

MONTE VISTA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The purpose of the National Honor Society is to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to develop character in students of secondary schools. **The responsibility of obtaining, completing and returning this STUDENT ACTIVITY INFORMATION SHEET by the announced deadline lies with the student. Completion of this form does not guarantee selection**

Name _____ Present grade _____ GPA _____
 10th, 11th, 12th (Must be 3.65 or higher)

All applicants must have been a student at MVCS for at least 1 semester before applying to the school's chapter of the National Honor Society

I. LEADERSHIP

A student who exercises leadership:

- * Successfully holds school offices or positions of responsibility; conducts business effectively and efficiently; demonstrates reliability and dependability
- * Is a leader in the classroom, at work, and in other school or community activities
- * Is thoroughly dependable in any responsibility
- * Is willing to uphold scholarship and maintain a loyal school attitude
- * Is resourceful in proposing new problems, applying principles and making suggestions
- * Demonstrates initiative in promoting school activities
- * Exercises influence on peers in upholding school ideals
- * Contributes ideas that improve the civic life of the school
- * Is able to delegate responsibilities
- * Exemplifies a positive attitude
- * Inspires positive behavior in others
- * Demonstrates academic initiative

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A person of character demonstrates the following six qualities: respect, responsibility, trustworthiness, fairness, caring and citizenship. In addition, it can also be said that the student of character:

- * Takes criticism willingly and accepts recommendations graciously
- * Consistently exemplifies desirable qualities of behavior (cheerfulness, friendliness, poise, and stability)
- * Upholds principles of morality and ethics
- * Cooperates by complying with the school regulations concerning property, programs office, halls, ect...
- * Demonstrates highest standards of honesty and reliability
- * Regularly shows courtesy, concern and respect for others
- * Observes instructions and rules, is punctual and faithful both inside and outside the classroom
- * Has powers of concentration, self-discipline and sustained attention as shown by perseverance and application to studies
- * Manifests truthfulness in acknowledging obedience to rules, avoiding cheating in written work, and showing unwillingness to profit by the mistake of others
- * Actively helps rid the school of bad influences or environment

Each applicant must submit 2 confidential forms of character reference:

(Included with this packet) They must be sealed in the envelopes provided.

- a) **One from a staff member at MVCS (not a relative)**
- b) **One from a community member - church, employer... (not a relative)**

Your NHS application packet including STUDENT ACTIVITY INFORMATION SHEETS and two sealed letters of recommendation Must be returned to Student Services by September 9, 2016.

If you have any questions regarding the application, email alexxacraton@mvcs.org

