

**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Wakefield High School Chapter
2010-2011 Application for Selection**

Application Number: _____
(Do not fill this out.)

IMPORTANT! Please read this first.

- To apply you must be in Grade 11 or 12 with a weighted GPA of 4.0 or higher.
- You must have attended Wakefield High School for a minimum of one complete semester (since at least January 2010.)
- Complete all sections. Print legibly in blue or black ink.
- Do not be modest! This is a time to share your accomplishments. If you need more space to complete any section, attach another sheet.
- A helpful suggestion: make a copy of this form for yourself. It may be useful when completing college applications.
- This completed form must be submitted *in person* to Mrs. Gatewood in Room 3326 **no later than 3:00 pm on September 10, 2010**. Any form submitted after this deadline will not be considered. Forms left in her mailbox will be considered late and will not be considered.
- The Wakefield Honors Council will carefully consider all the information you provide as they conduct the selection process. After completing this administrative information section, **do not** put your name on any other page of this application. All applications are judged anonymously.
- Completion of this application form does not guarantee selection to join National Honor Society.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Student Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Student e-mail: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Home Address: _____
street city zip

Parent Home/Cell Phone(s): _____

Parent Work Phone(s): _____

First Period Teacher: _____ Third Period Teacher: _____

Second Period Teacher: _____ Fourth Period Teacher: _____

I, (print name) _____, hereby affirm that the statements I have made and the information I have provided here are true and accurate. I understand that any misleading information will result in my ineligibility for membership in and that any inaccuracy discovered after acceptance will result in my immediate dismissal from the National Honor Society. I understand **only activities completed prior to August 25, 2010 may be listed**. I know that if I do not have the signature of the school advisor(s) of any activity that activity will not be considered. I understand that this application **must be submitted to Mrs. Gatewood in person by September 10 at or before 3:00 PM** in order to be considered by the Faculty Council, that I must sign and date a submission sheet when I return this application to Mrs. Gatewood, and that forms placed in Mrs. Gatewood's mailbox will not be considered. I realize that information may not be added after this form is submitted. I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection to the National Honor Society.

Student 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. I have read the statement above. I understand that information not stated on this form will not be considered during the selection process nor in any appeal.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Wakefield High School Chapter
2010-2011 Application for Selection**

Application Number: _____
(Do not fill this out.)

SCORING – Applications are scored up to a maximum of 100 points by four criteria: *Scholarship*, *Service*, *Leadership*, and *Character*. After all applications are scored anonymously, an independent faculty council determines the minimum number of points required for membership based on the quality of current applicants. National Honor Society Advisors Mrs. Gatewood and Mr. Phillips are not responsible for nor have any influence towards this decision.

1. **Scholarship** – Students can earn up to a maximum of 40 points based on excellent academics. 30 points are awarded for an overall weighted GPA of 4.0 or higher following the Spring 2010 semester. Another 10 points are awarded if an applicant is part of the Top 10% of his/her graduating class.
2. **Service** – Students can earn up to a maximum of 30 points for community service. Applicants may list up to five of the following items worth six points each: student government, Executive Board, Peer Mentors/Ambassadors, out-of-school volunteer service (minimum 10 hrs/semester), and/or tutoring (minimum 10 hrs/semester).
3. **Leadership** – Students can earn up to a maximum of 20 points for proven leadership. Applicants may list up to five of the following items worth four points each: club officers, sports team captain/student directors, leading role in a school play/musical production, section leaders in chorus/band/orchestra, Junior Marshall, and/or Eagle/Silver Scout.
4. **Character** – Students can earn up to a maximum of 10 points for good character. Applicants may list up to five of the following items worth two points each: Character Awards, Big Brother/Big Sister, Boy/Girl Scout, participant in: sport, drama/musical, music, or other school clubs.

DISCIPLINE – List any suspensions and/or assignments to ISS, ASD, or Saturday Detention during high school. You do not have to report lunch detentions or after-school detentions with teachers. Failure to report a discipline action will result in not being admitted to National Honor Society.

Type of Discipline: Suspension, ASD, ISS, or Saturday Detention	Explanation of Reason	Number of Days	Grade Level *
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

*** Please note: Whenever this application asks for grade level, it is referring to Grade 9, 10, 11, or 12.**

SCHOLARSHIP (40 points) - Do not complete! This part of the application will be completed by the National Honor Society advisors.

Item	Confirmation	Points Awarded
Weighted GPA of 4.0 or higher following Spring 2010 semester (30 points)	Yes No	
Top 10% of graduation class (10 points)	Yes No	
Total Scholarship Points Awarded		

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Wakefield High School Chapter
2010-2011 Application for Selection

Application Number: _____
(Do not fill this out.)

SERVICE (30 points) – List school and community activities in which you participate or have participated.

- Community service activities should be work performed for the betterment of your community and for which no compensation was paid.
- You may list up to five (5) entries worth six (6) points each for a maximum of 30 points.
- Acceptable entries include: **Student Government Officer, Member of Executive Board, Peer Mentors/Ambassadors, out-of-school volunteer service** (a minimum of 10 hours /semester), and **tutoring** (a minimum of 10 hours/semester).
- For non-school sponsored activities, write name and telephone number where the director of the program or activity may be reached. Provide a brief description of the service you provided.

Activity	Grade Level	Number of Total Hours Spent Per Semester	Description of Service	Name and Contact Information of Activity Sponsor *	Points Awarded (Do not mark in this column.)
1.					
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					
Total Service Points Awarded					

* If sponsored by Wakefield High, list the staff member name. If the activity was outside of school, provide a phone number.

**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Wakefield High School Chapter
2010-2011 Application for Selection**

Application Number: _____
(Do not fill this out.)

LEADERSHIP (20 points) – List school leadership roles you have held.

- You may list up to five (5) entries worth four (4) points each for a maximum of 20 points.
- Acceptable entries include **club officers, sports team captain/student directors, Eagle/Silver Scout, leading role in a school play/musical production, section leaders in chorus/band/orchestra, and/or Junior Marshall.**

Leadership Role Held	Grade Level	Job Description	Name and Contact Information of Activity Sponsor *	Points Awarded (Do not mark in this column.)
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
Total Leadership Points Awarded				

* If sponsored by Wakefield High, list the staff member name. If the activity was outside of school, provide a phone number.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Wakefield High School Chapter
2010-2011 Application for Selection

Application Number: _____
(Do not fill this out.)

CHARACTER (10 points) – List activities in which you have participated or awards that you have received that demonstrate good character.

- You may list up to five (5) entries worth four (2) points each for a maximum of 10 points.
- Acceptable entries include: **Character Awards, Big Brother/Big Sister, Boy Scouts/Girl Scouts, participant in: sport, drama/musical, band/orchestra/chorus, or other school clubs.**

Activity/Award	Grade Level	Description	Name and Contact Information of Activity Sponsor *	Points Awarded (Do not mark in this column.)
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
Total Character Points Awarded				

*** If sponsored by Wakefield High, list the staff member name. If the activity was outside of school, provide a phone number.**

Do not complete! This part of the application will be completed by the National Honor Society advisors.

Total Scholarship Points	/40
Total Service Points	/30

**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Wakefield High School Chapter
2010-2011 Application for Selection**

Application Number: _____
(Do not fill this out.)

Total Leadership Points	/20
Total Character Points	/10
TOTAL POINTS AWARDED	/100

_____ **Selected for membership**

_____ **Not selected for membership**