

National Junior Honor Society at High Mountain School



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What is the NJHS?

The NJHS is for students who:

- Are enthusiastic to learn and excel in all **scholastic** areas
- Enjoy being of **service** to their communities and others
- Are strong positive role models and **leaders**
- Take strides to develop **character**
- Encourage good **citizenship** in other students

Thank you!

- North Haledon Education Foundation
- Ms. Bouma and Ms. Conover

Eligibility:

- Cumulative grade point average of a 95% or higher
 - This will be reviewed at the end of Grade 6 and again at the end of Grade 7
 - Student must have been enrolled for at least one semester
- Demonstrate sound and effective leadership, admirable citizenship, and trustworthy character in and out of school
- Transferable from school to school

Application Process

- Students who meet the academic criteria are provided an application packet to be considered for NJHS
 - Student activity form
 - Letter of Recommendation - from outside source
 - Subjective Letter - from student
 - Teacher Evaluations - from three current teachers

Internal Review

- After due date for application packets:
 - Faculty Council
 - Five members - appointed by Principal
 - Principal and advisors cannot be voting members
 - Review all packets anonymously
 - Review “Student as a Whole” to the five pillars outlined by National Standards
 - Information compiled on rubric
 - Notification to students of status

Induction

- Induction Ceremony to be held annually in late Spring
- Students given Emblem adopted by National Honor Society
- Grade 8 members given privilege of wearing honor cord at graduation

Year at a Glance

- Monthly mandatory meetings
- Annual dues
- Election of four officers (Grade 8 Members)
- One or more service projects
 - Fulfill a need in school or community
 - Have support of the administration and faculty
 - Appropriate and educationally defensible
 - Well planned, organized and executed

Student Responsibilities:

- Attend NJHS Induction Ceremony
- Pay chapter dues of \$20 per school year
- Mandatory Monthly Meetings
- Community Service Projects
- Maintain 95% cumulative Grade Point Average - reviewed twice per year
- Promote and exhibit positive, model behavior



We look forward to bringing this honor and opportunity to the students of High Mountain School