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2026 National Honor Alliance Literary Awards

ENTRY FORM  
Deadline for Submissions: January 25, 2026  
Winners Announced: February 2026

# Entrant Information

Name (Person Submitting Entry): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (All contest communication will be sent to this email – please print clearly)

# Book Information

Full Book Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Author Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Publisher Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Website (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

ISBN-13 (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Categories (Select One or More)

See full category descriptions at NationalHonorAlliance.org

## 📚 Fiction Categories

- Fiction – General

- Fiction – Historical

- Fiction – Mystery / Suspense / Thriller

- Fiction – Fantasy

- Fiction – Science Fiction

- Fiction – Horror

- Fiction – Romance

- Fiction – Women’s Fiction

- Fiction – Multicultural

- Fiction – LGBTQ+

- Fiction – Inspirational / Religious

- Fiction – Young Adult

- Fiction – New Adult

- Fiction – Short Story / Anthology

- Fiction – Novella / Novelette

## 📖 Non-Fiction Categories

- Non-Fiction – General

- Non-Fiction – Narrative / Creative Non-Fiction

- Biography – General

- Autobiography / Memoir

- Non-Fiction – Inspirational / Motivational

- Non-Fiction – Multicultural

- Non-Fiction – LGBTQ+

- Non-Fiction – Parenting & Family

- Non-Fiction – Business / Leadership

- Non-Fiction – Education / Academic

- Non-Fiction – History (General, Military, or U.S.)

- Non-Fiction – True Crime

- Non-Fiction – Sports

- Non-Fiction – Social Change / Current Affairs

## ✒️ Poetry Categories

- Poetry – General

- Poetry – Narrative

- Poetry – Contemporary

- Poetry – Religious / Spiritual

## 👶 Children’s & Young Readers

- Children’s – Picture Book

- Children’s – Fiction

- Children’s – Non-Fiction

- Children’s – Educational

- Children’s – Interactive

## 🌟 Legacy & Special Categories

- Legacy – Fiction (any genre, pre-2021 titles)

- Legacy – Non-Fiction (any genre, pre-2021 titles)

- Best Cover Design – Fiction

- Best Cover Design – Non-Fiction

- Debut Author – Fiction

- Debut Author – Non-Fiction

# Entry Fees

$35 per title/per category  
Example: One book in two categories = $70

Individual Payment Transactions are required for multiple categories

☑ I paid online (at NationalHonorAlliance.com)

Email address used for payment: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

# Submission Checklist

- Completed Entry Form (this page)

- Entry fee processed online

- PDF copy of your book (include cover)

- Press Release or Marketing Material (optional, if available)

📧 Email all materials to: **team@nationalhonoralliance.com**

# Rules & Guidelines

- Entries must be submitted on or before January 25, 2026.

- Winners and finalists announced February 2026.

- Eligible books: publication years 2021–2026 (Legacy titles may be earlier).

- English-language submissions only. ISBN required for published titles (not required for manuscripts).

- All rights remain with the author.

- All sales are final. Submissions are deleted from the entry database after the competition concludes.

# Agreement

I certify that the information provided is accurate, and I agree to abide by the contest rules.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_\_