



Application for Continuation of NHS Membership

Franklin High School NHS Chapter 2017-2018

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*** To learn about National Honor Society go to <http://www.nhs.us> ***

General Information: READ THE ENTIRE APPLICATION CAREFULLY!! All 2016-17 members need to complete an updated application to continue NHS membership for the 2017-2018 school year. **KEEP THIS PAGE.**

What is expected of NHS Members:

- 20 hours of community service from NHS approved projects per year
- Pay dues:
 - \$20 for Seniors
 - \$15 for Juniors and Sophomores
- Have at least a 3.5 cumulative GPA each term
- Maintain a clean discipline record
- Keep track of your service hours and events
- Attend meetings – see calendar to the right
- Regularly check frhs.egusd.net under the students tab for updates
- Note website: franklinnhschapter.weebly.com

Meeting Dates 10 minutes late = absent	Time	Location
September 20, 2017	8:15 am	Small Gym
October 4, 2017	8:15 am	Small Gym
October 24, 2017 *Induction Ceremony*	6:30 pm	MP Room
November 8, 2017	8:15 am	Small Gym
January 10, 2018	8:15 am	Small Gym
January 24, 2018	8:15 am	Small Gym
February 21, 2018	8:15 am	Small Gym
February 28, 2018 *New Officer Elections*	3:20 pm	MP Room
March 21, 2018	8:15 am	Small Gym
April 16 – SR. HOURS	DUE	
April 23 - SO. & JR. HRS	DUE	
May 2, 2018 HOURS PASSED OUT	TBA	TBA

Ways to be put on probation:

- Not showing up for events that you are signed up for
 - Please see NHS Event Policy on the reverse of this paper
- Not having 20 hours at end of the school year
- Not paying dues
- Not maintaining a 3.5 cumulative GPA each term. A second term with under a 3.5 is cause for dismissal
- Having D's and/or F's, suspensions (on and off campus), and/or not meeting FHS student behavioral expectations

Meeting attendance: The first two meetings missed are excused. Additional meetings missed result in a deduction of one service hour per missed meeting.

All applications are due to the CONCESSION STAND with your payment receipt by the

END of 5th lunch on Friday, September 1, 2017.

Students are encouraged to turn their applications in as soon as possible.

Keep this page with the NHS Event Policy on the reverse for your information.

All applicants will receive a notification no later than 9/25/17. If accepted, members need to attend the October 5th meeting. You may attend the Sept. 20 meeting but it is not required.

**The Annual Induction Ceremony is held on
Tuesday, October 24, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. in the MP room, all members are required to attend
and attendance will be taken. Dessert will be served.**

Franklin High School welcomes those with disabilities to participate fully in the programs, services and activities offered to students, parents, guardians and members of the public. If you need a disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services, to participate in any program, service or activity offered to you, please contact your students, Vice Principal, at least 48 hours before the scheduled event so that we may make every reasonable effort to accommodate you. [Government Code Section 54953.2; Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Section 202 (42 U.S.C. Section 12132).]

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NHS Event Policy - KEEP THIS PAGE.

NHS is very excited about the number of community service events we offer and would like to make sure we always have several events available and are well represented at the events. This policy is designed to help NHS members be committed and more responsible when signing up for events.

Here are the requirements for events:

- **Please make sure you check your calendar before you sign-up for events.**
 - When events are set-up you have until 4pm the next day to sign-up, so you can check your calendar and block the event time off if it works for you.
- **To cancel an event:**
 - Please make sure you cancel through Sign Up Genius (at LEAST 2 days prior to the event) so the officers and people in charge of the event will know and can find someone to take your place.
 - Signing out of an event less than 2 days prior to the event will result in deductions:
 - A no-show with no notice will result in being deducted half of the hours of the actual event
 - If you sign out OR change a shift less than 2 days prior to the event with notice you will be deducted 1 hour
 - If you leave early/ come late and/or do not stay for the shifts you signed up for, you will be deducted 1 hour.

We understand there are certain circumstances in which you may not be able to attend an event –due to sickness or emergency –but please send an email to FranklinNHSchapter@gmail.com before the event takes place so we can notify the appropriate people and try to fill the spot. If you know of someone who can fill your spot, when notifying please include their name in the email so we can make the appropriate changes. If you cannot provide a replacement student name you will be deducted an hour due to short notice. Since events have limited spots, it creates difficulties for coordinators and lowers Franklin’s status as a reliable source of volunteers when these problems occur.

The follow excuses will not be accepted:

- I was tired and/or over slept
- I forgot I signed up for this event
- I did not have a ride
- The weather did not look good
- And others along the same lines

Ways to avoid these excuses:

- Periodically check Sign-Up Genius and your email for your signed-up events
- Before you sign-up, make sure you have a reliable way to get to the event
- If you have an electronic calendar, put the events in your calendar with a notice of at least a day prior

Elk Grove Unified School District and Franklin High School do not sponsor volunteer or community service events. These events are voluntary and EGUSD and Franklin High School accepts no liability or responsibility for this program/activity. EGUSD and Franklin High School are not responsible for the transportation to or from this program/activity.

Note: Hours on the website will include deductions. Please remember that you need at least 20 hours per year to be in good standing with NHS. It is possible to end up with negative hours at the end of the year.

