



Social Studies National Honor Society
Martinsburg High School Chapter

Student Application

Directions: Please complete all sections of this form. The form must be fully typed and submitted in hard copy format to the Social Studies Advisor. All information may be used by the committee to assist with the selection process. Completion of this form does not guarantee selection into the chapter. Please attach a recent photo to this application. Nothing may be added to this from than what is requested.

1. Personal information

Full Legal Name	
Street Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name(s)	
Grade Level	
Email	
Social Media Account	

2. Academics

(Do not fill out sections a & b. Administration only)

- a. Current Cumulative Grade Point Average _____
- b. Current Class Rank _____ as of _____

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6. Work Experience, Awards & Certifications

List below any job experiences, honors, or recognition that you have received since the start of high school. Work experience may be paid or volunteer.

Job, Award , Certification	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th	Group or Activity	Hours spent

7. Essay

Write a minimum 3 page, maximum 5 page essay describing the answering the following questions below. The essay should be typed in Times New Roman, 12 font, 5-7 sentences per paragraph, & 4-5 paragraphs equaling one page.

1. Why are you interested in joining this organization?
2. What areas of history interest you & why?
3. What event(s) in history inspired your interest in the subject and how did it impact your life?
4. What skills & abilities do you possess that would make you a great candidate for admittance into the Social Studies National Honor Society?
5. What are some projects, programs or fundraising ideas that you would want to participate in while being a member of the Social Studies National Honor Society?
6. Why should we select you into the Social Studies National Honor Society?

8. Letters of Recommendation (2)

-Attach (2) dated and signed letters of recommendation for your acceptance into the Social Studies National Honor Society.

-One (1) letter must be written by a teacher you have enrolled in a class with, and one (1) letter must be written by a community member (ex: supervisor/manager, pastor, family friend, etc. . .)

-Letters cannot be written by family members.

-Each letter should be **NO MORE** than one page in length & highlight **YOU** & your exemplification of character, dedication, work ethic, & scholarship!

9. Signatures

I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection into the Social Studies National Honor Society, & that the information presented here is accurate. I have read & understand the process by which the selection is completed.

Student Signature

Print Name

Date

I have read the information provided by my son or daughter on this form & can verify that it is accurate & complete. I also understand that this application does not guarantee selection into the Social Studies National Honor Society. I have read & understand the process by which the selection process is completed.

Parent Signature

Print Name

Date

Thank you very much for taking the time to fill out this application, & expressing your interest in joining SSNHS.

