World Language National Honor Societies Oyster Bay High School



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PURPOSE

The purpose of the World Language Honor Societies is to recognize high achievement in Spanish, French and American Sign Language by students of secondary schools and to promote continuity of interest in the language studies. As a member of the National Society, you will be part of a variety of cultural activities throughout the school year in order to enhance your cultural experience.

QUALIFICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

- Students must be enrolled in the 2nd semester of the language class as a Sophomore or Junior.
- Students must have a cumulative average of 90 in World Languages for the past 3 semesters.
 - If you are currently enrolled in a level 3 language class, you must have an average of 90 in your first semester of level 3 and a 90 or above in level 2 of the same language.
 - If you are currently in level 4, you must have an average of 90 for your first semester of level 4 and a 90 or above in level 3 of the same language.
- Students must have an overall GPA of 85 or above (unweighted).
- Eligible candidates are subject to rejection due to lack of character as a result of cuts, discipline referrals or teachers' recommendations.

APPLICATION AND INITIATION

- Students who meet the criteria listed above may pick up a packet from Mr. Pardue in the High School Main Office or print a packet from the World Language Department page on the District website.
- Completed applications should be hand delivered to Mr. Pardue by February 3, 2023.
- Acceptance letters are mailed home at the end of February.
- The Induction Ceremony takes place on March 21, 2023 at 7 PM.

STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

NAME:	Grade:					
2022-23 Language Class:	Q1 & Q2 Avg:					
2022-23 Teacher's Name:	Room#:					
2021-22 Language Class/Level:	Final Course Avg:					
Please indicate the honor society for which you are requesting admission:						
ASL Honor Society						

_____ Société Honoraire de Français (French)

_____ Sociedad Honoraria Hispanica (Spanish)

PLEASE WRITE A CHECK MARK V FOR EACH REQUIREMENT MET.

Requirement	Yes	No	Verified by advisor Signature and date
I am currently enrolled in a level 3 course or higher in ASL, French, or Spanish.			
Indicate language:			
I have earned a 90 cumulative average for the past 3 semesters.			
I have an overall GPA of 85 or higher (unweighted)			
l have a pristine disciplinary record. (no cuts, referrals, etc).			
I have submitted my essay along with this application.			

NAME:_____ Grade: _____

2022-23 Language Class & Teacher:_____

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AS A MEMBER OF THIS SOCIETY,	YES	NO
I will be attending my Induction Ceremony on March 21, 2023 at 7 PM.		
I will maintain the required grades for admission throughout my entire membership. I understand that by not doing so, my membership will result in probationary status.		
I will have to collect 3 service hours <u>per semester</u> through the Tutoring program after school from 2:20 to 2:45 (under advisor's supervision).		
I will attend every monthly general meeting after school. I will only be excused 3 times during the school year with a doctor's or parent's note.		
I will be an ACTIVE MEMBER at all times.		

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Acceptance	Yes	No
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NAME:	Grade:

2022-23 Language Class & Teacher:

ESSAY WRITING

You are asked to write an essay in the language of the Honor Scoiety for which you are requesting membership (French, Spanish or ASL/English). Please include the following information:

- Your goals as a member of this society. Express your full ideas with concrete plans to reach your goals
- Your intention to be an officer for the following year



