NHS National Honor Society

Informational Meeting, Wednesday, Sept. 23, 2020



PURPOSE

► The purpose of this chapter shall be to *create* an enthusiasm for scholarship, to *stimulate* a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in students of Allen D. Nease High School.

You are our Nease Role models!

Executive Committee:

- President Taylor Rupe
- **▶ V. Presidents** –Izabela Zmirska and Lark Harrington
- **Secretaries** Sreenivas Kuntamukkala and Amber Vidler
- **► Treasurers** Kaitlyn Kol and Sohum Shinkre
- **▶ Publicists/Historians** Jessica Grace Sam and Abigail Vidler
- **▶ Parliamentarian** Nathaniel McGinnis
- **► Adviser/Sponsor** Mrs. Milian
- **▶** Co-Adviser- Sponsor Mrs. Robbins

NHS In Action- What do we do?

- We represent the most academically-driven and socially conscious students at Nease High School
- ▶ We create an enthusiasm for scholarship
- We stimulate a desire to render service
- We promote worthy leadership
- We encourage the development of character in students of Allen D. Nease High School.

Rights

- Receive recognition from the school and community
- Display the NHS insignia
- Remain a lifetime member of NHS
- ► To be considered for all NHS scholarships, awards, etc.
- ► To have a fair hearing by the Faculty Council before your membership

can be revoked

Responsibilities

- ► To enroll in at least two (2) Honors or AP level courses per year
- ► To maintain a 3.80 GPA (Members have a one-semester probation period to bring up GPA if it falls)
- To attend all regular, special, and committee meetings. Due to the current climate-meetings will be scheduled as needed. Meetings will be announced 1-2 weeks ahead of schedule.
- To participate in all NHS and service projects
- ► To complete 15 in-club service hours
- To complete 3 hours MAX after-school tutoring (part of the 15 hours)
- DL will be required to complete virtual tutoring
- ▶ 12 other in-club hours will be completed through various NHS sponsored activities. Non-sponsored service projects may be used for hours as well but MUST be pre-approved by Mrs. Milian- not after the service has been completed.
- ▶ To continuously demonstrate leadership, service, character, and responsibility
- ► To pay annual dues of \$20

Expectations

You are expected to complete requirements without issue

► This is a club that requires commitment, if you are not willing to complete these requirements, you should not be in this club

► Volunteer hours will be logged via paper service forms

- You are expected to participate in NHS events AND Nease events
- ► Membership in National Honor Society is an honor and a STRONG COMMITMENT to Scholarship, Leadership, Character, and SERVICE!

Probation/Dismissal

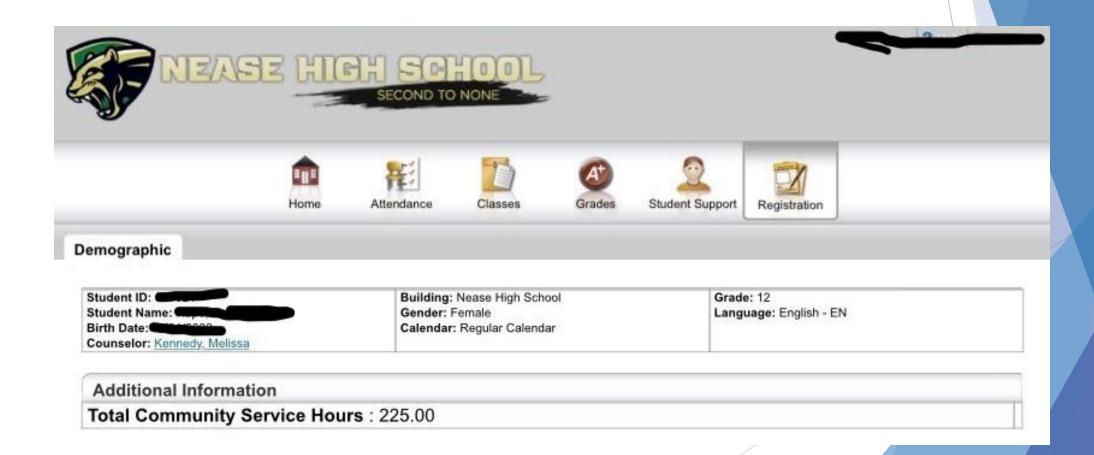
- ► Failure to maintain a 3.8 GPA after a semester probation
- ► Failure to take the required number of advanced classes
- ➤ Failure to attend required activities (NHS induction, club meetings, tutoring, NHS project)- to be excused member must email Mrs. Milian in ADVANCE and must be LEGITIMATE (I forgot or overslept doesn't cut it 🙁)
- ► Failure to complete tutoring requirements
- ► Failure to complete and document volunteer hours
- ► Behavior that is unbecoming of an NHS member (cheating, disrespect, ISS, OSS, direct violation of district/school rules of Student Code of Conduct)

Selection Packet Process

- Complete ENTIRE application!
- **▶** Juniors you **MUST** have a MINIMUM of 40 service hours to be considered
- ► Seniors you MUST have a MINIMUM of 50 service hours to be considered
- ▶ If you need additional space for I, II, IV please attached another sheet of paper.
- Forms are due to Mrs. Milian in the Media Center by end of day Friday, Oct. 2nd by 4 p.m. DL and DE students MUST drop off their paper applications to front office by 4 p.m. that date. NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
- Once all applications have been submitted, NHS officers will screen for incomplete or lacking requirements
- ► The Faculty Council (5 ANONYMOUS teachers) will review all applications/resumes and approve or deny membership.
- ► All approved candidates will be invited to media center for meeting, the date is TBD.

Part III instructions: Service Hours documentation

- Log into HAC
- Click on Registration
- Take a screenshot of the top section showing Demographic and Total Community Service Hours (Make sure YOUR Demographic info is visible!!
- Print out and attach to your application.





Milian's Words of Wisdom

Thank You for Coming!

We hope to see you all soon!

