

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY

History

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Delta Sigma Theta Sorority was founded in 1913 on the campus of Howard University, Washington, D. C., by twenty-two undergraduate students. It visualized as an organization whose aims would be more serious than soicial. Today there are 228 chapters and DELTA PHI makes the fourth chapter in Indiana. Its program places emphasis in the fields of education, cooperatiom, and general welfare in consonance with the motto "Intelligence is the torch of Wisdom."

In 1913 Delta Sigma Theta was incorporated as a national organization. As the Sorority works on its major national projects, as it gives scholarships to worthy persons, Delta strives to realize its purpose.

The sorority colors are crimson and cream. Its flower is the violet.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority was installed on the Ball State campus in 1953 with the Delta Phi Chapter.