

APPLICATION  
**National Honor Society**  
Loris High School Chapter

Dear Applicant:

Since membership into the National Honor Society is based upon Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character, applicants must have documentation of meeting these NHS ideals. Minimum requirements for the Loris High School chapter include the following:

- a currently enrolled junior or senior with a grade point average of 3.8 on a weighted scale of 5.0
- minimum of 10 documented hours of community service within the 12-month period prior to submitting the application for membership; most service hours should be non-school related
- a student of character who exemplifies the integrity and ideals of the National Honor Society and who has
  - a. no record of cheating and/or plagiarism within the 12-month period prior to submitting the application for membership;
  - b. no serious disciplinary infractions (defined as a Level 2 or a Level 3 offense) within the 12-month period prior to submitting the application for membership (no more than one ISS); and
  - c. no law enforcement violations including but not limited to DUI; stealing; destruction of property; truancy; fighting; and possessing, selling, or being under the influence of drugs or alcohol at school or school-related activities or in the community

Refer to the "Membership Qualifications" sheet for complete explanations.

**Completing this form does not guarantee your admission, but it along with other support documents as indicated must be submitted to Dr. Danny McPherson (Room 238) on or before Monday, October 29, 2018 (3:30 p.m.) in order to be considered.** Afterwards, the Faculty Council will convene to consider your application. Soon thereafter, you and your family will be advised of your eligibility.

If you have questions about the process, please feel free to contact me.

Danny McPherson  
Room 238  
dmcpherson@horrycountyschools.net or 843 390-6800 (ext. 62238)

**Complete the application legibly using blue or black ink. Illegible applications and those written in pencil will NOT be considered.**

I. Student information

\_\_\_\_\_ Graduating Class of 20\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing address

\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code

\_\_\_\_\_ Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email address

\_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom/4<sup>th</sup> block teacher\_\_\_\_\_

II. Family information

Name of parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Home phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

III. Extra-curricular and co-curricular activities

List activities in which you have participated during the last 12 months including but not limited to clubs, teams, musical groups, etc. and any major accomplishment in each.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>	<u>Accomplishment(s)</u>

IV. Leadership activities

List all elected or appointed leadership positions held in school, community, or work activities within the last 12 months. Only those positions in which you were directly responsible for directing or motivating others should be included. This would include, but not be limited to, elected student body, class, or club officer; committee chairperson; team captain, yearbook editor, work area manager; or community leader.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>	<u>Organization/Position Held</u>

V. Community activities

List community activities (outside of school) in which you have participated within the past 12 months. Such activities are for the betterment of your community and may include church groups, Boy/Girl Scouts, 4-H, community sports' coach, or local arts activities.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>	<u>Organization/Major Accomplishment</u>

VI. Service activities

Using the attached "Service Documentation" form, list a minimum of 10 documented hours of self-initiated and/or collaborative community service which you have completed within the most recent 12-month period. Clip the form to your application. Applications without the service component will NOT meet eligibility requirements.

VII. Work experience, recognitions, & awards

List below any job experiences, recognitions, honors, or awards you have received within the past 12 months that support your application for membership in the National Honor Society. Work experience may be paid or volunteer.

<u>Job, Recognition, or Award</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>	<u>Group or Activity</u> <u># of hours spent on job or activity</u>

VIII. Affirmations

With my signature, I confirm the following:

- I have read and understand the information within this application and the "Membership Qualifications" sheet.
- I meet the expectations of character as noted in paragraph one (a, b, & c) of this application and as explained on the "Membership Qualifications" sheet.
- I understand that inaccurate information within or related to this application will deem me ineligible for induction to the National Honor Society or, if after the fact, will result in my dismissal from the Society.
- I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection to NHS and that the information presented here is accurate and complete in its presentation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's 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 in its presentation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian's signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*For school use*

Application received:	Date	
Application complete:	Application	
	Service documentation	
	\$10.00 fee	

<u>Eligibility</u>
Scholarship: _____
Leadership: _____
Service: _____
Character: _____
_____ Signature & date