

Application for consideration of Membership into the Abilene High School Chapter of the NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Please include the following information in your application. All attachments need to be typed. Please make sure all of your application documents are turned in, including your three reference letters and five copies of each file in a manilla envelope or folder by Friday, September 13, 2019.

STUDENT NAME: _____ GRADE: _____

1. Have you ever received any school, sports or activities related suspension? YES NO
2. Have you had more than two referrals during your high school career, so far? YES NO
3. In what clubs and extracurriculars are you a member? This includes those both affiliated and unaffiliated with the school.

4. Give at least two specific examples of leadership and/or service opportunities in which you have served, and a signature of a supervising adult (other than your parent) since you have arrived at Abilene High school. For each of the activities listed, please write a paragraph in the application essay. Try to provide a variety of experiences to demonstrate a well rounded individual. You may decide to include the description in the essay document. **Do not include community service through school mandatory service.**

- a. Activity (describing the activity, explanation of your role in the program, and how it was beneficial to you, to the community, to others involved;

Signature of supervisor _____

b. Activity (describing the activity, explanation of your role in the program, and how it was beneficial to you, to the community, to others involved;

Signature of supervisor _____

c. Activity (describing the activity, explanation of your role in the program, and how it was beneficial to you, to the community, to others involved;

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d. Activity (describing the activity, explanation of your role in the program, and how it was beneficial to you, to the community, to others involved;

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6. List special honors or awards you have received. Explain as necessary and be detailed. If more space is needed, please attach a separate sheet of paper.

Please respond to the following on a separate sheet of paper.

1. Explain how you exemplify in your life the “Six Pillars of Character”.
The Six Pillars of Character are trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship. Use headers for each section to help organize your essay.
2. Explain how you, as a leader of the school, could make AHS a better place. Be specific.

Three letters of references are required. One must be from a teacher, and one must be from someone besides a teacher.

Please return this form and typed essay responses to Mr. Burkett by Friday, September 13, 2019. Reference letters must be post-marked no later than Tuesday, September 10, 2019.

NOTE: The letters of recommendation and the application essay needs to be turned in to Mr. Burkett in a manilla envelope with a total of 5 copies of: each letter, the application, and the essay.