



*National Honor Society  
Crescat Scientia Chapter  
Kings High School*

Admission to NHS is open to current JUNIORS and SOPHOMORES. **This application is**

**due no later**

**TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2018, by 2:30 p.m.**

Return to one of the following advisors

Mrs. Thomas in Room 145

Mrs. Hardesty in Room 211

- **LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**
- **INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

Membership in the National Honor Society is based upon the four pillars of *Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character.*

- #1. **SCHOLARSHIP:** Students must have a cumulative **weighted** grade point average of **3.85**.
- #2. **LEADERSHIP:** Students should be able to demonstrate leadership ability and potential through past experiences. (i. e. school or school related extra-curricular activity, work, community service, civic or church organizations)
- #3. **SERVICE: *PRIOR TO APPLYING*, students must show evidence of 25 completed hours of community service for sophomores and 35 for juniors.** Students applying will need to provide a printout from “INNERVIEW” with their application showing the total number of service hours completed.
- #4. **CHARACTER :** Students are required to have **TWO** teachers complete recommendation forms for membership into NHS (forms are attached). **Please put your name on the teacher recommendation forms.**

Teacher recommendations will be based on the following criteria:

- **Integrity/Ethics**
  - No incidents of cheating or intentional dishonesty.
  - Effort to do the “right thing” at all times
  - No record of skipping classes or of knowingly violating school regulations
  - No record of civil offenses within the community

- **Attitude**  
Cooperation towards classmates, faculty members and administration  
Positive outlook
- **Academic Performance**  
Student performs to potential  
Cooperation towards classmates, faculty members and administration  
Good work ethics
- **Maturity**  
Appropriate classroom behavior  
Uses good judgement
- **Motivation**  
Shows incentive  
Goal oriented

After applications and teacher recommendations are returned, our Kings High School faculty and administration are given the opportunity to review the candidates and provide feedback. Membership decisions are final and candidate information is held in strict confidence.

### **Member Expectations:**

Once membership status is achieved, students are expected to maintain the high standards upon which that member was selected, including maintenance of the minimum GPA and ethical behavior. Periodic reviews take place to ensure members are meeting Kings High School NHS requirements.

### **Students are required to:**

- participate in NHS service projects throughout the year
- attend monthly meetings.
- pay national dues of \$20 each year of membership
- demonstrate leadership and integrity





**5. Work Experience, Recognition and Awards**

List below any job experiences, honors or recognition that you have received that support your bid to be accepted for membership in the National Honor Society. Work experience may be paid or volunteer. (i.e. student of the month, employee of the month, Rotary Club Award, Scholastic, Art, Music Award, etc.)

Job, Recognition or Award	Year				Group or Activity If applicable, include number of hours spent on job or activity
	8	9	10	11	

**6. Signature of Parent & Student (REQUIRED)**

This is to verify that parents and students have read the criteria for selection and are aware of the selection process.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Name of Student Applicant** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Write your name on application **BEFORE** giving to teacher)

**Teacher Evaluation for NHS Application 2018-2019**

**TEACHERS: Return to Mrs. Hardesty (Room 211) or  
Mrs. Thomas (Room 145) by MAY 4<sup>th</sup>.**

Name of Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known this student? \_\_\_\_\_

Under what circumstances have you known this student?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe this student? Please feel free to write any additional feedback on the back of this sheet.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**RATINGS**

Rate student on a scale of 1-5 in each of the categories below :

5= Truly Outstanding

4= Excellent

3= Good

2= Average

1= Below Average

1. Integrity	1	2	3	4	5
2. Academics	1	2	3	4	5
3. Attitude	1	2	3	4	5
4. Maturity	1	2	3	4	5
5. Motivation	1	2	3	4	5

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4. Maturity            1            2            3            4            5

5. Motivation            1            2            3            4            5

**Students: Attach this Checksheet to the front of your application.**

*Checklist for Application to Kings High School  
National Honor Society*

Name of Applicant\_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. 3.85 weighted G.P.A.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Completed application
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Parent Signature
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Applicant signature
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Printout of INNERVIEW community service
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Recommendation form given to 2 teachers to complete

**Teachers who filled out your evaluation:**

1.

2.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Attach TYPED essay to completed application (prompt below).

**ESSAY:**

Write a 200 to 300 word essay describing how you would be an asset to Kings National Honor Society.