



NATIONAL HONORS SOCIETY STUDENT APPLICATION



Name: _____

Date: _____

Due Date: _____

I. School Activities- List all activities in which you have participated during high school. Include clubs, sports or academic teams, musical groups, etc., and major accomplishments for each grade.

II. School Leadership Positions- List all elected or appointed leadership positions held in school, for example, Student Council officer, class or club officer, committee chairperson, yearbook editor, sports team leader, or chapel worship leader.

III. Service Activities- List service activities in which you have participated. These can be service projects done with a group either in or out of school, or done as individual projects. Generally speaking, service activities are those which are done for or on behalf of others for which no compensation has been given. Please list the names of an adult supervisor who can verify your participation in each activity.

IV. Other Community Activities- List other community activities in which you have participated and note any major accomplishments in each. These should be any activities outside of school in which you participated for the betterment of your community. Do not repeat participation already listed above.

V. Work Experience, Recognition, and Awards- List below any job experiences, honors or recognition that you have received that support your bid to be selected for membership in the NHS that has not previously been noted. Work experience may be paid or volunteer.

I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection to NHS, and that the information presented here is accurate and will be circulated among faculty members for review.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

I have read the information provided by my son/daughter on this form and can verify that it is true, accurate and complete in its presentation.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Candidate Packet and two teacher recommendations due by

February 4, 2011 with the essay as outlined below:

Perhaps the most difficult area to evaluate for selection of members is that of character. To assist the faculty council in their decision, we are asking each of you to write a brief essay (no more than two pages, but at least one page). Describe how you display a Christ like character on a regular basis. The NHS Handbook created by the National Association of Secondary School Principals, describes "character" in the following way: "A candidate will be able to demonstrate an outstanding record of conduct and behavior with regard to school and community rules, guidelines, and policies. A person of character demonstrates the following six qualities: respect, responsibility, trustworthiness, fairness, caring, and citizenship."

Please submit a typed essay, taking special care to utilize all of the writing rules that are evident in a scholarly work. Please attach this to the application.

As you reflect over your accomplishments thus far in your academic career, take time to carefully prepare your application. Your application will be reviewed by a Faculty Staff Council.