

Selection Process for NJHS/NHS

SELECTION OF MEMBERS

Section 1

The selection of members to this chapter shall be by a majority vote of the Faculty Council consisting of five faculty members appointed by the assistant director. The chapter advisor shall be the sixth, non-voting member of the Faculty Council. Selection to the National Honor Society/National Junior Honor Society is a privilege, not a right.

Section 2

Prior to selection, the following shall occur:

- A. Students' academic records shall be reviewed to determine scholastic eligibility. If the student is in Grade 8 or above, academic eligibility will be based on the cumulative GPA. If the student is in 7th grade, their eligibility will be based on their GPA from Quarter 1.
- B. Students who are eligible scholastically ("candidates") shall be notified and invited to complete and submit the Student Activity Information Form for further consideration for selection. This form must be completed and submitted to the advisor by the deadline listed on the invitation. Any requests for exceptions to meeting the deadline should be presented to the NHS/NJHS advisor.
- C. The faculty members shall be requested to evaluate the candidates who are determined to be scholastically eligible, using the official evaluation form provided by the chapter adviser.
- D. The Faculty Council shall review the Student Activity Information Form and faculty evaluations in order to determine membership.

Section 3

Candidates become members when inducted at a special ceremony held during the second quarter.

Section 4

Once selected and inducted, all members are expected to maintain the standards by which they were selected and maintain all obligations of membership.

Section 5

An active member of the National Honor Society or National Junior Honor Society who transfers



from this school will be given, upon request, a letter indicating the status of his or her

membership and signed by the principal or chapter adviser.

Section 6

An active member of the National Honor Society or National Junior Honor Society who transfers to this school during the school year will be automatically accepted for membership in this chapter. The Faculty Council shall grant to the transferring member one quarter to attain the membership requirements and, thereafter, this member must maintain those requirements for this chapter in order to retain his or her membership.