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## Features

### Diamond Standard

[The Educational Forum](#) approaches its 75th year as the cornerstone publication of Kappa Delta Pi. Did you know that The Educational Journal, as it was first named, included poetry from leading educators? Learn more about this [Diamond Standard](#).

### New National Leadership Conference

KDP's first **iLead** conference is April 9-10 at Malone University (OH). These innovative sessions on transformational leadership are designed especially for preservice teachers and educators with less than three years in the classroom. Add leadership training to your resume - [sign up now](#).

### NSTOY Speakers Bureau

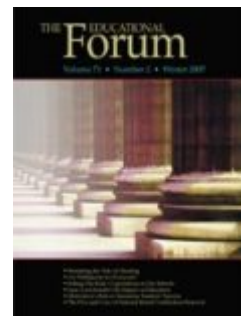
The National State Teachers of the Year organization is made up of innovative, award-winning educators many of whom are available to speak at conferences, schools, and KDP chapter events. Learn more about the [NSTOY Speakers Bureau](#).

### Grad Lounge

Is the ABD ghost haunting you? Try Vicky Tusken 's "spell" for keeping that ghost away. [What is it?](#)

### Undergrads

KDP Online has so many layers of resources and information for you. Take a little time to surf the



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 My daughter asked:  
 "Is the first year of teaching the hardest?"  
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 "No, the first 20 years are the hardest!"  
 Sent by Marie Thomas

[undergrad section](#) or start with the [FAQs](#).

### **Professionals**

When you are busy in and out of the classroom, it is easy to forget how KDP benefits you and your teaching. Don't miss out on any of these [benefits and resources](#).

### **Administrators**

Have you considered encouraging your teachers to apply for KDP's Teacher of Honor Award? Both recipients and their school are recognized, so It can be a good way to honor everyone's accomplishments. [Learn more](#).

### **Higher Ed**

If writing or presenting is on your to-do list, be sure to take advantage of the tips and resources at [Publish and Present](#).

### **Retired**

You may not be active in the classroom, but your membership in KDP can still be meaningful. Learn more about [life in KDP after retirement](#), and look into some of these [recommended resources](#).

## **Your Connections**

### **BENEFITS & SERVICES**

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### **MEMBER SPOTLIGHT**

KDP members are an accomplished bunch. [Read](#) about some of them or [submit](#) your own success story!

### **EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION**

Only a few weeks left! The Educational Foundation board has voted to allow a generous extension on the Gerald H.

### **KDP Fun Fact**

KDP Headquarters has been located in Indianapolis since 1999.



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