

Brookhaven Student Government Association has served students through the following activities.

- creating the book-exchange program
- working with the college administration to improve parking, campus security and student services
- serving on the DCCCD committee for review of the DCCCD Student Code of Conduct
- serving on the focus group for the review of the college's Student Handbook
- surveying students about college-related issues
- organizing student forums with college administrators
- serving as host for the U.S. Congressional District 32 Open Forum; and the DCCCD Trustee Candidates Open Forum





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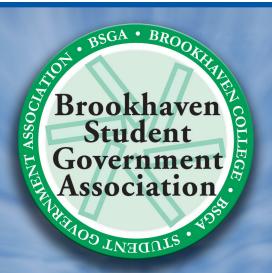
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SGA: Shared Governance – Shared Voice Your School. Your Voice.







Brookhaven Student Government Association

The BSGA is an elected and appointed group of students that is given the opportunity to represent the students of Brookhaven College, their issues and concerns.

What is the purpose of Student Government Association?

Members of the BSGA work for the following purposes.

- ensure quality representation, while encouraging participation from the student body
- serve as the primary voice for the needs of all students
- provide a forum for student discussions and school-related problems or concerns
- contribute in a significant way to the decision-making process of Brookhaven College
- provide each member with the opportunity to experience a leadership role
- provide a channel for communication between the student body and the administration and faculty

What can students achieve by becoming members of BSGA?

Students have the opportunity to achieve the following.

- grow personally and professionally
- gain a network of support
- work with legislators and gain leadership and lobbying experience
- meet students with the same interests
- become assertive in relating with others
- become better public speakers
- learn conflict management techniques
- learn how to conduct effective meetings
- learn how to associate with diverse groups of students and administrators

What are the membership qualifications for Student Government Association?

The membership term begins on the first day of the fall semester to the day prior to the beginning of the next fall semester. Anyone meeting membership requirements may join at any time.

Minimum Requirements

• Students must be enrolled at Brookhaven College

• Students must submit proof of enrollment in the form of a tuition receipt

Types of Memberships

- General Memberships any student who meets the membership requirements. Membership requires active participation.
- Organizational Representation one representative from each organization that is officially recognized by the Office of Student Life. Selection will be determined by each organization and approved by the organization's faculty advisor.



What are the offices of the Student Government Association and the qualifications?

The offices are as follow.

- president
- vice president
- treasurer
- secretary
- parliamentarian
- historian
- public information
- SGA Senators

The officers must meet all membership requirements without waiver. Officers must be enrolled in at least six credit hours, maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5, and be in good standing at Brookhaven College.

Brookhaven Student Government Association Memberships

- American Student Association of Community Colleges, ASACC, *www.asacc.org*
- Texas Junior College Student Government Association, TJCSGA, *www.tjcsga.org*