

göta studentkår

# Göta studentkår's Membership Terms and Conditions.





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# Membership Terms and Conditions

Göta studentkår is a non-profit membership organization.

By becoming a member of Göta studentkår, you support the work of the student union and help strengthen its legitimacy. You become part of our community and contribute to ensuring that students, both now and in the future, receive an education to be proud of and a student life worth remembering.

Through your membership, you help ensure that the student union can continue advocating for improvements to your education and student life in Gothenburg. Together, we work to secure your and your fellow students' rights to a safe university experience, access to quality study spaces, increased teacher-led instruction, fair examinations, and social activities alongside your studies.

## Membership

According to the statutes of Göta studentkår, an individual may become a member of Göta studentkår by paying the membership fee determined by the Representative Assembly.

Göta studentkår offers three types of membership:

- › Ordinary Membership (Ordinary Member)
  - One (1) semester
  - Two (2) semesters
  - Four (4) semesters
- › Buddy Membership (Kårkompis)
  - Two (2) semesters
- › Temporary Membership (Temporary Member)
  - Three (3) days

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## Ordinary Member

According to the statutes of Göta studentkår, a student at undergraduate or graduate level who is admitted to and registered in a programme at one of the faculties represented by Göta studentkår is entitled to become an ordinary member of Göta studentkår.

As an ordinary member, you have the right to influence the operations of Göta studentkår, including the right to vote in student union elections, serve as a student representative, and run for various elected positions.

## Student Union ID for Ordinary Membership

Your proof of membership consists of your personal ID (driver's license, ID card, or passport) combined with:

- › The digital card featuring Göta studentkår's logo in the Mecenat app

## Membership Benefits for Ordinary Members

As a member of Göta studentkår, you gain access to a variety of exclusive member benefits, including free breakfast at the end of the month, discounted event prices, and access to our very own student pub, Kårkällar'n.

All membership benefits are listed on Göta studentkår's website under the "Membership Benefits" section.

As a member, you will also receive our membership emails with the latest news and information relevant to you as a member.

## Buddy Membership

A Buddy Membership is primarily intended for individuals over the age of 18 who are not currently studying at one of the faculties represented by Göta studentkår at the University of Gothenburg, but who have a previous connection to the student union.

A Buddy Membership is valid for two semesters.

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As a Kårkompis (Buddy Member), you are welcome to visit Göta studentkår's pub Kårkällar'n as a guest of an ordinary member of Göta studentkår.

It is up to the organizer of each specific event within Göta studentkår to decide whether Buddy Members may participate in that event or not.

Other membership benefits and student discounts offered by Göta studentkår are not included in a Buddy Membership. Please also note that a Buddy Member does not receive a Mecenat card, a membership certificate in the Orbi app, or access to benefits that require you to be a registered student. Buddy Members are not entitled to vote in elections to the Representative Assembly and may not run for a seat in the Representative Assembly.

## Temporary Membership

Individual students from institutions other than the University of Gothenburg, as well as employees of Göta studentkår, may be granted a temporary membership in Göta studentkår.

A temporary membership is valid for three (3) days. The specific validity dates are determined at the time of application.

Your membership card in the Orbi app serves as proof of a valid temporary membership.

The validity period of the temporary membership is shown in your Orbi app account.

To be granted a temporary membership, the following is required: the student's full name, Swedish personal identity number, name of the home institution, Mecenat card or valid certificate of registration, and approval from an authorized signatory of Göta studentkår.

As a temporary member, you have the possibility to attend member-exclusive events and gain entry to Kårkällar'n. A temporary membership does not grant any other rights within Göta studentkår.

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Other membership benefits and student discounts offered by Göta studentkår are not included in a temporary membership. Please note that a temporary member does not receive a Mecenat card.

If you are interested in purchasing a temporary membership, please contact the Union Chairperson at [ordf@gota.gu.se](mailto:ordf@gota.gu.se).

## Refund of Membership Fee

Paid ordinary membership fees are non-refundable. Paid Buddy Membership fees are also non-refundable.

An exception for ordinary members is made only if the payment was made to the wrong student union, that is, if the student was not represented by Göta studentkår at the time of payment and therefore should have paid the membership fee to another student union.

## Personal information

Göta studentkår collects personal information about all registered students at the University of Gothenburg.

By becoming a member (regardless of membership type), you consent to Göta studentkår processing this information and, when applicable, sharing your information with our partners in order to provide you with benefits and discounts.

**More information can be found in Göta studentkår's General Data Protection Regulation policy.**

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