

Dear {first-name},

Welcome to Alpha Lambda Delta at {institution-name}!

Mark your calendar... the ALD induction ceremony will take place virtually on Friday, March 19, 2021, at 5:00 pm More details will be forthcoming, but know that your family is invited to join you as we welcome you to ALD.

We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events and meetings. Please feel free to contact us at AlphaLambdaDelta@nau.edu should you have any questions.

Membership/Active Status

When you join ALD, you are a lifetime member. You will be eligible for some of the perks and benefits just by being a member. This includes [leadership and career development](#) content, [educational partnerships](#), and the [ALD Perks](#) discount program. Use **1924** for all protected pages.

But there are some benefits for which only **active chapter members** are eligible: chapter awards, honor cords for graduation, and eligibility to apply for the national ALD scholarships.

To maintain active member status with the NAU ALD chapter, you must earn 15 points each semester. Points can be earned in many ways: attending meetings, participating in community service, responding to chapter emails, participating in chapter events, and more.

Social Media

Follow us on social media @nationalald: [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).

Follow the NAU chapter of ALD on social media: [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#).

Again, congratulations. It is a pleasure to welcome you to the Alpha Lambda Delta community of scholars.

Sincerely,

Deja Kennedy, President

Dr. Wendy Bruun, Advisor

Northern Arizona University ALD Chapter Point System

15 points to be considered active for the semester. These are current ways to participate:

- Meeting Attendance = 5 Points per meeting (officer or chapter meetings)
- Email/Instagram Questions = 2 points per response/post (in occasional chapter newsletters, they include a points-based question that if students respond, they can earn points; this helps for members who cannot make the designated meeting time due to class/work commitments)
- Volunteering = 3 points per documented activity (during COVID, members can volunteer in their home communities; typically, ALD organizes frequent opportunities for participation in local community, on campus, or with the chapter)

In past, here are other point options:

- Voting in Elections = 2 points
- Joining/recruiting a friend to join the Relay for Life = 3 points
- Posting a pic in ALD gear and tagging ALD on Thursdays = 1 point

Secretary monitors points. They set up a Google sheet each year to track by category and person

Benefits - Active members are eligible for:

- Chapter consideration/eligibility for the national scholarships
- Graduation package/gift (ALD stole, cords, mug)
- Graduating senior with most points will receive NAU diploma frame (value = \$150+)

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