

January 2010

Dear Applicant:

The National Junior Honor Society is a prestigious organization that recognizes students who reflect outstanding accomplishments in the areas of:

Scholarship, Leadership, Citizenship, Character, Service

You have received this packet because you have met the minimum requirement for application into the National Junior Honor Society, which is a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.5 for the first two (2) marking periods. This scholarship requirement permits you to take part in the application process. The application packet will allow you to provide information to be used by the selection committee to support your membership candidacy.

Applications must be fully completed and submitted to Mrs. Gallagher in the junior high office no later than 2:25 p.m. on April 6, 2010 to be eligible for review. Completed applications will be reviewed by a faculty council who will make final membership recommendations. Completion of this application **does not** guarantee your selection.

Students who are selected for membership will be notified by April 16th. National Junior Honor Society members will be inducted as a special evening ceremony on Monday, April 26, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center.

Good luck,

Joseph Monastero
Assistant Principal

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Enclosures

2010 APPLICATION PACKET

**Cold Spring Harbor Junior High School
National Junior Honor Society
Teacher Evaluation Form**

Applicant: Please fill out the top portion of this form, have your parent/legal guardian sign it and provide one form to **four** of your teachers.

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Student's Name _____
Last Name
First Name
Middle Initial

 Student's Signature Date Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Teachers/Staff: This student is seeking your recommendation for entrance into the National Junior Honor Society. One criterion for selection is Character. Character is not based on mere personality, or on isolated incidents, unless they are serious or repeated. Please check the box that best reflects each pillar of character. Please provide additional comments as needed. Once complete, please sign and date form and **return to the junior high office by April 6th**. Thank you.

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Student is honest and trustworthy				
Student is cooperative				
Student brings out the best in themselves and in others				
Student thinks critically and shows a sincere interest in the learning process				
Student shows concern, courtesy and respect for others				
Student is responsible and reliable				
Student upholds principles of morality and ethics				
Student is a leader				

I would recommend this student to the National Junior Honor Society
 ___ With Enthusiasm ___ Without Reservation ___ With Reservation ___ No

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**Cold Spring Harbor Junior High School
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Student Essay Form**

Student's Name _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial

In the space provided, answer the following **two** questions (maximum 150 words each).
If you decide to type your essay, please attach the typed copy to this sheet.

1. What does it mean to be a member of the National Junior Honor Society?

Student Essay (continued)

Student's Name _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial

2. What charitable service activity did you complete and what did it mean to you and your community?

Leadership/Citizenship (continued)

Student's Name _____
Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Community Activities

Grade Level	Activity	Leadership Position Held	Advisor Signature

List any awards and/or honors you have received in 7th and/or 8th grade. These can be both school (academic and athletic) and community related awards:

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Service Evaluation Form**

Students applying for admission into the National Junior Honor Society **must** be able to document completion of **20 hours** of community service. Service is defined as voluntary contributions made by a student to the school and/or community, done without compensation and with a positive, courteous, and enthusiastic spirit. **Community service may not benefit your family.**

In the space below, please document all **unpaid** community service activities for 7th and 8th grade. Use additional sheets if necessary.

Student's Name _____
Last Name
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Middle Initial

Location of Service	Dates of Service	Description/Explanation of Service	Supervisor's Name and Phone Number	Number of total hours of service

Total Number of Service Hours _____

