



SWITZERLAND POINT MIDDLE SCHOOL NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY



7TH GRADE APPLICATION INFORMATION

Please follow these instructions so that your name may be placed before the Faculty Selection Committee to be considered for membership into the Switzerland Point Chapter of the National Junior Honor Society.

Checklist:

- _____ Complete and return the NJHS Application Form to Ms. Smith in Room 410
- _____ Attach your 7th grade 1st quarter report card.
To be a member of NJHS, you must have a 3.25 grade point average in your 4 academic classes. Please print a screenshot of your 7th grade first quarter grades from HAC and staple it to the back of this application.
- _____ Gently tear off the three Recommendation Forms and distribute them to THREE teachers you have this year.
 - Be sure to *neatly* write your FIRST and LAST name, your HOMEROOM teacher, and your grade level on each Recommendation Form before giving it to a teacher.
 - Recommendation Forms will go directly to the Faculty Selection Committee.
 - Make sure you give teachers a day to fill them out (distribute by Oct 27th)

The above stated requirements are due no later than **October 28th, 2022.**

- ❖ Applicants will not be considered for membership unless all requirements are met by the due date.
- ❖ Turn in your completed Application Form and your Report Card to Ms. Smith in Room 410

New members that are selected for membership to NJHS will be posted on the glass block windows across from the Main Office on **November 3rd, 2022.**

Our **Induction Ceremony** for new members will be **November 17th at 6PM**

**Switzerland Point Middle School
National Junior Honor Society Application**

Name

Grade Level

Homeroom Teacher

Membership in the Switzerland Point Middle School Chapter of the National Junior Honor Society is both an honor and a responsibility. Should you be selected by the Faculty Selection Committee for membership, you must demonstrate superior qualities of scholarship, service, leadership, and character. As a member in good standing, you will be expected to continue to demonstrate, develop, and strengthen these qualities through your participation in chapter service projects, activities, and meetings.

I. Scholarship

- Applicant must attach required report cards showing a 3.25 grade point average in all academic classes.
- Applicant must demonstrate academic initiative and maintain a 3.25 average throughout the duration of membership.

II. Service

- Applicant is expected to participate in a fundraiser that will raise money for a charity and/or school-improvement project.
- Applicant is expected to complete community/academic service hours. Eighth graders must have a total of 12 service hours and seventh graders must have a total of 10 service hours. Service hours must be completed **before February 10, 2023**, in order to participate in our NJHS field trip.

III. Leadership

- Applicant must demonstrate leadership in promoting school activities, contribute ideas that improve the civic life of the school, exemplify a positive attitude, be dependable, and be a role model for peers.

IV. Character

- Applicant must consistently uphold principles of morality, ethics, kindness, reliability, and trustworthiness. In addition, the applicant must agree to observe school rules and show courtesy, concern, and respect for others.

Additional Responsibilities:

- ✓ To enroll in and maintain a fully academic curriculum.
- ✓ To attend regular, special, and committee meetings.
- ✓ To participate in NJHS special projects.
- ✓ To actively demonstrate and develop qualities of leadership, service, and character.
- ✓ To pay annual dues, not to exceed \$20.

I, _____, have read and agree to uphold the qualities of an NJHS member. I agree to uphold all requirements of Scholarship, Service, Leadership, and Character.

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Student's Cell Number

Parent's Cell Number

Parent's Name

SPMS NJHS Teacher Recommendation Form

Name: _____ Homeroom teacher _____ Grade _____

This student is being considered for membership in our chapter of the National Junior Honor Society. Please use the following scale to best describe the student in each area. Please be as accurate as possible. This form will remain confidential.

Do not return this form to the student.

Please put this Recommendation Form in

- **7th Grade – Ms. Shelby Smith’s mailbox.**
- **8th Grade – Ms. Etheridge’s mailbox.**

4 – Outstanding
3 – Average

2 – Weak
1 – Poor

N/O – Not Observed

	4	3	2	1	N/O
Service					
Willingness to serve our school and community					
Ready to assist peers, teachers, staff					
Leadership					
Shows positive roles of leadership inside and outside of the classroom					
Leads in organizing activities or classroom stations					
Takes responsibility for actions and choices					
Character					
Upholds all obligations and follows thru with action					
Shows high standards of integrity					
Shows concern for others					

I recommend _____ I do not recommend _____ this student for SPMS’s chapter of NJHS.

Teacher Signature _____

Teacher: PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM NO LATER THAN October 28th, 2022.

Thank you for taking the time to complete this recommendation form.
If you have any concerns or questions, please contact Ms. Etheridge or Ms. Smith

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