

Mississippi State Interfraternity Council

Requirements for Social Events

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The **MAX** number of social events any IFC Fraternity is allowed to have per semester at Mississippi State is 11. In order to be granted 11 social events the chapter must complete certain requirements outlined in this document. The requirements have been separated into five different sections with each one having an equal weight of granting two social events (except GPA) upon completion for the next semester. For example, it is possible for a chapter to complete 4 out of the 5 sections to be granted 8 social events for the following semester. The sections are as follows: Grade Point Average (GPA), Involvement, Community Outreach, Educational Programming, and Alcohol-Free Events.

To achieve all possible social events (3) in regard to GPA, a chapter must have a combined member average of 3.4 or higher. Any chapters that have a combined member average of 3.255 to a 3.39 will be granted 2 social events for the following semester. Any chapters that have a combined member average of 3.24 to a 3.0 will be granted 1 social event for the following semester. Any chapters that have a combined member average below a 3.0 will not be granted any social events from the GPA section.

To receive all possible social events (2) in regard to Involvement, a chapter must have at least 75% of its members involved in one or more campus organizations. Any chapter that has between 74% and 50% of its members involved in one or more campus organizations will be granted 1 social event for the following semester. Any chapters that have less than 50% of its members involved in 1 or more campus organizations will not be granted any social events from the Involvement section.

To receive all possible social events (2) in regard to Community Outreach, a chapter must host a philanthropy event as well as have a member average of 5 or more community service hours to be granted the full 2 social events for the following semester. Any chapter that only hosts a philanthropy event but does not have a member average of 5 or more community service hours will only be awarded 1 social event for the following semester. As well as any chapter who does not host a philanthropy event but has a member average of 5 or more community service hours will be granted 1 social event for the following semester. Any chapter that does not meet or exceed either qualifications will not be granted any social events from the Community Outreach section.

To receive all possible social events (2) in regard to Educational programming, a chapter must do a campus approved form of Health and Wellness programming as well as Co-Host an event with another campus organization. Any chapter that does a campus approved form of Health and Wellness programming but does not Co-Host an event with another campus organization will only be granted 1 social event for the following semester. Any chapter who does not complete

any form of Health and Wellness programming but does Co-Host an event with another campus organization will only be granted 1 social event for the following semester. As well as any chapter who does not fulfill either requirements will not be granted any social events from the Educational Programming section.

To receive all possible social events (2) in regard to Alcohol-Free Programming, a chapter must host a campus approved form of Alcohol-Free Brotherhood programming as well as Host an Alcohol-Free event. Any chapter that does a campus approved form of Alcohol-Free Brotherhood programming but does not Host an Alcohol-Free event will only be granted 1 social event for the following semester. Any chapter who does not host any form of Alcohol-Free Brotherhood programming but does Host an Alcohol-Free event will only be granted 1 social event for the following semester. As well as any chapter who does not fulfill either requirements will not be granted any social events from the Alcohol-Free Programming section.

The Matrix is outlined as Follows:

	Two Social Events	One Social Event	No Social Events
<i>GPA</i>	3.4-3.25 (3.4+ = 3 social events)	3.24-3.0	≤ 2.99
<i>Involvement</i>	≥ 75%	74%-50%	≤ 50%
<i>Community Outreach</i>	Host 1 Philanthropy event as well as 5 Community Service events hosted by chapter	Host 1 Philanthropy event OR 3 Community Service events hosted by chapter	Neither
<i>Educational Programming</i>	Complete a campus approved Health and Wellness Program as well as Co-Host an educational event with another campus organization	Complete a campus approved Health and Wellness program OR Co-Host an educational event with another campus organization	Neither
<i>Alcohol-Free Programming</i>	Host an Alcohol-Free Brotherhood Program as well as an Alcohol-Free Event	Host an Alcohol-Free Brotherhood Program OR and Alcohol-Free Event	Neither