**[DESIGNATION] CHAPTER**

**BIG BROTHER/LITTLE BROTHER PROGRAM**

**OVERVIEW**

The opportunity to become a Big Brother is one of the most rewarding experiences available to a brother of Pi Kappa Phi. The relationship that you develop with your Little Brother will forever shape his views about Pi Kappa Phi and his dedication to becoming an exceptional leader who pursues uncommon opportunities. More than any other man in the fraternity, you will direct and shape the kind of brother that he becomes. As such, you must acknowledge that your actions and behaviors will be closely observed by your Little Brother. For this reason, it is important that you take your role and responsibilities as a Big Brother seriously. At all times, you should demonstrate ideal brotherhood, particularly in meetings, work sessions, and social activities. Further, you should set the personal goal of becoming a paragon for academic standards, class work, class attendance, homework, and overall behavior within your chapter.

All of the brothers of the [DESIGNATION] Chapter of Pi Kappa Phi are counting on you to take this role and its responsibilities seriously. The duties of the Big Brother are of great importance for the retention of associate members, and the quality of the associate member experience that they each receive. Your dedication will make a critical difference to the success of this chapter and the success of Pi Kappa Phi.

**SELECTION**

Being a Big Brother to an associative member is a privilege, not a right of membership. The selection and pairing of Big Brothers and Little Brothers is left to the discretion of the Warden and the Member Education Committee.

**Minimum Standards For Big Brother Selection:**

* Be in good standing with the chapter financially as determined by the treasurer
* Must have no outstanding cases with the Chapter’s Standard’s Board, and must be in good standing with the Chapter’s Standards Board
* Be a brother in good standing as defined in the Chapter’s Constitution & By-Laws
* Follow closely the student code of conduct as well as the chapter code of conduct
* Meet the minimum chapter GPA standard every quarter, as outlined in the Chapter’s Scholarship Program and codified in the Chapter’s Constitution & By-Laws, and maintain an overall GPA of 2.7 or higher

**Expectations Of Big Brothers:**

* Big Brothers will assist the Little Brother with finding a chapter committee to join by the fifth week of new member education
* Big Brothers will remain current in their financial obligations to the chapter and see that their Little Brother does the same
* Big Brothers will provide adequate encouragement in the area of scholarship by monitoring the Little Brother’s academic progress and setting an example of Pi Kappa Phi’s commitment to the highest possible standards of scholarship
* Big Brothers will assist with their little brother’s new member education experience by assuring that they make at least 80% on weekly exams. If the Little Brother does not meet the 80% minimum, the Big Brother will study with the Little Brother
* Big Brothers will attend 90% of chapter meetings, 90% of sub-rituals, and the ritual of initiation
* Big Brothers will memorize their ROI lines before the week of initiation
* Big Brothers will hold their Little Brother accountable for his actions and attendance
* Big Brothers will keep careful watch over their personal conduct, realizing that the actions of the Big Brother influence the actions of the Little Brother
* Big Brothers will defend their Little Brothers among the active chapter, giving each Little Brother every opportunity to prove his potential as a full-initiated member
* Big Brothers will participate in all subordinate rituals, including the Big Brother / Little Brother subordinate ritual, as required by the Chaplain
* Big Brothers will participate in all Big Brother / Little Brother events
* Big Brothers will hold any brother(s) accountable who might haze, harm, intimidate, or humiliate the Little Brother, through the Standards Board process
* Big Brothers will ensure that their Little Brothers complete GreekLife.Edu in a timely manner

**PAIRING PROCESS FOR BIG BROTHERS AND LITTLE BROTHERS**

**Preferences**

During the second or third week of the new member education process, each of the Associate Members will submit a Little Brother Application to the Warden (application included below). Active Members, who meet the minimum standards listed in this document and are committed to the expectations as described above, should submit a Big Brother Application to the Warden as well (application included below). Included in this preference list should be a short paragraph, which describes why the Active Member would like a Little Brother, and his intentions for the Big Brother/Little Brother relationship.

**Pairing By The Warden, Chaplain & Member Education Committee**

* Having compiled the lists from the Active Members and the Associate Members, the Warden, the Chaplain, and Member Education Committee cross-references the lists, basing the pairings on the following considerations:
* The application from the Associate Member, and the characteristics that are most important to him in a Big Brother.
* The application from the Big Brother, and the characteristics that are most important to him in a Little Brother.
* The personality compatibility of Associate Member and the Active Member
	+ Sense of humor, communication styles, interests and hobbies are all reliable indicators of whether the experience will be mutually beneficial to the Big Brother and Little Brother.

**Consideration & Affirmation By The Executive Council**

Recognizing that the Big Brother/Little Brother relationship extends beyond the Associate Member process, the Executive Council should consider the following before giving final affirmation:

* Whether the Active Members selected will truly model behaviors that align with the values and ideals of Pi Kappa Phi.
* The commitment of the Active Members to the Big Brother / Lil Brother relationship.
* The ability of the Active Member to hold the Chapter and the Associate Member accountable to any actions or behaviors that may not align with the values and ideals of Pi Kappa Phi.

**Notification Of Final Pairings**

After affirmation by the Executive Council, the Warden of the Chapter will notify the Active Members that have been selected to be Big Brothers. The Active Members must sign and complete the Big Brother Contract. The pairings will not be revealed to the Associate Members until the Big Brother/Little Brother subordinate ritual.

* Big Brothers, in order to welcome their Little Brothers, may provide gifts for the Little Brother. The Big Brother’s identity, however, should remain a secret until the Big Brother/Little Brother Ceremony. Alcohol is not an appropriate gift.

**LITTLE BROTHER APPLICATION
[DESIGNATION] CHAPTER OF PI KAPPA PHI**

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Year in School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Minors: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Interests: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Active brothers that you would like to have as a Big Brother: 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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Who is the brother that was most responsible for you joining Pi Kappa Phi?

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What personality traits or characteristics are most important to you in a Big Brother?

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What other pertinent information should the Member Education Committee consider when selecting, and pairing you with your Big Brother?

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**BIG BROTHER APPLICATION**

**[DESIGNATION] CHAPTER OF PI KAPPA PHI**

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Year in school: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Month/Year of Initiation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Minors: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Hometown: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Your Big Brother’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Associate Members who you would like to take as a Little Brother:

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What personality traits or characteristics are most important to you in a Little Brother?

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Why would you like the opportunity to become a Big Brother?

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What other pertinent information should the Member Education Committee consider when selecting, and pairing you with a Little Brother?

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**BIG BROTHER CONTRACT
[DESIGNATION] CHAPTER OF PI KAPPA PHI**

**Expectations Of A Big Brother:**

* Big Brothers will assist the Little Brother with finding a chapter committee to join by the fifth week of new member education
* Big Brothers will remain current in their financial obligations to the chapter and see that their Little Brother does the same
* Big Brothers will provide adequate encouragement in the area of scholarship by monitoring the Little Brother’s academic progress and setting an example of Pi Kappa Phi’s commitment to the highest possible standards of scholarship
* Big Brothers will assist with their Little Brother’s new member education experience by assuring that they make at least 80% on weekly exams. If the Little Brother does not meet the 80% minimum, the Big Brother will study with the Little Brother
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* Big Brothers will participate in all Big Brother / Little Brother events
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* Big Brothers will ensure that their Little Brothers complete GreekLife.Edu in a timely manner

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, in serving as a big brother do hereby promise:

To provide encouragement in the area of scholarship by both monitoring my little brother’s academic progress and setting an example of dedication to scholarship.

To defend my little brother among the active brothers of the chapter, giving him every opportunity to prove his potential as a full-initiated member.

To remain current in my financial obligations to the chapter and see that my little brother does the same.

To partake in all planned chapter Big Brother events.

To learn the appropriate role in rituals so that I might be part of my little brother’s initiation ceremony.

To bring forth any brother who might haze, harm, intimidate, or humiliate my little brother before the Standards Board.

Big Brother Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Warden Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Associate Member Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**BIG BROTHER/LITTLE BROTHER CEREMONIES**

The Big Brother/Little Brother Ceremony shall be conducted during the second or third week of the new member education process. There are two different ceremonies listed herein which chapters may choose to do. There shall be no alcohol at, or associated with Big Brother/Little Brother activities. The ceremony should be performed in a manner entirely consistent with the Ritual of Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity and our values.

**CEREMONY (Option A)**

**Preparation:**

Three rooms should be designated for use during the Big Brother/Little Brother Subordinate Ritual:

* The first should be used as a holding room for the Associate Members to be seated in while they wait for their turn to meet with the Chaplain and the Archon.
* The second room should be set aside for use by the Chaplain.
	+ In this room, the Chaplain should be seated facing an empty chair that will be used by each of the Associate Members.
* The final room is for use by the Archon.
	+ A table should be placed in the Archon’s room, and covered by a white tablecloth. On top of the table, set the Chapter’s bell, the student lamp, three burning candles, and a taped bunch of pencils. Behind the table, display the fraternity flag.
	+ To the side should be a group of 5-7 brothers, who will ask for a vote of “yea” or “nay”
	+ The Archon’s room should be dark and silent.

Allow Associate Members to be seated together in one room. Designate one brother to lead one Associate Member into the Chaplain’s room at a time and have him take a seat in front of the Chaplain.

**CHAPLAIN:** *(To the Associate Member)*

“Tonight’s exercises will be among the most memorable, and joyful experiences that you meet along your journey to full brotherhood in Pi Kappa Phi. I assure you that you have nothing to fear. You will now be blindfolded, and another brother will guide you to your next stop.”

After the Chaplain blindfolds the Associate Member, the Big Brother should approach the Associate from behind and lead him to the Archon’s table in the next room.

The Archon should be seated behind the white-clothed table. As the Associate Member approaches the table, the Archon will instruct him to remain standing.

**ARCHON:** *(To the Associate Member)*

“You may approach the table, but I ask that you please remain standing.”

**ARCHON:** *(To the Associate Member)*

“Tonight I will ask you three questions. If you answer these questions correctly, you will be allowed to remain within the Associate Member Education Program, and continue along the path to become an initiated brother of Pi Kappa Phi. If you answer these questions incorrectly, you will be dismissed from the Associate Member Process.”

*The questions that are asked should be related to the history of the Fraternity, and should be such that the Associate Member does not know the answer.*

After the questions have been posed, and the Associate Member has answered them all incorrectly, the Big Brother should lead him away. As the Associate Member is turned to leave, one of the 5-7 brothers standing to the side should ask for a vote of “yea” or “nay” to allow the Associate Member one more chance to answer a question from the Archon. A majority of the brothers should vote “yea,” and one or two dissenting members should vote “nay.”

The Big Brother should then lead the Associate Member back to the Archon’s table. The Archon will then repeat the first question. When the Associate fails to answer again, the Big Brother should whisper the correct answer to the Associate Member. After the Associate Member answers correctly, the Archon should ask the second question. Again, when the Associate Member fails to answer correctly, the Big Brother should whisper the correct answer to him. This process should be followed in the same way for the third question. Once the Associate answers the third question correctly, the 5-7 brothers standing to the side should applaud, and the Archon should instruct the members to do the following:

**ARCHON:** *(To the Big Brother)*

 “Please remove the blindfold from the Associate Member.”

**ARCHON:** *(To the Associate Member)*

“Associate Member, as the blindfold is removed, please look forward, approach the table, and pick up this bundle of pencils.”

*Once the Associate has the bundle of pencils in his hand:*

**ARCHON:** *(To the Associate Member)*

 “I need for you to break this bundle of pencils in half.”

*After the Associate Members has attempted to break the bundle of pencils, and failed:*

**ARCHON:** *(To the Associate Member)*

“Each pencil in the bundle represents an individual Associate Member. The bundle itself represents a chapter, which, when bound together in a common loyalty that transcends any personal selfishness, cannot be broken apart.”

**ARCHON:** *(To the Associate Member)*

 “You may now turn around, and meet your Big Brother.”

**CEREMONY (Option B)**

**Preparation:**

Instruct Big Brothers beforehand to wear a suit, tie, and the fraternity badge to the ceremony. The Chaplain should memorize the poem, *The Bridge Builder.* Gather 3 white sheets, a strong light source, and a chair.

* In a dimly lit room, hang the three sheets from the ceiling to form three sides of a square.
* The sheets should not be hung over exit signs, fire extinguishers, doors, etc.
* Place a chair inside the square.

Lead the Associate Member into the room and seat him behind the sheets, so that there is a sheet hanging directly in front of him, and a sheet hanging on either side of him as to obstruct his view. The only open space should be directly behind the Associate Member. The Associate Member’s Big Brother should stand on the other side of the sheet, facing his Little Brother. A bright light should shine behind the Big Brother, so that his shadow is projected onto the white sheet in front of the Little Brother.

The Chaplain should stand to the side (out of sight) and read *The Bridge Builder*. Once the Chaplain has finished reciting the poem, the Big Brother should reveal himself to his Little Brother.

**SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES FOR BIG BROTHER/LITTLE BROTHER BONDING**

It is important for Big Brothers and Little Brothers to develop a lasting friendship. Providing activities, particularly early in the program, can contribute to the development of a close friendship. Several suggested activities are listed as follows:

* Designate one night each week to work out, watch TV, or have a meal together.
* Read a book together and discuss.
* Attend collegiate athletic events together.
* Go on a group date together.
* Do a community service project together.
* Go camping together.
* Plan a canoe trip.
* Go on a road trip to another Pi Kapp chapter.
* Host a Big Brother/Little Brother talent show.
* Host a FIFA, foosball, pool, ping pong or pinball tournament.
* Plan a College Bowl or Family Feud type quiz game with teams of Big Brothers and Little Brothers. The questions should be based on history of the fraternity, your chapter, and your college or university.
* Compete for the highest pairing GPA.
* Play a round of mini-golf together.
* Go see a movie together.
* Go for a bike ride together.