

Psi Alpha National Honor Society for Psychology
Palm Harbor University High School Chapter
Student Membership Application

Application Due: Last Friday in August to Mrs. Thompson (4-220).

No late applications and dues will be accepted.

Annual Dues MUST be paid online before Second Friday in September.

All Psi Alpha Online Registration MUST be COMPLETED by Third Friday in September (Email may be in spam)

Please complete all sections. Write neatly in print. Completion of this form does not guarantee selection.

Please note: According to the Chapter Constitution, members have a minimum overall GPA of 3.00, and have successfully completed **Psychology I, Psychology II, AP Psychology, AICE Psychology or IB Psychology** with a minimum of a “B” grade in the class. While a Psychology course is required, your overall academic performance will be considered when reviewing your application.

Section I: Basic Information

Select One: New Application (\$40) Renewal Application (ONLY complete Section 1 & 8)

Student’s Last Name: _____ Student’s First Name: _____

9th Grade 10th Grade 11th Grade 12th Grade

Senior Requesting Honor Cord (MUST meet all requirements, active member, and attended all meetings)

Permanent Email (Print Neatly): _____

Student Cell Phone: _____

Current Unweighted GPA: _____ Weighted GPA: _____

AP Psychology Exam Score (if it applies): _____

I am interested in holding an officer position in Psi Alpha.

What position(s) are you interested? _____

Section II: Course History

List all Psychology Courses taken to date:

Course Title	Teacher	Teacher Signature/ Guidance Signature (Verify Grade)	1 st Semester Grade (A-F)	2 nd Semester Grade (A-F)	Exam Score
Psychology I/II					N/A
AICE Psychology					
AP Psychology					
IB Psychology					

Section III: References

Students must have a minimum of two adult sponsors who certify the student has met the criteria of scholarship, leadership, service and citizenship. One MUST be a psychology teacher, others may include social studies teacher, general education, guidance counselor, school administrator, or activity or community service sponsor and not related to the student. Recommendation letters are NOT required for this application.

Psychology Teacher Reference:

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Course(s) Taken with Teacher: Psychology I Psychology II AP Psychology IB Psychology

Other Adult Reference: (Not your parent)

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Relationship: _____

Section IV: Clubs or Activities

List your top 5 clubs/activities in which you actively participated in. Include school affiliated clubs, societies, or volunteer organizations, athletic teams, musical groups, etc. in this section.

Grades (9-12)	Club/Activity	Description

Section V: Leadership

List up to three elected or appointed leadership positions held in school, community or work activities. Only those positions in which you were directly responsible for directing or motivating others should be included. For example, elected student body, class or club officer; committee chairperson; team captain; newspaper editor; work area manager; or community leader.

Grades (9-12)	Position Held	Activity

Section VII: Essay

All applicants must complete a short, typed essay as part of this application. Any application without an essay will NOT be considered. The essay must be 250-300 words. It should include any information that demonstrates your qualifications for the position, commitment to the Psi Alpha mission, and how you plan to advance the chapter. Keep in mind that there are many students applying for membership to Psi Alpha. Your essay needs to be persuasive and convincing and set you apart from other applicants.

Attach the essay to the back of this form.

Section VIII: Attestation & Signatures

I have fully completed sections 1-8 of this applications.

I understand that completing this form does not guarantee selection to Psi Alpha, and that the information presented here is accurate.

I promise that if I am accepted as a member of the PHUHS School Chapter of Psi Alpha, I will continue to achieve academic excellence, explore new topics in psychology, and uphold an interest in, understanding of and appreciation of psychology related topics.

I understand that I will need to provide a valid email address to Psi Alpha. I understand that Psi Alpha will send me a registration email and I will need to complete the registration email within 24 hours or I will NOT be accepted to Psi Alpha.

I understand that I will pay my dues on time at the PHUHS store, payments not received by the due date will NOT be accepted and I will NOT be admitted to Psi Alpha.

I understand that failure to participate in member meetings and contribution requirements including annual dues (\$40 New and \$5 Renewal per year) will result in my withdrawal from this organization and no honor cord.

Student Name (printed): _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____

I have read the following information provided by my student on this form, and can verify that it is true, accurate and complete in its presentation.

Parent/Guardian Name (printed): _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

To be considered for selection to Psi Alpha, this form must be handed to:

Mrs. Thompson (4-220) by **Application Due: Last Friday in August to Mrs. Thompson (4-220).**

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