blanton and 11 other women educators who were pioneers in improving the status of women in education. The movement spread nationwide and, in 1941, the first Washington State Chapter was begun as Alpha Sigma State. Today our state has 35 chapters and 884 members.

There are over 100,000 members in 18 nations in Europe and North and Central America and most recently in Japan.

Membership is by invitation only and considered a prestigious honor with a variety of benefits and privileges.

For more information on DKG:

International- www.dkg.org
State- www.dkgwa.org
Beta Sigma – Facebook Page
<https://www.facebook.com/DKGBetaSigma/>

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Beta Sigma Chapter Meetings 2017-2018

Sept. 9, 2017

November 4, 2017

December 2, 2017 Holiday Auction

February 3, 2018

April 7, 2018

June 23, 2018 Birthday Luncheon

All Breakfast Meetings are held at
The Best Western Executive Inn
200 Taylor Ave. N
Seattle, WA, 98109

Coffee: 9:30
Meeting 10:00
Complimentary Parking

The Delta Kappa Gamma
Society International

Beta Sigma Chapter Seattle, Washington

Informational Brochure



AN ORGANIZATION HONORING KEY WOMEN EDUCATORS

Mission Statement

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.
