

**Onteora Middle School Chapter  
of the  
National Junior Honor Society (NJHS)**

Application for Membership

Directions: Please complete all sections. **Type or print all information and submit it by the published deadline**  
Do not be modest. Every bit of information will be used by the Faculty Council to assist with the fair consideration of your candidacy during the selection process.

Completion and submission of this form **DOES NOT** guarantee selection. Should you have questions about this form, please contact Mr. Brian Schaffer in the Onteora MS/HS Guidance Department offices.

I. Administrative Information

Full Name

Current Grade Level

Homeroom Teacher (1st Period)

Homeroom Number

**II. Leadership (Value is 3 points out of 12 points on Evaluation Form)**

List all elected or appointed positions or other positions of responsibility held in school, community, or work activities. Only those positions in which you were responsible for directing or motivating others should be included (e.g., elected officer for student body, class, or club; committee chairperson; team captain; newspaper editor; work area manager; or other community leader). Please include the name of the adult responsible for supervising your leadership in each position.

Leadership Position	Activity/Organization	Supervising Adult

**III. Past Community Service (Value is 3 points out of 12 points on Evaluation Form)**

List past service activities in which you have participated. These can be individual or group service projects done either in or out of school. Generally, service activities are those that are done for or on behalf of others (not including family members) for which no compensation (monetary or otherwise) has been given. On the appropriate line please name an adult supervisor who can verify your participation in each activity. List the estimated number of hours you invested while performing this service.

Activity	Hours of Service	Supervising Adult

**IV. Citizenship Part 1 – School Based** (Value is 3 points out of 12 points on Evaluation Form)

List all other school-based activities (not noted above) in which you have participated in school which promote citizenship. Include teams, clubs, musical groups, etc., and any significant accomplishments in each.

Activity	Accomplishments

**Citizenship Part 2 – Community** (This category can/will be used in conjunction with Part 1 above)

List other current community activities outside of school and/or major accomplishment that you have not previously listed which promote citizenship. Please include the name of the supervising adult.

Activity	Hours of Service	Supervising Adult

The information provided is worth 9 of a possible 12 points on the Faculty Council Evaluation Form. The remaining 3 points (Character) will come from the referrals (Positive and/or Negative) written by Onteora Staff members concerning the applicant.

**VI. Signatures**

I understand that completing and submitting this form does not guarantee selection to the Honor Society. I attest that the information presented here is complete and accurate. If selected, I agree to abide by the standards and guidelines of the chapter and to fulfill all of my membership obligations to the best of my ability.

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Student Signature Date

I have read the information provided by my child on this form and can verify that it is true, accurate, and complete.

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Parent / Guardian Signature Date

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Phone Number(s) Email

We request this information so that we may notify you regarding important details.

Return completed form to:  
Mr. Brian Schaffer  
Onteora MS/HS Guidance Office  
bschaffer@onteora.k12.ny.us

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Faculty Council Student Evaluation

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

	High / Outstanding	Good	Average	Low / Poor
Leadership	More than two leadership positions 3	Two leadership positions 2	Has had a leadership role 1	Has no leadership experience 0
Service	More than two community service activities 3	Two community service activities 2	Has participated in a community service activity 1	Has no community service experience 0
Citizenship	Actively involved in two or more community or school clubs / activities / organizations which promotes citizenship 3	Actively involved in one community or school club / activity / organization which promotes citizenship 2	Has belonged to a community or school club / activity / organization that promotes citizenship 1	Has NOT belonged to a community or school club / activity / organization that promotes citizenship 0
Character	Has no negative behavior referrals and has been cited for positive behavior referrals and has been scored high on the Faculty Evaluation Form 3	Has no negative behavioral referrals and has been scored high on the Faculty Evaluation Form 2	Has been written up for at least one negative behavioral referral (including tardies) and did not score high on the Faculty Evaluation Form 1	Has multiple negative behavioral referrals (including tardies) and did not score high on the Faculty Evaluation Form 0

Total Score \_\_\_\_\_

**Definitions**

**Leadership** - positions in which student was responsible for directing or motivating others should be included (e.g., elected officer for student body, class, or club; committee chairperson; team captain; newspaper editor; work area manager; or other community leader).

**Service** - service activities are those that are done for or on behalf of others (not including family members) for which no compensation (monetary or otherwise) has been given.

**Character** - a person of character demonstrates the following six qualities; trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship

**Citizenship** – has participated in organizations which; demonstrate the importance of civic involvement, has a high regard for freedom and justice and makes student demonstrate mature participation and responsibility