

National Honor Society Selection Process

What is Required for Selection?

- Students will be notified in the fall of their junior or senior year if they are academically eligible (3.5 cumulative GPA or higher) for National Honor Society membership.
 - Information meeting will be held the first week of school
 - Announcements about meeting and process are made during the school day
 - All students arriving late or leaving early must check written announcements
- All academically eligible students will receive a Google Classroom invitation by email where all information is posted.
- To be considered, all students must
 - Complete the Student Information Form
 - Submit two teachers' names for recommendation
 - Obtain signatures on the Candidate Waiver
- An anonymous panel of teachers will review the forms, evaluating *character, leadership, and service*.

How do I Complete and Submit the Forms?

- The Student Information Worksheet must be typed and submitted through Google Classroom. **No handwritten or e-mailed worksheets will be accepted.**
 - Include the names of two teachers that you request complete a recommendation on your behalf
- Candidate Waiver forms must be **printed** and then completed.
 - Candidate Waivers must be signed by you and a parent or guardian and returned to Mrs. Hejazifar.
- To be considered for membership, **all** documentation must be submitted by the deadline, which is posted on Google Classroom, the application, and announced at school.
- Plan ahead! Do not wait until the last minute to begin working on your forms.

When Will I Hear Something?

- You will be notified sometime during the 3rd or 4th week of September.
- The induction ceremony will take place in October.

Anything Else I Should Know?

- Remember! Late forms will not be accepted.
- Read the directions on the forms carefully.
- Your forms are **anonymous**. The selection committee *does not* know whose form belongs to whom.
- Completion of the forms **does not** guarantee membership
- There is not a required number of service hours. The selection committee wants to see a **variety** of activities and that you took the initiative to complete them.
- The principal and advisor are **not** voting members of the selection committee.
- Be **complete** and **thorough**. Have a couple of different people look over your information form before you submit it. Maybe they'll help you remember something.
- If you are a post-secondary student, or are planning to become a post-secondary student as a senior, please be aware that you **must** participate in all of our organizational activities. It will be your responsibility to keep in touch with me and stay involved with the group.
- Selection guidelines and the National Honor Society By-laws can be found on NHS Google Classroom site and the school webpage.