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# Lee County Literacy Grants

Reading and Mathematics

Awarded by Delta Rho Chapter The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

> Application Deadline: October 15, 2023



## Lee County Literacy Grants

Eight grants will be awarded for up to \$200 each. These literacy grants can provide funding for innovative, classroom-based literacy projects in reading and mathematics. Grant funds may not be used for field trips.

### Timeline for Grant Application and Awarding of Grants

- Application deadline is October 15, 2023
- Notification of recipients by October 31, 2023
- Receipts for expenses received by February 1, 2024
- Reimbursement for exact expenses by February 15, 2024
- Recognition of grant recipients as guests
  - Spelling Bee March 2024
  - Delta Rho chapter meeting Spring 2024

# Eligibility

Beginning teachers (up to 3 years experience in the profession) will have priority for up to four of the grants.

Grant recipients must meet the requirements outlined here and on the application and must agree to share with DKG members at the May chapter meeting how funds were used to improve literacy in their classroom. Recipients will be recognized at the Delta Rho sponsored "Beginning Life with Books" Spelling Bee in March 2024. Lee County Public Schools teachers may apply as individuals or as a team for the grants.

## How to Apply

Complete the application on the back of this brochure. Include exact expenses that will be incurred. Mail it and the required attachment to:

Terry Norris, Delta Rho Treasurer 136 Steel Bridge Road Sanford, NC 27330 (919) 776-7480

Applications must be postmarked by October 15, 2023 and complete in all respects, to be considered.

Grants will be awarded based on a competitive evaluation process. The application and the rubric to be used for scoring is posted on the Delta Rho Chapter webpage at

www.deltarhosanfordnc.weebly.com under the links tab.



Questions can be directed to <u>deltarho96@gmail.com</u> or to the phone number listed in this brochure.

## The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

#### **Mission Statement**

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

#### History

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International was founded May 11, 1929 by Dr. Annie Webb Blanton, member of the faculty of the University of Texas and a former state superintendent of public instruction in Texas. She conceived the idea of an honorary, professional organization for women educators. Eleven women educators from Texas, representing various professional positions in education, were initiated by Dr. Blanton.

The Founders believed that there was need for an organization in which women educators in both the private and public sector—teachers, college and university professors, librarians, administrators and supervisors and educational specialists might be united for efforts toward better professional preparation, recognition of women's work in the teaching profession and scholarships for those needing aid in improving their professional preparation.

The membership has grown to more than 90,000 women in eighteen countries with nearly 4,800 in North Carolina.