**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY**

Student Activity Information Form

Please complete all sections. **All information must be typed, printed, signed by you and your Parent/Guardian,** **and submitted to Ms. Trzesinski or Ms. Bakhru no later than Friday, September 14, 2018.** Do not be modest. Every bit of information will be used by the Faculty Council to assist with the fair consideration of your candidacy during the selection process.

*Completion and submission of this form does* ***not*** *guarantee selection.*

If you have any questions about the form, contact:

Ms. Trzesinski (randi\_trzesinski@hcpss.org) or Ms. Bakhru (julia\_bakhru@hcpss.org)

**I. Administrative Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 First Period Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**II. Leadership:**

List all elected or appointed leadership positions or other positions of responsibility held in school, community, or work **since you began high school**. Only those positions in which you *were responsible for directing or motivating others* should be included (elected officer, committee chairperson, team captain, newspaper editor, work area manager, group leader, etc.). Please include the name of the adult responsible for supervising your leadership in each position. Also, include the adult’s phone number ***or*** ask the adult for a signature (or email message) to verify the information you listed.

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**\*\*\*A Leadership Experience: Write a paragraph describing a situation in which you feel you served as a leader. *Attach* it to this form.**

**III. Service:**

List service activities in which you have participated **since you began high school**. These can be individual or group service projects done either in or out of school. Generally, service activities are those that are ***done for or on behalf of others*** (not including family members) for which no compensation (monetary or otherwise) has been given. Please include the name of the adult responsible for supervising your service in each organization. Also, include the adult’s phone number ***or*** ask the adult for a signature (or email message) to verify the information you listed.

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**\*\*\*A Service Experience: Write a paragraph describing a situation in which you feel you served others. *Attach* it to this form.**

**IV. Other Student Activities:**

List all school-based activities (not already mentioned) in which you have participated in Grades 9 – 12. Include clubs, teams, musical groups, drama, etc. and any significant accomplishments in each.

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**V. Other Community Activities:**

List other community activities (not already mentioned) in which you have participated and note any major accomplishments in each. These should be any activities outside of school in which you participated for the betterment of your community (religious groups, clubs outside of school, Scouts, community art endeavors, etc.)

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**VI. Disciplinary Experience:**

If you have received any disciplinary referrals in high school or have received any disciplinary action, ***write*** a paragraph explaining the situation(s) and explaining why you feel the situation(s) should not affect your selection for membership in the National Honor Society. ***Attach*** it to this form.

**VII. Work Experience, Recognition, and Awards:**

Please list job experiences, honors, or recognition that you received that support your candidacy for membership in National Honor Society. Work experience may be paid or volunteer. This is not a specific criterion for membership, but it gives interesting background for the Faculty Council.

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**VIII. Responsibilities and Signatures:**

Chapter Standards and Guidelines – To maintain membership, NHS members must:

 Maintain a 3.40 **cumulative** GPA

 Participate in chapter service projects and individual service activities (4 hours/month)

 Accept leadership responsibilities

 Model high standards of character expected of NHS members

 Pay dues established by the chapter

 Attend membership meetings held the second Wednesday evening of the month.

I understand that completing and submitting this form 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 chapter standards and guidelines listed above to fulfill all of my membership obligations to the best of my ability.

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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. I understand that if my student is selected for NHS membership he/she must abide by the chapter standards and guidelines listed above to maintain membership.

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Parent/Guardian Signature Phone Date

**The Howard County Public School System does not discriminate in selection of National Honor Society members on the basis or race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or disability.**