



National Honor Society Application
Roseville Area High School Chapter

I. General Information: (please print clearly or type)

Complete Name _____

Year of Graduation _____

Name you go by _____

II. After completing all parts of this packet, have your parent/guardian review it for accuracy and sign below.

Parents'/Guardians' Full Printed Name(s) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Directions for completing your application

1. Confirm that you have a 3.50 cumulative GPA before filling out this application.
2. Read the directions on each page, paying particular attention to the examples provided.
3. You may type or neatly write on this form, please do not re-design the form on your computer.
5. Paper clip all forms together in the order given in the checklist below.
6. Recommendation letters should be submitted *with* your application and paper clipped. Please do not submit recommendations in sealed envelopes or have them mailed separately to the school.
7. Completed applications should be turned into the Activity office no later than 3:00 pm, Friday, September 13, 2019. Late applications **will not** be considered. Applicants should make the deadline clear to those writing recommendations for you; it is your responsibility to submit them on time, **with your application**.
8. NOTE: Completion of the application **DOES NOT** guarantee selection for membership
9. Students will be notified of their membership status by letter on Friday, September 20, 2019.

You will be notified of your application status through a letter delivered to your 5th hour teacher.

Name of 1st trimester 5th hour Teacher _____

If you are doing PSEO or NE Metro classes and you are not at RAHS for 5th hour, list the name of the staff member from whom you would like to receive your notice.

Application Checklist

- _____ Completed application (all pages)
- _____ Cumulative GPA printout (from profile in Naviance)
- _____ Character Statement
- _____ Letter of Recommendation #1
- _____ Letter of Recommendation #2

Pillar #2: SERVICE

- ◆ Include school and community service activities in which you participate; current and past (no earlier than Fall of 9th grade year)
Ex. youth groups, clubs sponsored outside of school, Scouts, volunteer groups, community activities
- ◆ These should be activities in which you participate for the betterment of your school or community by volunteering your time.
- ◆ This should not include activities that are required for a class, activities for which you received pay or family obligations

| Activity ◆ <i>Brief description</i> | Date(s) of Service | Total Hours (you do the math) |
|---|---|--|
| Raptor Center ◆ <i>clean bird cages, wash towels, help prepare food, answer phone</i> | ◆ <i>Every Friday from Sept-Dec, 2017</i> | ◆ <i>32 (2 hours each time)</i> |
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A generic form page is included at the end of the application. Please feel free to copy and use extra pages if necessary.

Pillar #4: CHARACTER

ENDORSEMENT BY A COMMUNITY MEMBER

Please obtain **two** letters of recommendation and include these with your application. The letters should be from community members who know you well and support your application to NHS. ***The letters should explicitly speak to your strength of character.***

Letters from relatives or teachers are not appropriate.

Community members who might be good choices for you include: scout leader, youth group leader, volunteer coordinators, employers, etc.

PERSONAL STATEMENT OF CHARACTER

- ◆ Type your statement on one piece of paper.
- ◆ Please limit your statement to 200 words
- ◆ Keep in mind that the quality of your statement will be considered during the evaluation of your application. Be mindful of grammar and proper English language rules for formal writing.

Statement Prompt: What does it mean to have strength of character? How do you demonstrate your strength of character? Provide specific examples.

