Officially chartered in the spring of 1990, the Sigma Zeta Chapter of Sigma Delta Pi at Washington College has been a driving force in the establishment and strengthening of relations between the school and the surrounding Hispanic community. In fact, the Sigma Zeta Chapter has been honored to receive a Certificate of Honor and Merit from the National Society thrice since the chapter’s inception for supporting the diffusion of Hispanic culture in the surrounding area.

Each year, Sigma Zeta chapter organizes and leads three primary events, and its members often assist with other multi-cultural events on campus. The first and most popular event is a linguistics and pronunciation workshop in which both the campus and larger community are invited to learn more about the more technical side of this beautiful language. Secondly, the chapter organizes a foreign language film festival every spring in order to foster appreciation for international perspectives. Finally, the chapter’s hallmark event each year is the induction ceremony to Sigma Delta Pi, which culminates in a gathering of professors, proud parents, and Sigma Delta Pi members both new and old.

-Brendan Looney
A Few Sigma Delta Pideas for Chapter Events

1. Host a movie night at school - gather your students together for a movie in Spanish. Some suggestions are classics like Como Agua Para Chocolate or crowd favorites like Coco.

2. Host a coffee date - invite immigrants and other Spanish speakers from your school and community to come practice their English with students studying Spanish. It’s beneficial and fun for both parties. To get more involved, consider signing people up to be peer exchange partners who can meet on their own time to practice their language skills.

3. Host mock interviews - one of the best ways to prepare for interviews is to practice, practice, practice! Invite people from your community who are learning English and host practice interviews, while offering help with their resumes and other things related to getting jobs. It is a good way to blend the community in with your SDP group.

-Hannah Collins

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