

National Honor Society Membership Selection Guide and Scoring Procedure

Category 1- SCHOLARSHIP

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20 points= 3.5 GPA or better
5 points=Honors program student

Quality when they receive initial letter

(Points of 0, 1, 3, or 5 will be awarded for each letter in the following three categories)

Category 2- LEADERSHIP

- A. Demonstrates leadership in promoting school activities, contributes ideas that improve the civic life of the school
- B. Exercises influence on peers in upholding school ideals
- C. Exemplifies positive attitudes, inspires positive behavior in others
- D. Successfully holds school offices or positions of responsibility, conducting business efficiently and effectively, demonstrating reliability and dependability
- 20 E. Demonstrates leadership in the classroom, at work and in school or community

Category 3-SERVICE

- A. Participates in some outside activity, such as Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, church groups, volunteer services, service organizations
- B. Volunteers dependable, well-organized assistance, does committee and staff work uncomplainingly, is willing to sacrifice to offer assistance
- C. Works well with others and is willing to take on difficult or inconspicuous tasks
- D. Represents the school or class in inter-class or inter-scholastic activities and competitions
- 20 E. Assists visitors, teachers, support personnel, and students both in and out of school

Category 4-CHARACTER

- A. Attendance is exemplary (no excessive tardies, unexcused absences...etc...)
- B. Takes constructive criticism willingly and accepts recommendations graciously
- C. Upholds principles of morality and ethics, demonstrates high standards of honesty reliability, and integrity, and consistently exemplifies desirable qualities of behavior
- D. Shows concern, courtesy, and respect for others
- E. Cooperates by complying with school regulations concerning property, programs, office, halls, classrooms, etc...
- 20 F. Observes instructions and rules, manifests truthfulness in acknowledging obedience to rules, avoids cheating, plagiarism, and demonstrates unwillingness to profit by the mistakes of others

*A minimum total of seventy-five points is suggested for membership approval. The final decision for approval of each candidate for membership to the Vermillion National Honor Society is by a majority vote of the faculty council. For more information about these or other rules and procedures, please contact Mrs. Kozak (National Honor Society Adviser)

85 possible points