



Horseheads High School
National Honor Society
Membership Application



SCHOLARSHIP

CHARACTER

LEADERSHIP

SERVICE

PART 1

Name (print)

Grade

STUDENT SIGNATURE

I am interested in becoming a member of the Horseheads Chapter of National Honor Society. I understand that I will be selected on the basis of character, service, scholarship, and leadership. I realize that returning this application packet puts my name in consideration for membership, but does not guarantee selection to become a member. I affirm that the information presented in this application is accurate. If selected for NHS membership, I understand that I will be required to:

- Attend all mandatory NHS meetings
- Participate in required NHS activities
- Complete required community service hours
- Maintain communication with NHS advisors via school email
- Maintain good school attendance and an overall GPA of at least 90%

I understand that I may be removed from the NHS for failing to meet these requirements. I understand that including membership in the Horseheads Chapter of NHS on my college applications and receiving recognition at graduation is contingent upon my completion of these obligations. (Typing your name below constitutes your signature.)

Student Signature

Date

PARENT SIGNATURE

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. I do hereby give consent that any and all written records created, used or maintained by the school in connection with the process of selection of candidates to become members of the Horseheads Chapter of National Honor Society shall remain confidential from my child and myself, and I hereby waive and give up any and all rights that I may have under the Federal Educational Rights and Privacy Act, or any other statute, ordinance or law to gain access to or copies of such records or materials.

Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

TEACHER RECOMMENDATIONS

You must receive recommendations for two teachers. After asking teachers if they will write a recommendation for you, this link must be shared with them <https://forms.office.com/r/mAGXvzQZzn>. Details and tips are listed in the Applications Tips document. Recommendations are due when your application is due, so ask for these recommendations immediately.

DO NOT BE MODEST - the Faculty Council will consider all the information as part of the evaluation process. The Council will give consideration to both quantity and quality of entries. Certain activities may be listed in more than one place on the application.

PART 2

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

List all activities, inside and outside of school, in which you have participated during high school. Indicate the grade level during which you participated in the activity. **For example:** clubs, teams, and musical groups. Include a few details about your accomplishments or your role in those activities.

Activity/Group	Grade				Supervisor's Name	Accomplishments/Your Role
	9	10	11	12		

PART 3

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

List all elected or appointed leadership positions held in school, community, or work activities. Include only those positions in which you were directly responsible for directing or motivating others. Indicate the grade level during which you held that position. **For example:** class or club officer, team captain or coach, lead position at work or church.

Activity	Grade				Accomplishments/Responsibilities
	9	10	11	12	

PART 4**COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES**

List all community service activities (non-paid) that you have participated in that have benefited the school and/or the community. Indicate the approximate number of hours spent participating in the activity at each grade level. **For example:** Boy/Girl Scout service activity, Red Cross, Artic League, church service activity, Food Bank volunteering, etc.

Organization Name	Hours per Grade				Supervisor's Name & contact phone/email	Briefly Describe What You Did
	9	10	11	12		

PART 5**WORK EXPERIENCE, RECOGNITION AND AWARDS**

List all (paid or volunteer) job experiences. List honors and/or recognitions that you have received while in high school. Indicate the grade level during which the job/award took place. **For example:** Boy/Girl Scout awards, science fairs, art award, sports awards, school awards.

Job, Recognition or Award	Grade				Group/Activity Name
	9	10	11	12	

PART 6

PERSONAL ESSAY

This personal essay helps the Faculty Council become acquainted with you in ways different from courses, grades, test scores, and other objective data. It enables you to demonstrate your ability to organize thoughts and express yourself.

One of the pillars of National Honor Society is character. A student of good character is cooperative; demonstrates high standards of honesty and reliability; and shows courtesy, concern, and respect for others. Write a short essay supporting how you exemplify this pillar consistently in your life.
