St. Francis Preparatory School
World Languages Honor Society
Application
 **Please complete all sections. Completion of this form does not guarantee selection.**

Applicants must submit the World Languages General Application, the cultural essay, speaking video, and signature on Google Classroom.

**The Classroom code is: angy7dr.** Follow all directions on the application, and make sure to submit under your teacher’s name and assignment.

A **check for $25** must be given to your teacher **in person** in a sealed envelope with your name and COR number. Checks must be handed in no later than February 25th, 2021.

*\*Cohort C: Checks may be either handed in to your teacher in person or mailed through certified mail to the school, ATTN World Language Department*

 **ALL APPLICATIONS FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED & RETURNED TO THE TEACHER
By 3:00 P.M. February 25TH, 2021.
LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

Applicant’s name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level (please circle one): Sophomore Junior Senior

**A. Academic Requirements for the Foreign Language Honor Society**

* Cumulative 4.0 (A+)(97%) GPA in World Languages courses (NO ROUNDING UP)
* Cumulative 4.0 (A)(95%) GPA in World Language Honors courses(NO ROUNDING UP)
* Cumulative 3.3 (B+)(88%) GPA overall (NO ROUNDING UP)
* currently enrolled in a level III or IV, or Spanish II Advanced course

Cumulative High School GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

World Language Overall Average (cumulative of all years): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**B.** **Students must write a research paper about a specific country, region, or territory where the language studied is spoken, using the following format:**

* 1. Heading: (name and language)
	2. Introduction:
		+ One paragraph including: The name of the place chosen, why you are researching it, and where it’s located. **(present tense)**
	3. Body:
		+ Two paragraphs about general information, such as customs, currency, holidays, capital, peoples, language spoken, flag and importance, notable people, politics/government, religion, industries etc **(present tense)**
		+ One paragraph about food and drink **(present tense)**
		+ One paragraph about the history of the area **(past and imperfect tenses)**
	4. Conclusion:
		+ One paragraph including: What information you find interesting or important from your research **(present tense)**

All essays must be typed and double spaced.

All essays must include a separate Works Cited page.

All students must type the essay in the target language.

**C. CULTURAL SPEAKING VIDEO PRESENTATION:**

\*students may choose one of the following options instead of attending in one of the above cultural events:

* Cooking instructional video in the target language. Must include the background of the dish. Video should be between 3-5 minutes long.
* Cultural artifact show and tell. Must be in the target language. Video should be between 3-5 minutes long.
* Attend a virtual museum tour, concert, or show in the target language.

**D.** There will be a **membership fee** for World Language Inductees.  The membership fee includes the certificate, cord, and other fees associated with the event.

**A check for the Membership Fee of $25 must be provided to your teacher in person or mailed through certified mail.**

**No cash will be accepted. Checks must be made out to St. Francis Preparatory School.**

**Applications must be submitted through Google Classroom no later than February 25, 2021.**

**F. Signature Form**

I understand that I am being considered for membership in the World Languages Honor Society but that completion of this form does not guarantee acceptance. I will accept the decision of the World Languages Department charged with selecting the members and that the reasons for non-selection will not be released. I also verify that the information provided here is complete and accurate.

Student Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**\*If you need more information, please ask your teacher.**

**\*The use of translators in any part of the application will result in your disqualification from the WLHS.**