

**Hermon High School Chapter of
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Mrs. Melissa Davis, Advisor**

National Honor Society Application Checklist:

- Personal Data Page
- Leadership Positions Form
- School Activity Form
- Work and Community Service Form
- Leadership Personal Statement
- Community Service Form
- Teacher Recommendation Forms (2)--complete the top portion only and deliver to two of your teachers.
- Office Form—complete the top portion and turn into the main office.
- Signature Page

Applications must be received by

Deliver to Mrs. Davis, Room 104

Late and/or incomplete applications will not be accepted.



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THE MINIMUM # OF POINTS NEEDED FOR NHS SELECTION IS 8

SCHOLARSHIP			LEADERSHIP			SERVICE			CHARACTER		
GPA		PTS	STANDARD		PTS	HOURS		PTS	POINTS		
97+	=	3	Exceeds	=	3	*101+	=	4	Outstanding & Excellent 4		
94-96	=	2	Meets	=	2	76-100	=	3	Good & Above Average 3		
92-93	=	1	Below	=	1	51-75	=	2	Average 2		
						1-50	=	1	Below Average 1		
Sub-Total		=	Sub-Total		=	Sub-Total		=	Sub-Total =		
<p>A "Grade Point Average" (GPA) is the cumulative average reflected on the student's transcript at the end of the spring term of the student's sophomore/junior year.</p>			<p>Leadership is based on Student Essay and Student Activities form.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>ESSAY STANDARD</u></p> <p>EXCEEDS: Essay is well organized; demonstrates style and clarity. Provides thorough explanation of leadership activity. Uses precise language consistently appropriate to the purpose in a style that engages the reader.</p> <p>MEETS: Essay shows relevant and sufficient examples of student leadership. Uses language appropriate to the purpose. Demonstrates a command of standard English conventions with occasional minor errors.</p> <p>BELOW: Essay does not relate to the question and contains no example of leadership in action. Uses basic language with some improper usage of words and phrases. Grammar/Spelling errors detracts from the essay.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>ACTIVITIES STANDARD</u></p> <p>EXCEEDS: Student participates in 3 or more activities. At least 2 activities are for a year or more.</p> <p>MEETS: Student participates in 2 activities. At least 1 activity is for a year or more.</p> <p>BELOW: Student participates in 1 or less activity and/or activity participation is for one semester.</p>			<p>A student must perform unpaid volunteer service to a non-profit organization in the local community.</p> <p>Bonus point awarded to a student with documented community service exceeding 101 hours.</p>			<p>A student must demonstrate high standards of character.</p> <p>The NHS Faculty Council considers the average of the Faculty Ratings Rurvey, the student-initiated faculty recommendations, and office referral data.</p>		

Hermon High School Chapter of National Honor Society Candidate form 2018

It is the mission of Hermon High School to prepare students for personal success in college, work, and community.

Directions: Please complete all sections. Print neatly in blue or black pen or type all information and submit it by the published deadline of _____. Do not be modest. Every bit of information will be used by the five member Faculty Council to assist with the fair consideration of your candidacy during the selection process.

If you are requesting a record of your service hours from guidance, please pick up the service hours request form from Mrs. Roy in the guidance office. Understand that this process takes several days to complete, so plan accordingly. In addition, if you need information or verification from teachers, make sure that you are gathering that information in a way that is considerate and respectful. Interrupting a teacher while he/she is teaching a class is not appropriate.

Completion and submission of this form does not guarantee selection. Should you have any questions about this form, please contact Mrs. Davis at mdavis@hermon.net or call 848-4000 x1104. **There is also a mandatory application review session on _____.** **If you do not attend, your application will not be considered.** This is to ensure that all students have a clear understanding of the NHS selection process and how to complete the application. Should this date conflict with your schedule, please see Mrs. Davis to discuss your absence and make arrangements to make up the session. **Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.**

I. Personal Data Page

Full Name: _____ Current Grade Level: _____

Parents'/Guardians' Full Names: _____ (both parents)

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Student's Email Address: _____

Please indicate the best way to reach your parent(s)/guardian(s): # _____

Teacher Recommendations: In the spaces below, **name the two teachers** you will ask to recommend you. Complete the table. A recommendation **must** be given to a teacher whose class you have taken or are currently taking. You **cannot** use a coach, activity sponsor, counselor or non-teaching staff person.

Teacher	Course	Semester /Year

II. Leadership

**Hermon High School
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Leadership Personal Statement**

Directions: Please answer the following question. You may use the space below, or attach a typed copy of your response.

**How do you see yourself as a leader? Describe an activity or experience in which your participation made a difference. How did your leadership skills influence the outcome? Give examples.
(Maximum of 250 words)**

III. Service

**Hermon High School
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Community Service Form**

List **all** community service activities in which you have participated in the years you have attended HHS. This is where you can showcase the community service projects that you participated in and outside of school. Remember that service activities are those done on behalf of others (not including immediate family members) for which no compensation (monetary or otherwise) have been given. Please include an attached copy of your logged hours of guidance as evidence. If this is not available, list the name and contact person that supervised the event and can verify your participation. **Please total the amount of hours at the bottom of the page. Only those items with verifiable evidence will be counted. If you need additional space, please include and indicate an attachment to this page.**

Community Service and Affiliated Organization	9	10	11	12	Total Hours	Special Achievements (if applicable)	Advisor Name and Contact

TOTAL HOURS _____

IV. Character

Teacher Recommendation Form

Applicant: Complete the top portion only.

Student Name: _____

Teacher Name: _____

This student is seeking to become a member of the National Honor Society. The Faculty Council would like your input to help make its decision.

What course did you teach this student and when? _____

Check the appropriate box that best describes the character of the student.

Attribute	Excellent 4	Good 3	Average 2	Below Average 1	No Basis for Judgment
Responsibility					
Maturity and self-discipline					
Self-confidence					
Sense of humor					
Concern for others					
Integrity					
Reaction to setbacks					
Compliance with school regulations					
Cooperation with others					

Recommendation: recommend without reservation
 recommend with reservation (Please comment).
 do not recommend (Please comment).

Comments: _____

Signature _____
 Printed Name _____ Date _____

**DO NOT RETURN TO THE APPLICANT. Please sign and return to the mail box of Melissa Davis by _____
 Thank you!**

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Teacher Recommendation Form

Applicant: Complete the top portion only.

Student Name: _____

Teacher Name: _____

This student is seeking to become a member of the National Honor Society. The Faculty Council would like your input to help make its decision.

What course did you teach this student and when? _____

Check the appropriate box that best describes the character of the student.

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Recommendation: _____ **recommend without reservation**
_____ **recommend with reservation (Please comment).**
_____ **do not recommend (Please comment).**

Comments: _____

Signature _____
Printed Name _____ Date _____

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**Hermon High School Chapter of
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Office Form**

Applicant: Complete the top portion only.

Student Name: _____ Official Class: _____

To the HHS Office: This student is seeking to become a member of the National Honor Society. The Faculty Council would like your input to help make its decision.

Name of Administrator completing form: _____

Please verify if the student has a discipline record:

_____ **No, Student does not have a discipline record.**

_____ **Yes, Student has a discipline record.**

Recommendation: _____ **recommend without reservation**
_____ **recommend with reservation (Please comment).**
_____ **do not recommend (Please comment).**

Comments: _____

Signature _____ Date _____
Printed Name _____

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OPT OUT FORM

To be completed by the applicant:

I do not wish to be a member of the National Honor Society

Name: _____
(Printed)

Signature: _____
(Date)

To be completed by the parent or guardian of the applicant:

I understand that my child does not wish to be a member of the National Honor Society.

Name: _____
(Printed)

Signature: _____
(Date)

**Hermon High School Chapter of
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Signature Page**

To be completed by the applicant:

I understand that completing and submitting this application does not guarantee selection to the National 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.

Name: _____
(Printed)

Signature: _____
(Date)

To be completed by the parent or guardian of the applicant:

I have reviewed the application and give permission for my child to apply to the Hermon High School Chapter of National Honor Society. I understand that my child must attend an application review session, and that submitting an application is not a guarantee that my child will be selected.

Name: _____
(Printed)

Signature: _____
(Date)

Daytime Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____