

NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY



INDUCTION CRITERIA

GRADE LEVEL: Students in grades 7 and 8 are eligible for consideration into La Salle Academy's Chapter of the National Junior Honor Society.

<u>SCHOLARSHIP:</u> The student who demonstrates scholarship has...

- 92.5% GPA
- Once inducted into the NJHS, students must maintain the required 92.5% GPA. Failure to do so will result in the student being placed on academic probation until the next marking period. If the student's GPA does not meet the standard for a second time, he/she will be dismissed from the NJHS and will not be eligible for membership again.

LEADERSHIP: The student who exercises leadership...

- Demonstrates leadership in promoting school activities.
- Active membership in at least one La Salle Group or Sport Organizations and/or a Community Sports / Arts Program.
- Exercises influence on peers in upholding school ideals.
- Contributes ideas that improve the life of the school.
- Exemplifies positive attitudes.
- Inspires positive behaviors in others.
- Demonstrates reliability and responsibility.

SERVICE: The student who serves...

- Completes at least 10 hours of church/community service.
- Participates in some out-of-school activity (Girl/Boy Scouts, church groups, volunteer organizations, etc.).
- Is gladly available and offers assistance.
- Is willing to make sacrifices in rendering services.
- Cheerfully and enthusiastically renders service at home.
- Works well with others and is willing to take on responsibility.
- Shows courtesy by assisting and greeting visitors, teachers, and other students.

CHARACTER: The student with character...

- Consistently exemplifies desirable qualities of behavior.
- Takes criticism willingly and accepts recommendations graciously.
- Demonstrates the highest standards of honesty and reliability.
- Shows courtesy, concern, and respect for others and their property.
- Avoids cheating in written work.
- Observes rules concerning punctuality, responsibility, and truthfulness.
- No excessive absenteeism/tardiness.

Character is an integral component of the NJHS. Students who earn ONE detention will be placed on disciplinary probation, and a SECOND detention will result in dismissal from the NJHS.

<u>CITIZENSHIP:</u> The student who demonstrates citizenship...

- Understands the importance of civic involvement.
- Has high regard for freedom, justice, and respect for fellow human beings.