

APPLICATION 2022-2023

NAME: _____

Plato Academy Pinellas Park Middle School - National Junior Honor Society



Service = Performs service to benefit the community with no personal gain (not family chores)

Leadership = Inspires positive behavior in others and exemplifies a positive attitude

Character = Demonstrates the highest standards of honesty and reliability

Citizenship = Holds a high regard for freedom and justice

Scholarship = A commitment to academic study and achievement

PART 1 - GPA

1. GPA 7th Grade: _____

PART 2 – TEACHER APPROVAL

1. Teacher Name: _____

Teacher Signature: _____

Comments:

2. Teacher Name: _____

Teacher Signature: _____

Comments:

PART 3 – CHARACTER REFERENCE

Your character is the combination of qualities that distinguishes you from another person. It is your combined moral and ethical make-up. For this section of the application, you must obtain a recommendation from an adult, attesting to your good character. Ask them to write a short letter of recommendation (paragraph) stating how long they have known you, their relationship to you, and have them supply evidence of your good character. They may use the space below or you can attach it to this application.

PART 4 - PERSONAL ESSAY

Your essay must be hand-written in blue or black ink on a separate sheet of paper. An essay written in any other color, or typed will NOT be considered. Use only one sheet of paper (may be front and back). Include your handwritten essay with this application. Answer the prompt completely.

Service is one of the main goals of the National Junior Honor Society. With this in mind, **define what service means to you.** In detail, clarify the service you have already rendered in your family and/or community. Then explain what service you would like the NJHS to be involved in while you are a member. Be realistic and specific keeping our community in mind. Conclude your essay by letting the readers know how you intend to make service a part of your life.