

The Voice

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



Unity Uplifts Us

The **U** in **FOCUS** stands for **Unity Uplifts Us**. There is a power that cannot be measured, a force that cannot be stopped, and a light that cannot be dimmed. That positive power, undeniable force, and brilliant light are women standing together in unity. It is each of us who has a mindset of creating a community of belonging. That sense of belonging is where we lift one another as individuals, chapters, and a state organization. Imagine what OHSO can become if every woman chooses to uplift each other—where every voice is valued, every triumph is shared, and every challenge is faced together. This is not a pie-in-the-sky dream but a future we can build upon. Let us focus on implementing processes that will help us do that now.

As members of OHSO, we have faced challenges and experienced division. However, we now have an opportunity to build a stronger and more inspiring future for OHSO. Unity does not eliminate differences; it transforms them into sources of wisdom and understanding. It increases our strength, deepens our courage to tackle the tough challenges ahead, and amplifies the good we are accomplishing now in our chapters and at the state level.

When women unite, remarkable things happen. History proves this when genuine connections are made, barriers are broken, and opportunities increase. A single voice can be powerful, but when women raise their voices together, they create an echo that resonates globally. That is the power of unity: bold, undeniable, unstoppable. OHSO needs a stronger connection to DKG. We achieve this through each of our sixty-six chapters and our state organization, emphasizing the **vision** of DKG: Leading women educators impacting education worldwide with passion and purpose. It aligns with DKG's **mission**: fostering the professional and personal growth of women educators and promoting excellence in education.

Individually, we are one drop. Together we are an ocean. ~ Ryunosuke Satoro

Energetically,
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