

## SOCIEDAD HONORARIA HISPÁNICA

Spanish National Honor Society Application deadline- Friday, March 1, 2019.



This application must be completed and returned to Señora Browne (P4B) on or before Friday, March 1st, no later than 3:45 PM.

Late applications will not be considered! No exceptions.

The **Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica** (SHH) is an honor society for high school students enrolled in Spanish and Portuguese and is sponsored by the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP). The purpose of the society is to recognize high achievement of high school students in the Spanish and Portuguese languages and to promote a continuing interest in Hispanic and Portuguese studies.

-from SHH website

Expectations of **Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica** members are drawn from the constitution and bylaws of the national **Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica**. In summary, they are:

Enrollment and completion of the Spanish class for which you qualify

Attendance at the induction ceremony in March.

Maintenance of an 88% cumulative average in Spanish classes

Maintenance of a minimum cumulative semester average of 3.7

Participation in Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica meetings and activities

Attendance at next year's induction ceremony of new members (unless you graduate before then)

Participation in the National Spanish Examination when offered

Maintenance of a behavioral record free from suspensions, academic dishonesty, and/or a pattern of inappropriate behavior

Meet all deadlines and pay any required dues (currently \$15)

Fulfillment of the yearly service and language requirements (25 hours per year)

Failure to meet these expectations will result in a written warning, a probation period, or removal from the **Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica**.

After reviewing each application, the Spanish Department will vote to induct new members. You will be notified by mail mid-March of the status of your application, and when to pay the dues.

Please direct any questions to the advisor of the Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica:

Señora Angie Browne LASA High School 512-841-6387 angie.browne@austinisd.org

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M.I.

Last:

First:

Grade:		
Please answer the following questions to determine your eligibility for the Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica:		
	YES	S NO
I am a sophomore or junior.		
I have successfully completed Spanish II.		
I am enrolled in Spanish III or have successfully completed Spanish III.		
I will be enrolled in a Spanish course the next school year.		
I have the required average in my Spanish courses as well as the GPA requirement.		
I have a behavioral record free from suspension, instances of academic		
dishonesty (i.e. plagiarism), and/or a pattern of inappropriate behavior.	1	
I can commit to attending weekly meetings during lunch as well as additionactivities outside of school.	onal	
If asked, I can obtain a recommendation from my previous or current		
Spanish teacher.		
I have signed up to take the National Spanish Examination.		
Email will be the primary mode of communication about activit		* *
service possibilities. If you have an email account that you read	regularly, pleas	e type it below.
Email:		
Please provide a mailing address so that we can mail you the dep	partment's deci	sion:
Street:		
City: State: Zip	:	
STUDENT SIGNATURE		
Signature: Date	e:	
PARENT SIGNATURE		
Signature: Date	e:	

Along with this form, be sure to turn in hard copies of your essays to Sra. Browne in portable 4B, otherwise your application will not be considered complete.

Please write two essays in Spanish answering the questions below.		
¿Qué importancia tiene el castellano en tu vida y cómo lo planeas usar en el futuro? ¿Cómo ser parte de la Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica podría beneficiarte a realizar tus planes y metas?		



¿Qué puedes contribuir o traer a la sociedad? ¿Qué ideas tienes para actividades y eventos para la Sociedad?		