



NHS Candidate Information Form

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Directions: Please complete all sections. Type or print all information and submit it by the published deadline of **Friday, October 31**, no later than 4:00pm. Completed applications should be submitted directly to Corinne Hindman, NHS Chapter Advisor. **Late applications will not be considered for the National Honor Society.** Induction Ceremony information will be provided once the applicant has been approved for membership by the faculty council. The Faculty Council serves as the advisory board for Central High School NHS and is composed of 5 individuals. The council's identity will remain confidential. Members pending dismissal will have a due process hearing before the faculty council. Faculty Council members serve a one year term.

National Honor Society membership requires candidates to demonstrate Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character. Membership in the local chapter of NHS is an honor and once selected, members have the responsibility of continuing to demonstrate the qualities described below:

Scholarship

Students must have a cumulative GPA of 4.0 or higher and must maintain their GPA to remain a member in NHS.

Service

This involves voluntary contributions made by a student to the school or community, done without compensation.

Leadership

Student leaders are those who are resourceful, good problem solvers, and ideas contributors. Leadership experiences can be drawn from school or community activities while working with or for others.

Character

Students of good character are cooperative; demonstrate high standards of honesty and reliability; show courtesy, concern, and respect for others; and generally maintain a clean disciplinary record.

Members failing to maintain the 4 pillars of National Honor Society can be subject to dismissal from the organization.

Fill out this application completely. Do not be modest. All information will be used by the faculty council to assist with the fair consideration of your candidacy during the selection process. Completion of this form does not guarantee selection. Should you have questions about this form, please contact Corinne Hindman, NHS Chapter Advisor.

Student Information

| Name | Student Number | Grade |
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Leadership Positions

List all elected or appointed leadership positions you have held in school, community, or work activities. Only those positions in which you were responsible for directing or motivating others should be included. Examples: elected officer for the student body, class, or club; committee chairperson; team captain; newspaper editor; work area manager; or other community leader. Please include the name of the adult responsible for supervising your leadership in each position.

| Activity | Grade Level (9th,10th, 11th,12th) | Accomplishments/Recognitions Achieved while in leadership position | Adult Sponsor |
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Service Activities

List service activities in which you have participated. These can be individual or group service projects done either in or out of school. Generally speaking, service activities are those that are done for or on behalf of others (not including immediate family members) for which no compensation (monetary or other) has been given. Please ask an adult supervisor who can verify your participation in each activity to sign on the appropriate line, and also list the estimated number of hours you invested while performing this service.

| Activity | Grade Level (9th,10th, 11th,12th) | Hours Completed | Adult Sponsor |
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Other Student Activities

List all other school-based activities (*not* noted above) in which you have participated in school. Include clubs, teams, musical groups, etc., and any significant accomplishments in each.

| Activity | Grade Level (9th,10th, 11th,12th) | Accomplishments/Recognitions Achieved while in leadership position |
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Other Community Activities

List other community activities in which you have participated and note any major accomplishment in each. These should be any activities outside of school in which you participated for the betterment of your community. For example, religious groups, clubs sponsored outside the school, Boy or Girl Scouts, community art endeavors, etc. Do not repeat participation already listed above. Please include the name of the adult supervisor of each activity.

| Activity | Grade Level (9th,10th, 11th,12th) | Accomplishments/Recognitions Achieved while in leadership position | Adult Sponsor |
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Work Experience, Recognition, and Awards

Though not a specific criterion for membership, please list below any job experiences, honors, or recognition you have received that support your candidacy for membership in the Honor Society. Work experience may be paid or volunteer.

| Work Experience | Grade Level (9th,10th, 11th,12th) | Accomplishments/Recognitions Achieved while in leadership position |
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Signatures

I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection to the Honor Society. I attest that the information presented here is complete and accurate. If selected, I agree to abide by the standards and guidelines of the chapter and to fulfill all of my membership obligations to the best of my ability.

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.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Return completed form to the Counseling Office Suite, to Corinne Hindman, NHS Chapter Advisor.