**Hillcrest High School**

**Ambassador Application Information**

The Hillcrest Ambassadors are a group of juniors and seniors selected to serve as official representatives of Hillcrest High School. The organization’s primary work is to assist the school during functions held at Hillcrest and serve our surrounding community.

 **Eligibility**

* Current sophomores and juniors must have a 3.5 GPA, or better, and no disciplinary records at HHS to be eligible to try out for the Ambassadors.

**Application Instructions and Important Information**

* **Application Form:** **Deadline is noon on Friday April 5th**.
* The list of applicants will be checked for GPA requirements and a clear disciplinary record at HHS. Those students who pass the eligibility requirements will then be voted on by the HHS faculty. Up to 40 students will advance to the interview.
* **Interview Process:** A schedule of interviews will be posted on Friday April 10th on the school office door and outside of Mrs. Beasley’s classroom (room 409). All interviews will be held during the school day on Wednesday April 17, 2024. Dress attire should be appropriate for a job interview. You must bring 3 copies of your resume with you to the interview.
* The list of the new 2024-2025 Ambassadors will be posted on the school website Wednesday night, April 17th.
* If you are selected as an Ambassador, the **fee for the year will be $60** due no later than Friday April 19, 2024.
* Uniforms will be required and this will be a large expense for each Ambassador. Expect to spend **$200-$300** on the dress uniform if selected.
* Attendance at all Ambassador Functions will be required. Numerous service hour responsibilities are to be expected and students who are too busy and/or involved in other sports and activities should consider this prior to applying.

**Hillcrest High School Ambassador Constitution**

The Hillcrest Ambassadors are the official hosts and hostesses of the school and represent the faculty, student body, and community. Being selected as a Hillcrest Ambassador places you in a leadership role where you will be expected to promote a high standard of character and demonstrate effective leadership skills. You will also be the group that provides the greatest amount of service to our school and community.

**Conduct that will remove you or make you ineligible to try out:**

* Any class 2 or 3 offense at Hillcrest High School
* Any class 1 offense while serving as an Ambassador
* Any conduct unbecoming, including, but not limited to, inappropriate pictures on any type of social media, alcohol use, drug use, or trouble with the law
* Any grade below a “C” average on a report card
* Failure to follow attendance procedures as listed below

**Attendance**

* Attendance at major Ambassador Events is mandatory. The only exceptions will be a school related absence or a doctor’s excuse. **All other absences will result in dismissal**.
* Attendance at service events that you have signed up to work are mandatory. The only exception will be a doctor’s excuse. If a conflict arises, you will be required to get a replacement Ambassador to take your place. **If you do not get a replacement, your absence will result in dismissal**.
* Each Ambassador is required to work a minimum of 4 full days in the school office during the summer.

\*Ambassador Events include but are not limited to: Summer Work Days, Ambassador Retreat, Back-to-School Registration, Spring and Fall Open House, Sports Banquets and Tournaments, Beauty Walk, Award’s Day, Graduation, Elementary School functions, and DCH functions.

**Required Fees & Uniforms**

* $60 fee
* Male Uniform: Black blazer, white dress shirt, khaki pants, black shoes, black belt, Ambassador tie
* Female Uniform: Spanx “The Perfect A-line ¾ Sleeve Dress” in Spanx True Red, black closed toe dress shoes & Pearls
* All Ambassadors: Ambassador Polo shirt, khaki pants/skirt, Ambassador T-shirt, Non-holey jeans, black gym shorts

**Print the following page and return to:**

 **Mrs. Beasley (room 409) or Mrs. Moore (room 408)**

**By Friday April 5th at NOON**

Ambassador Application Form 2024-2025

Applicant Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Current Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_\_

Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ How many days have you been absent this school year? ­\_\_\_­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­

List all extra-curricular activities you have been involved with this school year. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to spend more than ½ day off campus each semester next school year? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to have a job next school year? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ If so, your job cannot interfere with your Ambassador responsibilities and cannot be used as an excused absence.

What is your favorite course you have taken at HHS, and why? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Who is your favorite teacher at HHS, and why? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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By signing below, you are stating that:

* You understand the application eligibility requirements.
* You understand the deadline for the application form is noon on April 5th
* You understand that having a job cannot be used as an excused absence.
* You understand a maximum of 40 students will receive an interview.
* You understand 3 resume copies are required on the interview day.
* You understand the yearly fee ($60) for the Ambassadors is due April 19th
* You understand the new Ambassador uniforms could cost up to $300 for the year.
* You understand each Ambassador must work a minimum of 4 full days in the summer.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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