**National Honor Society Application**

The application will consist of three components: A **resume**, an **essay** and a **signature form**. The resume and essay must be typed and printed! This resume and essay will be very useful to you in the college and scholarship application process.

**The resume should list in this order:**

* **Name**
* **Address**
* **Phone Number**
* **Year of Graduation**
* **Educational Course of Study:** (AP Courses, STEM, Liberal Arts Endorsements…)
* **Academic Recognition:** (Honor Roll, end of year awards, Skills USA…)
* **Leadership Positions:** (Student Govt, Class officer, Captainship, Crew chief…)
* **Service and Volunteer Activities:** (School, church, Key Club, community…)
* **Extra-Curricular Activities:** (Sports, Math team, Theatre, Music…)
* **Awards:** (Player of the Year, All-Festival Cast, All State, Oceanside Pride…)
* **Work Experience**
* **Other Hobbies or Interests**

All items in the resume should be verified with an adult supervisor’s signature. If you are not sure whether to include something: ASK!

**ESSAY:**

**The second component of the application should be a thoughtful, well organized essay. This essay must reflect the four tenets of the National Honor Society and why you believe that you are a worthy candidate.**

If in doubt about the essay, or any part of the application, seek guidance from an English teacher, Ms. Machaiek or Mr. Johanson.

The application packet should have the resume as the cover letter, the essay next, and the student / parent signature form last.

**Please read and sign the following:**

***I understand that membership in the National Honor Society is a privilege, not a right. Membership is based equally on scholarship, character, service and leadership.***

***I also understand that the completion of the packet only places a student into consideration for membership. The packet and the faculty evaluations will be reviewed by a Faculty Council, whose decisions will be final. We further understand that NO REASONS WILL BE GIVEN for non-selections.***

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**STUDENT SIGNATURE DATE**

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**PARENT SIGNATURE DATE**