



# MORTAR BOARD

NATIONAL COLLEGE HONOR SOCIETY

Recognize excellence.

Reignite impact. **Restore tradition.**

## What is the National Chapter?

The **National Chapter is a fully recognized Mortar Board membership pathway** for students on campuses with inactive chapters. The National Chapter:

- Recognizes eligible students for outstanding achievements
- Provides full lifetime membership
- Maintains campus connection to Mortar Board
- Builds momentum for future chapter reactivation if and when the time is right.

## What the National Chapter Experience Looks Like

The National Chapter operates like a campus chapter. Students participate as much (or as little) as they choose. Opportunities include:

- Monthly **virtual meetings** featuring networking, leadership, and career development
- Serving on the National Chapter **Executive Board**, in roles such as President, Vice President, Service Chair, or Marketing Director
- Leading or participating in **service initiatives**
- Helping plan **programming and events**
- **Access to all** Mortar Board national events, initiatives, and leadership opportunities.

## Why Students Join Mortar Board

### Standout Credential

Recognized nationwide for scholarship, leadership, and service, joining Mortar Board levels up your resume and LinkedIn profile.

### Real Connections

By joining, you will meet peers and alumni across the country for mentoring, internships, and career opportunities.

### Leadership You Can Use NOW

Run programs, lead teams, and earn achievements you can talk about in interviews.

### Flexible Time Commitment

Like most collegiate experiences, the National Chapter is what students make of it. You choose your involvement.



## Eligibility

- ✦ Commitment to **leadership & service**
- ✦ **3.3 GPA** or higher
- ✦ **Junior or Senior** status (at least 50% of your bachelor's degree completed)
- ✦ Your campus **does not currently have an active chapter**

## What We Need From You (It's Simple)

We aim to make participation **easy and low-lift**. Here's **how you can help**:

- 1 Start the Conversation by Letting us know you're interested!**  
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- 2 Share the Opportunity with Students**  
**Option A:** Forward a brief Mortar Board email to eligible students  
**Option B:** Provide the National Office a list of eligible students; we handle outreach

## Ready to Reactivate as a Campus-Based Chapter Now?

If your campus is ready to relaunch as a fully campus-based chapter, we are here to guide and support you throughout the entire process and beyond. **You focus on your students, and we handle the logistics.** When you reactivate a chapter, you're backed by a national team that has done this many times before. Support includes:

- Ready-to-use **templated emails** for students, faculty, and campus partners
- A national **member application**—no forms to build or manage
- **Virtual initiation** led by the National Office
- A facilitated **first officer meeting and elections** to set students up for success
- **Step-by-step guidance** from staff who know your campus realities

Learn more and schedule a meeting to discuss:  
[mortarboard.org/reactivate](http://mortarboard.org/reactivate)

**BRING MORTAR BOARD BACK TO YOUR CAMPUS**  
Reactivate Through the National Chapter: A Pathway for Students

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