**Société Honoraire de Français French National Honor Society Application 2016-2017**

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| This application must be completed and returned to Mademoiselle Ocampo (Room 215) on or before **Friday, September 23rd at 2:30 pm**Late applications will not be considered! |

**La Société Honoraire de Français** (SHF) is a nationally recognized honor society for high school students enrolled in French and is sponsored by the American Associations of Teachers of French (AATF). The purpose of the society is to recognize outstanding scholarship among high school students in the study of French language and to promote a continued interest in the study of French and Francophone cultures.

*Name of applicant*

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| First:  | M.I. | Last:  |
| Grade:  |

*Please answer the following questions in order to determine your eligibility for the* ***Société Honoraire de Français****:*

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|  | Oui | Non |
| I am enrolled in a French course in the current school year. |  |  |
| I am currently enrolled in or have completed French III.  |  |  |
| I have a minimum of an A (3.5) cumulative average in all French courses taken from 9th grade to the present.  |  |  |
| I have a minimum of a B (3.0) cumulative average in all high school courses.  |  |  |
| I have a behavioral record free of suspension, instances of academic dishonestly (i.e plagiarism), and/or a pattern of inappropriate behavior.  |  |  |

\***If you have answered NO to any of these questions but would like to explain your situation and still be considered, please do so in writing and attach to this application.**

**Expectations**

Expectations of members of the **Société Honoraire de Français** are drawn from the constitution and bylaws of the national **Société Honoraire de Français.** In summary they are:

* Enrollment and completion of the French class for which you qualify
* Attendance at the induction ceremony in November
* Attendance at next year’s induction ceremony of new members (unless you graduate before that)
* Participation in **Société Honoraire de Français** meetings and activities. \*Students who miss **more than 2** **of the monthly meetings** without good reason may be asked to leave the society.
* If needed, acting as a French tutor for students having difficulties with the language
* Maintenance of an A cumulative average in French classes
* Maintenance of a B cumulative average in all classes
* Maintenance of a behavioral record free from suspension, academic dishonestly, and/or a pattern of inappropriate behavior.
* Meet all deadlines and pay any required dues (currently $5)

\*Failure to meet these expectations will result in a written warning, a probation period, or removal from the **Société Honoraire de Français.**

Email will be an important mode of communication about activities, scholarships opportunities, and service possibilities. If you have an email account that you read regularly, please write this below. Please print clearly.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_



 *L’homme qui sait deux langues en vaut deux !*

Please answer the following questions in English in the space provided below. Be as specific as possible. If necessary and preferred, you may attach your answers separately.

1. The **Société Honoraire de Français** recognizes academically excellent students in their study of French at Oxford Area High School. Members will serve as models for other students in the World Language Department through their achievement, mature behavior, and service. *What qualifies you to be a member of the* ***Société Honoraire de Français****, and how can you contribute to this organization?*
2. How would you respond to someone who asks you a questions such as “How can studying French possibly be useful to you in your life”?

Please answer the following questions in **French (minimum of 5 sentences)** in the space provided below. Be as specific as possible. If necessary and preferred, you may attach your answers separately. If a translating tool is utilized (for paragraphs or full sentences), you will be automatically disqualified.

1. Pourquoi est-ce que tu aimes étudier le français ?

1. Comment est-ce que tu veux utiliser le français ?
2. Pourquoi est-ce tu veux être parti de la Société Honoraire Français ?

**Recommendations**

Recommendations are required. These required signatures are from teachers, coaches, or employer who can attest to your reliability and performance in their field. Comments are optional, however, highly encouraged.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

**Signatures**

* By signing this form, you acknowledge that you understand and accept the rules of the French Honor Society and are willing to abide by these rules.

**PARENT SIGNATUARE**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**STUDENT SIGNATURE**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* You will be notified by the end of October of the society’s decision. Please provide your homeroom teacher’s name and room number.

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| HR Teacher:  | Room Number:  |

* **This application is due to Mlle Ocampo on or before \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by 2:30pm. Late applications will not be considered! Payments of dues ($5) will be due once you are notified of acceptance into La Société Honoraire de Français. Dues may be paid in cash or in a check payable to *Oxford Area High School.***

**Please direct any questions to the OAHS advisor of the *Société Honoraire de Français*:**

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