



# Pi Lambda Theta Professional Membership Application

## WHO CAN JOIN?

Professional educators must satisfy the following five requirements if they are not certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards:

- No present enrollment in a degree program
- A minimum of a baccalaureate degree
- Completion of a degree, a credential program, or a certification program at an accredited institution in a field leading to a career in education
- A GPA of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale for their most advanced degree, credential, or certification program
- Submission of a résumé/vita or portfolio as evidence of outstanding contributions to the profession

A professional in another field, e.g., psychologist, counselor, nutritionist, and librarian, may be qualified for membership if (s)he practices in, or has contributed to, the field of education.

## About You

Name (Last, First, Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred First Name \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

## Home Address (Default)

Street/PO Box \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP/Postal code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Office phone \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Primary e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Address**  Campus  Work

Street/PO Box \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP/Postal code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail my PLT publications to my  default or  campus/work address.

I am applying as a professional educator.

Cumulative GPA in highest degree earned: \_\_\_\_\_

*Include your résumé/vita or portfolio and an official transcript from the highest degree program you attended. Application will not be processed without this.*

I am applying as a professional educator with National Board certification.

*Include evidence of National Board certification with this application. Application will not be processed without this.*

## Highest Degree Achieved:

\_\_ B.A./B.S.    \_\_ M.A./M.S.    \_\_ Ph.D/Ed.D    \_\_ Ed.S.

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**Current Professional Position:**

- Early Childhood/Preschool
- K-12 Instruction
- K-12 Administration
- State Education Agency
- Higher Education Instruction: 2-Year Institution
- Higher Education Instruction: 4-Year Institution
- Higher Education Administration: 2-Year Institution
- Higher Education Administration: 4-Year Institution
- Association/Nonprofit Organization
- Independent Education Consultant
- Business/For Profit Company
- Local/State/Federal Government Official

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Specialization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment Information**

Membership is for one year from the date payment is received at the international office. The cost is \$44 plus chapter dues (if applicable). This PLT dues amount includes a yearly subscription of \$29 U.S./\$40 non-U.S. to *Educational Horizons*.

If you would like to join a local chapter, please visit [www.pilambda.org/join/find-a-chapter](http://www.pilambda.org/join/find-a-chapter) and enter the chapter name, number, and dues amount below.

Chapter Name and Number (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

International Dues: \$44  
Chapter Dues (if applicable) \$\_\_\_\_\_

**Total:** \$\_\_\_\_\_

Check payable to Pi Lambda Theta is attached.

Please bill my credit card.

- VISA
- Discover
- MasterCard
- American Express

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Cardholder's Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this form to Pi Lambda Theta at the address below. Questions? Call us at 800-766-1156 or email us at [plt@pdkintl.org](mailto:plt@pdkintl.org).**

**WHY SHOULD I JOIN?**

**Because membership sets you apart from the crowd.** Admission into PLT is based on academic achievement. Your membership in this well-known, respected honor society is an easy way to distinguish yourself among your peers. Additionally, PLT offers numerous award opportunities to help you build your résumé or CV.

**Because we are your source for quality education information.** Through membership in PLT, you will have access to timely, relevant publications that will help you advance your career. PLT also offers professional learning opportunities like international study trips, webinars, and conferences to help you develop your professional skill set. It's the most up-to-date information in education, presented in succinct, easy-to-access formats.

**Because everyone wants to save money.** Our research grants could be an economic benefit you haven't considered, and don't forget the free publications and webinars you'll have access to. We also offer considerable discounts on insurance, *Take One!* (a component of National Board certification), international travel, and event registration costs.



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