WE’RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER
FRATERNITY VALUE: SINCERE FRIENDSHIP
SUGGESTED FACILITATOR: VICE PRESIDENT OF MEMBER DEVELOPMENT (AND HER COMMITTEE IF THERE ARE MULTIPLE GROUPS)

Submitted by the Colorado Epsilon Chapter

Goals:
• Participants will visibly see how one person’s actions can affect an entire group.
• Participants will work as a group to solve a problem.

Room setup/materials needed:
• Break the chapter into groups; no more than 25.
• Masking tape or sheets of plain white computer paper to make a maze. Maze should be anywhere from 25 sheets (a 5x5 board) to 100 sheets (a 10x10 board), depending on the size of the group.
  • There should be one maze for each group.
• An answer sheet for each maze.

Getting Started
Talking points are indicated with a callout bullet (❖). Please use these as speaking guidelines, but be sure to jazz up the presentation with your own personality. Facilitation instructions are indicated with an arrow (→) and serve as hints you might find helpful when administering the material. Most importantly, have fun!

Instructions
❖ Today we are going to discuss the impact we have on one another, both inside and outside of our chapter. To begin, we are going to start with a game.

→ At this point, you would split up the chapter into groups, if needed.
❖ The goal of this game is for each group to work together to find their way through this maze. There is only one correct path. You can move left, right, forward and diagonally. Only one person may enter the maze at a time, testing each square to discover the correct path. After each move your game leader will tell you if you are standing on the correct path or if you’ve made an incorrect move. If you’re correct, you may continue. However, if you are incorrect, you must return to the beginning and let someone else in your group take a turn at walking through the maze.

❖ The good news? You can help each other out! If your teammate is having a hard time remembering the path, help a sister out. The bad news? You cannot talk to each other, and must help with nonverbal cues.

→ Ask if there are any questions. Check with all of your group leaders to make sure they’re ready, and then they may start working through the mazes.

→ Once all of the groups have completed, bring them back together as one large group.
  ❖ Everyone did a great job working together to complete the maze!
Have an open discussion about the activity. The following questions should help, but feel free to add your own!

- What did it feel like to be in the maze?
- How did you determine the correct path?
- What strategies did the group use to remember the path?
- How was the level of support from your group?
- What does this relate to the level of support we feel from our sisters?
- Could you have completed the maze alone in this amount of time?
- What are some examples of how our personal decisions ultimately affect the whole group?
  - PR and social media
  - Recruitment
  - GPA
  - Relationships outside of the chapter

Final Wrap-Up

After members have finished discussing, lead the group in the final wrap-up.

- Hopefully you felt supported through this activity, and saw how we can come together to achieve goals. The fact that we're all in this together can help us positively but also affect us negatively. Remember your decisions will credit or discredit Pi Beta Phi, and your sisters are there to support you in choosing the correct path!

- Thank everyone for participating in this seminar.

Evaluation: Don’t forget to help the Fraternity assess this program. The program facilitator, as well as a member of each class, should be asked to visit the Leading with Values® website, www.pibetaphi.org/leadingwithvalues, to fill out a quick survey. Remember, the name of this seminar is We’re all in this Together.

The chapter’s Vice President of Member Development should remember to record the presentation of this program in the chapter’s monthly regional report.
Example Maze Answer Sheets

7x7

Start Here

Finish!