

Hononegah Community High School

SOAR Program

(Students Offering Assistance and Resources)

APPLICATION 2018-2019

To access the application form:

- Go to Hononegah Web Page (www.hononegah.org).
- On the main page, click on Student Support Services bubble.
- Click on SOAR Application.

We are excited you have decided to apply to be a SOAR member. You will find your work as a peer tutor to be very rewarding. We are looking for current sophomores who have a good work ethic and enjoy working with others to assist as peer tutors in a variety of settings.

Your application is due no later than 3:30 pm on Friday, March 9, 2018. Place your completed application in the "SOAR application" tray in the SSS office. It is expected that your application is on time. If you are absent on the due date, please call Mrs. Moore (815.624.5019) to let her know that you will email your application by 3:30 pm on March 9, 2018.

Please see Mr. Rohrer, Mr. LaMay or Mrs. Moore in the SSS office with any questions. We look forward to meeting you!

Dear Prospective Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in Hononegah's SOAR (Students Offering Assistance and Resources) Program. We are looking for students who are well rounded and active in school and/or their community. The selection process consists of the following eligibility criteria.

- 1) Student profile form and resume
- 2) Introduction paragraph/welcome letter to freshmen
- 3) Academic standing (2.8 GPA)
- 4) Attendance/discipline review (committee discretion)
- 5) Evaluation of application
- 6) 10 minute interview (April 5 and April 6)

Applicants must complete all aspects of the application process. It is the individual student's responsibility to consistently check the morning announcements for updated information regarding the selection process. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Rohrer, Mr. LaMay or Mrs. Moore in the SSS Office.

As a member of the SOAR Program you will be assigned to one of four programs:

1. 1st hour freshmen referred study hall tutoring
2. Lunch hour Check and Connect tutoring
3. Lunch hour math tutorial tutoring
4. Lunch hour English tutorial tutoring

If you are chosen as a member of SOAR, the faculty committee will make the decision on your assignment based on your skills and our needs.

Submit the completed application to the tray in the SSS office by 3:30 pm on March 9, 2018.

Late applications will NOT be accepted.

Part I – Personal Information/resume

Part II- Writing sample – attach written responses to part 1 of the application

Introduction paragraph/letter to freshman - As a tutor, you will be asked to work with students who you may not know. Please write a 2 paragraph letter to the incoming freshmen of the HCHS class of 2022. In the letter, introduce yourself to the class and welcome the students to Hononegah Community High School.

Part III- Academic standing/attendance

SOAR Advisors will review and evaluate academic standing/attendance/interview evaluation.

1. Academic standing (2.8 GPA)
2. Attendance/behavior patterns

Part IV-Interview

- Interview Evaluation -The faculty will be evaluating each applicant in the following categories:
 - ❖ Positive role model
 - ❖ Communication skills
 - ❖ Willingness to lead others-responsible to manage a group
 - ❖ Has respect for diverse ideas and personalities
 - ❖ Enthusiasm and motivation

All eligibility criteria must be met to be granted an interview. Students will be given a pass to the interview well in advance of the interview date which will indicate the time and place to report for the interview. Interviews will take place on April 5 and April 6.

Thank you for taking the time to complete the application!

SOAR APPLICATION RESUME

Name: _____

Cell phone: _____

HCHS Email: _____

T-shirt size: _____

SOAR Programs (Please list your 1st and 2nd choice)

_____ Lunch hour Check and Connect tutoring

_____ Lunch hour **English** tutoring

_____ 1st hour referred study hall tutoring

_____ Lunch hour **math** tutoring

Please list any **relevant** community service/leadership/co-curricular clubs/sports/interests/hobbies. (Add more lines if needed.)

Activity	Year(s) (frosh, soph)	Short Description	Hours per week/weeks per year	Contact person/ phone number

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