



Student's Name: _____

Current Grade Level: _____ Teacher: _____

Congratulations on becoming a **Candidate for Membership** in our Winfield Elementary's Chapter of the **National Elementary Honor Society (NEHS)**. You were identified based on academic achievement evidenced through your report card grades. While not yet a member, you can be proud of these accomplishments.

To continue the selection process for becoming a member of NEHS, please complete the attached form and return it to one of the Chapter Advisers identified below by the deadline listed below. **Have a parent or guardian help you complete the form.** A committee of teachers will review the information provided and selection will be determined based on whether or not the completed application meets the selection guidelines.

If, at any time, you or your parents have questions about this form or the chapter and its activities, please contact the Chapter Adviser for help. Please fill out all sections of this form as completely and accurately as you can to give yourself the best opportunity to be selected as a new member of our chapter. We hope you are interested in becoming a member. We look forward to reading more about you and hope that you will return your completed form by the deadline of March 18, 2015.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Bloom
Elizabeth Gleitsmann
NEHS Chapter Advisers

Arricka Porter
Principal

Note: If you are not interested in becoming a member, there is a section at the end of the form that says that you are not interested and have your parents sign it. Please do so and then return the form to the Chapter Adviser as soon as possible.



Candidate Form
NEHS Selection Procedures
Winfield Elementary's Chapter of the
National Elementary Honor Society

Directions: Please complete all sections of this form. Type or print all information and submit it by the published deadline. **Do not be modest or shy when completing this form.** Every bit of information will be used by the Faculty Council (committee of teachers) as they consider your candidacy during the selection process. Completion of this form does not guarantee selection. If you have questions about this form, please contact your grade level adviser.

I. Student Information

Student Name: _____ Teacher: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Contact information*: Please indicate your preferred method for receiving future notices about the results of the selection process.

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Mailing Address:

Street address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

*If you prefer to provide this contact information in person to the chapter adviser instead of providing it on this form, please do so at the time the form is turned in.

Responsibility.

We are interested in learning where and how you have demonstrated being a responsible student, child, or citizen. Please fill in the following three sections with information relating to your life at school, home, and in the community. You may attach additional sheets if needed.

II. Responsibility demonstrated through Leadership Positions

Please list all of the elected or appointed leadership positions you have held in school or in the community. Only those positions in which you were responsible for directing or motivating others should be included. For example, elected officer for the student body, class, or club; committee chairperson; team captain; newspaper editor; or other community leader. Please include the name of the adult/teacher responsible for supervising your leadership in each position.

Grade Level* 3/4/5/6	Leadership Position	Activity or Organization	Supervising Adult
Example: Grades 3	Tutor	Read to a 1 st grade student	Mrs. James
Example: Grade 4	Ambassador	Greeted guests and answered questions	Mrs. Patterson

(*While only students in grades 4, 5, and 6 are eligible for membership, the activities in which you participated during third grade can be provided on this form.)

III. Responsibility demonstrated through Service Activities

List service activities in which you have participated. These can be individual or group service projects done in or out of school. Service activities are those that are done for or on behalf of others (not including immediate family members) for which no compensation (monetary or other) has been given. Please list the name of an adult supervisor who can verify your participation in each activity.

Grade Level* 3/4/5/6	Service Activity	Group or Organization	Supervising Adult
Example: Grades 4	Food Drive contributor	4 th grade class	Ms. Felder

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IV. Responsibility demonstrated through membership in and recognition from other Groups at school or in the community.

Please list all other school or community groups (*not* noted above) to which you currently belong or have given you an award or recognition for an accomplishment. Include clubs, teams, musical groups, etc., and the name of the adult in charge of the group.

Grade Level* 3/4/5/6	Group or Organization	Supervising Adult
Example 1: 4	Chess Club member	Mrs. Carroll
Example 2: 5	Outstanding Safety Patrol member	Mr. Sherrill

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V. Responsibility demonstrated at home or with family.

Please list activities and chores that you have done to demonstrate your responsibilities at home. You can include such items as regular household chores, supervision of younger brothers or sisters, care or support for relatives, etc.

Grade Level* 3/4/5/6	Home or Family Responsibilities
Example: Grades 3-5	Taking meals to my elderly grandmother every Saturday.

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VI. Signatures

As the last section of the Candidate's Form, please sign and date the form where requested below.

Student – Please read. By signing below, I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection to the National Elementary Honor Society chapter at my school. The information presented here is complete and accurate. If selected, I agree to abide by the standards and guidelines of the chapter and to fulfill all of my membership obligations to the best of my ability.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent – Please read. I/we have read the information provided by my son/daughter on this form and can verify that it is true, accurate, and complete.

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Return your completed form to *Mrs. Bloom or Ms. Gleitsmann (Grade 3)*.

Thank you for completing this form, and again, on behalf of the faculty of our school, congratulations on becoming a candidate for NEHS membership. Good luck! You will be notified of the results of our selections no later than ___Friday March 20, 2015_____

If you have questions or need assistance during the application process, please contact the advisor(s) representing your grade level.

Mrs. Jennifer Bloom
(jbloom2@bcps.org)
Ms. Elizabeth Gleitsmann
(egleitsmann@bcps.org)

 Please check this box and sign below if you are NOT interested in being considered as a candidate for NEHS membership at this time. Students will be eligible for consideration in the future as long as they continue to meet the eligibility requirements for candidacy.

Student Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____