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## How do I become part of it?

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- See Mrs. Hott in room 403 for more information or go online to download all necessary application forms and information:  
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- Call 304-822-5016 ext. 1034 or email [rhott@k12.wv.us](mailto:rhott@k12.wv.us) for further information
- Application deadline: October 11, 2022

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