

# FIVE STAR CHAPTER PLAN

## HOW IT WORKS:

The Five Star Chapter Plan engages chapters in Phi Theta Kappa programs and celebrates their accomplishments. It outlines 10 essentials to creating an engaged chapter and organizes them into themed categories or “stars.”

Chapters select the stars they wish to pursue and complete the star requirements throughout the calendar year. At the end of the year, chapters earn recognition for the number of stars completed.



### ★ REACH

- Invite eligible students to join during January–June AND July–December

### ★ ENGAGE

- Elect/select chapter officers and report them to PTK via Advisor Dashboard
- ONE or more members complete any *PTK Edge* professional development course OR Unit 1 of PTK's *Leadership Development Studies* course
- ONE or more chapter advisors complete the *Advisor Edge* professional development course (*completion from previous years counts*)

### ★ NETWORK

- Chapter representative participates in a Regional Activity/Event (*regional conferences, Scholar Dash regional team, regional project, etc.*)

### ★ LEAD

- Implement a College Project, a joint project between the chapter and college administration
- Submit the College Project Hallmark Award entry
- Submit entry for ONE or more individual Hallmark Award categories

### ★ DISCOVER

- Implement an Honors in Action Project, a project combining academic research into the PTK Honors Study Topic and community action to solve real-world challenges
- Submit the Honors in Action Project Hallmark Award entry

NEW

#### INCREASED FLEXIBILITY

Complete activities in any order.

#### SIMPLIFIED REQUIREMENTS

Only 10 steps to Five Star Chapter status!

#### AUTOMATED REPORTING

Advisors report chapter officers, and the rest is automatic. No goals to report or updates to send.



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