



**National Honor Society
Westfield High School Millennium Chapter
Student Activity Application Form**

“ . . . to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character . . . ”

Directions: Please complete this form neatly in blue or black ink. Every bit of information you provide can be used by the Faculty Council to assist with the selection process, so do not be modest. Please note, however, that **completion of this form does not guarantee selection**. It is best to spread out information in all four sections, so review the application document before beginning in order to select the area that best describes each activity in which you are involved. You should not repeat information in multiple sections, nor should you include events/activities that will occur in the future or in which your membership is not currently confirmed. Read the labels in the charts carefully, and be as specific as possible in your explanations of activities.

In applying for membership to NHS, you should be aware of **two annual responsibilities**: \$15 dues (each year) and 20/15 hours of volunteer service (20 first year; 15 second year) completed at/for NHS-sanctioned events/causes. Failure to complete these responsibilities on an annual basis, allowing your grade point average to fall below the required 3.5, and/or violating the Westfield Honor Code are all grounds for probation/expulsion from National Honor Society.

This application form must be completed and returned to the NHS box in Mrs. Warren’s room (B-107) by Friday, November 11, 2011, at 2:30 p.m. Email submission will NOT be accepted.

I. Personal Information

Name (real/nickname): _____ **Student ID Number:** _____

Street Address: _____ **Grade:** _____

II. Co-curricular Activities: List all activities in which you have participated during high school (check off years). Include clubs, teams, musical groups, and so on, as well as major accomplishments in each. Accomplishments are **special achievements**, not simply participation.

Activity	Time spent per WEEK	9	10	11	12	Accomplishments (awards, honors, distinctions, etc.)

III. **Leadership Positions:** List all elected or appointed leadership positions held in school, community, or work activities. **Only those positions in which you are/were directly responsible for directing or motivating others should be included.** Examples include elected class/SGA officer, club officer, team captain, editor, work manager, community leader, etc.

Activity	Time spent per WEEK	9	10	11	12	Responsibilities and Accomplishments

IV. **Service Activities:** List service activities in which you have participated. These can be service projects done individually or with a group either in or out of school. Generally speaking, service activities are those that are done for or on behalf of others (not including immediate family members) **for which there is no compensation** (pay, service/gov't. hours, etc.). Please list the name of an adult (**not a parent**) who can verify your participation in each activity. Examples include food or clothing drives, mission trips, work at a soup kitchen, etc. Fundraising for a school group should not be included in this section.

Activity (Identify Organization)	Time Commitment (e.g. 2 times per year, 5 hrs per week, etc.)	9	10	11	12	Adult Sponsor / Supervisor (include email address)

V. Community Activities: List other community activities in which you have participated, noting accomplishments in each. This section relates to activities outside of school in which you participate for the betterment of your community. Examples include church groups, clubs sponsored outside of school, Boy Scouts or Girl Scouts, regular volunteer work, mentoring programs, etc. You may also list fundraising activities and paid work in this section (but clearly indicate whether the activity falls into either of these categories). Do not repeat participation already listed elsewhere.

Activity	Time Commitment (e.g. 2 times per month, 3 hrs per week)	9	10	11	12	Accomplishments & Responsibilities	Adult Supervisor (include email address)

VI. Honor Code: Regardless of the outcome of the incident, have you ever been written up for violation of the Westfield Honor Code?

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain: _____

The final page of this packet is a teacher recommendation form that must be completed by one of your four core academic teachers.



National Honor Society Application Teacher Recommendation Form

Please fill out the form and return it to Nikki Warren's mailbox by **Friday, November 11, 2011**. Your insights are an invaluable part of the application review process, so **please be candid and honest when completing this form**.

Name of NHS Applicant: _____ Grade: _____

Date received from Applicant: _____

1. Please rate the applicant from 1 (poor) to 5 (excellent) on each statement below. Remember, 3 is good/average.

This applicant . . .

is responsible	1	2	3	4	5
pays attention in class	1	2	3	4	5
takes initiative	1	2	3	4	5
has been a group leader	1	2	3	4	5
acts as a role model for peers	1	2	3	4	5
is self-motivated	1	2	3	4	5
participates in class responsibly	1	2	3	4	5
has good attendance	1	2	3	4	5
can communicate well	1	2	3	4	5
takes personal responsibility	1	2	3	4	5
treats others with respect	1	2	3	4	5
demonstrate integrity	1	2	3	4	5

2. Do you recommend this student for NHS membership?

Yes _____ With Reservations _____ No _____

3. Have you ever had reason to question this student's honor or integrity?

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain:

4. Additional Comments:

Print Teacher Name: _____ Circle: Math Science English History

Teacher's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thank you!