



## SCIENCE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Science Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

This application is your opportunity to demonstrate your eligibility for membership in the Monticello High School Chapter of the Science National Honor Society. The application is NOT a guarantee of acceptance. This application must be returned to Mrs. Rowanhill in R203 by **October 12** in order to get acceptance letters out in a timely manner. There will be no exceptions.

Please read the following criteria carefully and **fully answer** all requests for information concerning your eligibility. The criteria are set at the national level.

1. I am a member of the \_\_\_\_\_ Junior Class or \_\_\_\_\_ Senior Class at MHS

2. I have a cumulative unweighted GPA of at least 3.0 out of 4.0. \_\_\_\_\_

*yes/no*

Approximate GPA. \_\_\_\_\_. (This will be verified)

3. I have a B+ average or higher in all science classes(3.5/4.0). \_\_\_\_\_

*yes/no*

Approximate GPA. \_\_\_\_\_. (This will be verified)

4. I have been enrolled in at least one honors level science course before junior year. \_\_\_\_ (yes/no)

List high school honors science courses you have taken below:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

5. I have been enrolled in at least one **AP Science course or second year honors** science course prior to senior year. \_\_\_\_\_ (yes/no) Course name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

6. I am/will be enrolled in at least AP Science or 2nd Year Elective in a science discipline during my senior year. \_\_\_\_\_ (yes/no) Course name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

7. I understand that members must maintain behavior that is acceptable to the Monticello High School Code of Conduct. \_\_\_\_\_.

*yes/no*

8. I understand that membership is bestowed as an honor and not a right or privilege. \_\_\_\_\_.

*yes/no*

9. I understand that membership in the SNHS requires that I actively participate in the activities of the Society. Please answer each of the following questions:
- a. I will attend all meetings unless an absence is prearranged with an officer or the sponsor because of a legitimate conflict. \_\_\_\_\_.  
*yes/no*
  - b. A requirement of the SNHS is that local chapters must establish and maintain a Science Club with membership open to the whole student body. I will actively participate) in the establishment and maintenance of the MHS Science Club. \_\_\_\_\_.  
*yes/no*
  - c. I will participate in SNHS projects and activities including Fund Raising to the best of my abilities. \_\_\_\_\_.  
*yes/no*
  - d. If requested (it will be a requirement for officers) I will be willing to make a presentation on a current science related topic of interest at a regular or special meeting of the SNHS\_\_\_\_\_.  
*yes/no*

The last requirement, and the most important for membership, is that a student exemplifies the mission statement of the Science National Honor Society.

“The purpose of this organization shall be to encourage participation in and recognition of scientific and intellectual thought, to advance the student’s knowledge of classical and modern science, to communicate with the scientific community, to aid the civic community with its comprehension of science, and to encourage students to participate in community service and, in turn, encourage a dedication to the pursuit of scientific knowledge that benefits all mankind.”

**Please describe with as much detail as possible in the space provided below** what words, actions, deeds, or behaviors you have and will exhibit to promote this mission statement.

I certify that the information above is true and complete. I agree that the decision on my acceptance to the SNHS will be made with utmost care and consideration by the Science Department of MHS and that the decision is final.

Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_