

Thank you for your interest in the National English Honor Society (NEHS). NEHS is open to high school students and select faculty who have demonstrated exceptional ability in such areas as literary analysis, media studies, composition, linguistic study, and creative writing, and who meet the requirements of membership as set forth in the NEHS Constitution, Article X.

Full Name: _____ Gender: _____

Grade: _____ English teacher & period: _____

An Email You Check: _____



2017-18 NEHS APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP Lambert High School Chapter



Membership in local chapters is an honor bestowed on a student. Selection for membership is by a Faculty Advisory Council and is based both on academic accomplishment in English and English-related courses, as well as on overall academic accomplishment.

There are **THREE** parts to your application. Follow directions and compile ALL work (except teacher rec) in one application before turning in to Ms. Harrison (room #1817). On top of your application should be this cover sheet. Do not put your application in a folder/binder, just staple everything behind this sheet.

Application for 2018 is due by Wednesday, September 19, 2018.

NOTE: Failure to turn in all parts of your application can result in forfeiting your chances of being in NEHS for this year. Also, a completed application does not ensure one of membership into NEHS. Criteria must be met and the Faculty Advisory Council must approve.

PART I: TRANSCRIPT (unofficial copy you print from home is fine)

Transcript from high school, showing at least an 85 average in your core academic classes and a 90 or higher average in any of your English courses. Students should also have at least 2 years (preferably in honors English) of high-school English coursework with grades before applying. Special circumstances may apply for honorary membership. Due to this criteria, inductees will likely be juniors or seniors.

PART II: Teacher Recommendation:

Please have a former or current high school ENGLISH teacher complete the attached recommendation. This teacher should be able to speak about your scholarly and academic work ethic. Have him/her complete the recommendation and return to Ms. Harrison's mailbox OR they can fold & staple the form and return to you.

PLEASE LIST THE ENGLISH TEACHER WHO COMPLETED YOUR REC FOR YOU:

ENGLISH: _____

PART III: QUESTIONS (a paragraph response for each is fine; please type and double-space)

- A. Why do you want to be a member of NEHS? What talents will you bring to this chapter? And how do you demonstrate high standards in your English and English-related course(s)?
- B. What ideas for school-related and community-related outreach do you have for advancing the study of language and literature? What are some things you'd like to see our society do for the school and/or the community?

***NEW MEMBERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED in early OCTOBER**

Membership may not be determined, in any way, on the basis of race, religion, national or ethnic origin, gender, sexual orientation, age, or physical (dis)ability.



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ENGLISH

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION Lambert High School Chapter

Name of student: _____

ENGLISH TEACHER: _____

Please rate the student above on the following criteria.

	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Excellent
Responsibility				
Work Ethic				
Writing Skills				
Literacy/Reading Skills				
Punctuality				
Works Well with Others				
Academic Integrity				
General Overall Character				
This student would be a good representative of NEHS				

Additional comments:

English Teacher signature: _____

→ Please fold and staple so that only the student's name is showing. If you wish, you can put the recommendation in a sealed envelope or email me privately if you have any concerns. Thank you, Stephanie Harrison @ stharrison@forsyth.k12.ga.us