

SUNRISE MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOL

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NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

February 21, 2023

Dear Student,

National Honor Society is proud to include students who maintain standards of excellence in the areas of scholarship, citizenship, leadership, service to community and school, and character.

Students seeking membership need to demonstrate strengths in the above-mentioned areas and must have a 3.750 Class Rank Index (CRI) to apply for membership.

In order to become a member, you must follow the process below:

- Complete the following Student Information packet. The CRI needs to be signed off by your
 counselor as being correct. Any clubs, sports or activities need to be signed off by the sponsor
 or coach to verify your participation in the activity. Parents may not sign off for participation
 in activities. If you do not receive signatures verifying information on your form,
 that information will not be used for consideration of your application.
- Ask at least three (3) of your <u>current semester</u> teachers to complete the Recommendation online. Please provide each teacher with the link with ample time for them to complete before the deadline.

https://tinyurl.com/23RecFormNHS

Your application to become a member does not guarantee selection to National Honor Society. A candidate must follow the process and be selected by the selection committee.

Forms for membership will be accepted until 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 16, 2023.

Turn the forms in to Mrs. Malmos in Room C101.

LATE FORMS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR MEMBERSHIP

Thank you for your interest in National Honor Society. If you have questions, feel free to stop by my classroom in room C101. Good Luck!!!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Melissa Malmos

NHS Advisor

DUE: Thursday, March 16, 2023, BEFORE 2:30 p.m.

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STUDENT INFORMATION

PLEASE FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS BELOW:

• Complete all sections.

Information must be <u>typed/computer generated</u>, then <u>printed</u>, and <u>submitted in-</u> <u>person to Mrs, Malmos in Room C101</u>. The fillable forms can be accessed online from the NHS Website:

• Do not be modest. All information will be used to determine eligibility. Include information from **High School Only** on <u>all</u> sections.

REMEMBER: COMPLETION OF THIS FORM DOES NOT GUARANTEE SELECTION.

STUDENT DATA				
Name:	-			
Graduation Year:				
Counselor Name:				
Class Rank Index:				
By signing, I verify that I have checked ar	nd that the above CRI is correct.			
	Counselor's Signature			
My 2 nd Period Term 4 Classroom Number is:				
My 2 nd Period Term 4 Teacher is:				
My School e-mail is:				

LEADERSHIP

The student who exercises leadership:

- Is resourceful in proposing new problems, applying principles, and making suggestions.
- Demonstrates leadership in promoting school activities.
- Exercises influence on peers in upholding school ideas.
- Contributes ideas that improve the civic life of the school.
- Is able to delegate responsibilities.
- Exemplifies positive attitudes.
- Inspires positive behavior in others.
- Demonstrates academic initiative.
- Successfully holds school offices or active leadership positions of responsibility and is reliable and dependable without prodding.
- Is thoroughly dependable in any responsibility accepted.

CO-CURRICULAR AND EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITES

List all school related activities in which you have participated in during **high school only**. Include clubs, teams, musical groups, etc. ***Please note that these will be checked for accuracy. Please save the committee time by being as careful as you can about listing your activities.

Activity	Accomplishment	Name & Phone # of Adult Sponsor
	Activity	Activity Accomplishment

LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

List all elected or appointed leadership positions held in school, community or work activities. Only those positions in which you were directly responsible for directing or motivating others should be included. For example: elected student body, class or club officer; committee chairperson; team captain; newspaper editor; work area manager; or community leader. *Remember this is for your high school years only.*

Year	Activity	Position	Responsibility	Name & Phone # of Adult Sponsor

SERVICE

- The student who serves:
- Is willing to uphold scholarship and maintain a loyal school attitude.
- Is actively participating in some outside activity: Girl Scouts; Boy Scouts; church groups; volunteer services for aged, poor, or disadvantaged; family duties.
- Volunteers assistance, is gladly available, and is willing to sacrifice to offer help.
- Works well with others and is willing to take on difficult or inconspicuous responsibilities.
- Cheerfully and enthusiastically renders any requested service to the school.
- Is willing to represent the class or school in inter-class or inter-scholastic competition.
- Shows courtesy by assisting visitors, teachers, and students.

SERVICE ACTIVITES (SCHOOL & COMMUNITY)

List any service activities in which you have participated *during your high school years*. These can be service projects done with a group either in or out of school or done individually. Please include a brief description of the activity. For example: church group, clubs sponsored outside of school, Boy or Girl Scouts, or community art endeavors.

**Generally speaking, service activities are those which are done for, or on behalf of others

(not including family members) for which there is no compensation given or course credit received.

Year	Activity	Total # Hours	Name & Phone # of Adult Sponsor

RECOGNITION AND AWARDS

List below any honors, award or recognition you have received during your **high school years** that support your bid to be selected for National Honor Society.

Year	Group or Activity	Recognition/Award	Name & Phone # of Adult Sponsor

WORK EXPERIENCE

List below any job or work experience you have. This work experience may be paid or volunteer. Please include a list of the number of hours spent on the job or activity and a brief description of what you have accomplished. Also, in this section you may include any additional information that is not already noted on the form, which you feel is important for the selection committee to know when they are considering you as a member.

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Multi-Paragraph Character Essay

You must include a multi-paragraph essay of 400 - 600 words concerning your own character. Your essay must include elements such as your process of maturation, examples of personal growth, an appropriate analysis of your own character journey, and/or prominent influences on your decision-making process. Provide SPECIFIC EXAMPLES as you tell about your own development in compassion, wisdom, and depth.

Click or tap here to enter text.

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Teacher Recommendations

NHS candidates are required to have three (3) teacher recommendations from <u>current school year</u> PUSD teachers. It is your responsibility as the NHS candidate to email the following link to the current school year teachers and ask them to complete the recommendation. Remember to let them know when it is due. If your recommendations are not submitted on time, they won't be able to be considered with your application.

https://tinyurl.com/23RecFormNHS

Signatures

I understand that completing this form does not guaranted Society. I attest that the information presented here is con agree to abide by the standards and guidelines of the chap obligations to the best of my ability.	mplete and accurate. If selected, I
Student Signature	Click or tap to enter a date. Date
I have read the information provided by my son/daughter true, accurate, and complete.	on this form and can verify that it is
Parent Signature	Click or tap to enter a date. Date

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY RUBRIC FOR SELECTION

This rubric will be used to determine eligibility and acceptance for membership to National Honor Society. The requirements listed below are the **minimum** requirements for selection. A student may meet these minimum requirements and still not be approved for National Honor Society. This rubric is included with the application as a courtesy to the student applying for membership. It will help you in determining whether you have met the criteria for membership. Because membership includes juniors and seniors only, current sophomores are considered juniors and current juniors are considered seniors for the rubric below.

Category I: Co-curricular/Extra-curricular Activities - High School years only

- Juniors need minimum two total.
- Seniors need minimum three total.

Category II: Leadership Position – High School years only

- Minimum of one for juniors
- Minimum of two for seniors

Category III: Service Activities/Community Activities – High School years only

- Minimum of one activity/25 hours for juniors
- Minimum of two activities/50 hours for seniors

Category IV: Recognition and Awards (can be outside school) - High School years only

- Minimum of one for juniors
- Minimum of two for seniors

Category V: Teacher Recommendations/CHARACTER - PUS

PUSD Teachers Only Fall 2022 or Spring 2023 only

Minimum of 3 completed and submitted electronically

Category VI: Multi-Paragraph Essay

 Minimum: Multi-paragraph essay on specified topic, complete and thorough/thought provoking, typed

Category VI: CRI 3.750 or higher

Disqualified: If below 3.750
Minimum: 3.750 or above

Signed by Counselor

Category VI: Student and Parent Signatures

Signed & Dated by Student

• Signed & Dated by Parent

Category VI: Due Date

• Disqualified: If turned in after Due Date

Accepted up to 2:30pm on Thursday, March 16, 2023