# King Philip Regional High School Chapter of the National Honor Society By-Laws

# **Section 1: Member Expectations**

All members of the King Philip Chapter of the National Honor Society shall adhere to the expectations outlined in this section. Failure to do so will result in disciplinary action (See Section 4: Discipline Process).

## I. Meeting Attendance

- A. Members shall attend scheduled meetings and other called meetings
  - 1. Meetings shall be scheduled on the first Thursday of every month at 7 AM
  - 2. Meetings shall be attended in person
- B. Members may be excused from a meeting if they have an excused absence from school on the day of the meeting
  - 1. Excused absences from school follow the guidelines and procedures in the King Philip Student Handbook
  - 2. The chapter advisor shall be notified of the excused absence in writing no later than 1 week following the missed meeting
  - 3. Failure to notify the chapter advisor of an excused absence constitutes an unexcused absence
- C. Members are allowed 1 unexcused absence per school year

### II. Scholarship

- A. Members shall maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.66 or higher
- B. Members shall maintain all standards of academic integrity set forth in the King Philip Student Handbook

#### III. Service

- A. Members shall complete a minimum of 8 service hours per academic term
  - 1. All service hours shall meet the guidelines set forth in <u>Section 5</u>
  - 2. Appropriate documentation shall be provided for all service hours completed
- B. Members shall participate in at least one chapter service project by April of each school year
- C. Members shall complete an individual service project by April of each school year
  - 1. Members may collaborate in a team of no more than 3 for their service projects, as long as each member has a specific role
  - 2. Specific procedures for proposing and submitting service projects shall be set by the executive board each year

#### IV. Character

- A. Members shall follow all rules and procedures set forth in the King Philip Student Handbook
- B. Members shall be in attendance for at least 90% of class periods per term in each enrolled course

#### V. Dues

- A. Members shall pay dues each year
  - 1. Dues shall be paid within the first two months of the school year or of being inducted
  - 2. Dues amounts shall be set by the executive board

| Dues may be waived by the chapter advisor in consultation with building administration for financial hardships |
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