

NHS SELECTION PROCESS

- Students may not apply for membership.
- The faculty council reviews academically eligible students in the tenth and eleventh grade.
- To be academically eligible, a student must have a **4.50** GPA and have taken or be taking an average of **three** honors level or higher courses per year.
- All teachers evaluate all academically eligible students in scholarship, service, leadership and character.
- Official **discipline reports (including tardy sweep)** from the administration are obtained for each student undergoing review.
- Students must demonstrate examples of **leadership** (which includes participation in **2** or more extracurricular activities (sports, clubs, band...) and /Or community organizations (one of which should be school based)), **service**, and **character** in an information form that the student completes.
- Based on all information available, the faculty council selects the students who are invited to become members of the James Island Chapter of the National Honor Society.
- To maintain membership members are required to attend $\frac{3}{4}$ of all meetings, fully participate in the chapter service projects (2-4 hrs/each, 4 per year, 1 per 9 weeks), earn 9 individual service hours (NOT including the Chapter service Project) / 9 weeks, maintain a **4.50** GPA, no referrals or disciplinary actions that result in ICE or OSS or academic dishonesty, and meet financial and fundraising obligations.

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