Any chapter may establish minimum scholastic qualifications that are higher than those listed to the right if it is appropriate for the school. The Psi Chi Central Office does remind chapters, however, not to include service standards or attendance requirements in the membership requirements. Psi Chi is an honor society, and membership is based on scholastic achievement.

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**FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS:**
- Completion of at least 3 semesters or 5 quarters of the college course.
- Completion of 9 semester hours of 14 quarter hours of psychology.
- Ranking in the upper 35% of one's graduating class in general scholarship.
- They must also demonstrate superior scholarship in psychology, earning a minimum GPA in psychology courses of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) in both psychology classes and in cumulative grades. Psi Chi accepts the policy of the institution regarding grades.

**FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS:**
- An overall cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) in all graduate courses, including psychology. Psi Chi accepts the policy of the institution regarding grades.

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* In those few instances in which the upper 35% cutoff falls below a 3.0 GPA, undergraduate students must have at least a 3.0 overall GPA.