

# 516.1 - Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society

# **Purpose:**

Bismarck State College and the Bismarck State College Foundation will recognize BSC honor students who are eligible and accept membership into Phi Theta Kappa, the International Honor Society of the Two-Year College.

#### **Procedure:**

Student eligibility for membership:

- 1. Students must have an institutional grade point average of 3.50 or better to be eligible for membership.
- 2. Students must have completed 12 semester hours of associate degree course work in BSC institutional credits.
- 3. Students must be currently enrolled at BSC as either a part-time or full-time student.
- 4. Students must adhere to the student conduct policy and possess recognized qualities of citizenship.

Induction into Phi Theta Kappa shall occur each semester (fall and spring) after chapter advisor(s) identify eligible members and extend an opportunity to accept membership.

BSC Foundation will pay membership fees for BSC students upon receipt of invoice from chapter advisor(s) with list of eligible members with associated membership fees.

### **References:**

## **History of This Procedure:**

First policy draft January 4, 1984.

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