



National Junior Classical League LATIN HONOR SOCIETY

The National Junior Classical League (NJCL) Latin Honor Society is a special designation given to Junior Classical League students who have demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and citizenship in Latin class.

The NJCL is an organization of junior and senior high school students sponsored by the American Classical League. It is composed of local and state or provincial chapters and is the largest Classical organization in the world today. Its purpose is to encourage an interest in and an appreciation of the language, literature and culture of ancient Greece and Rome and to impart an understanding of the debt of our own culture to that of Classical antiquity. NJCL Latin Honor Society induction matters because it shows prospective colleges and employers that a student values high academic achievement according to national standards for Latin and has maintained proper citizenship.

Colleges especially value language honor society induction because they are eager to accept students who challenge themselves in meaningful courses and who succeed. The Latin Honor Society membership is earned annually based on student performance.

ELIGIBILITY: To be eligible for membership in the Latin Honor Society, students must be members in good standing of the National Junior Classical League; good standing means being registered with both the state and national organizations. Students must be in their junior or senior year of high school and have maintained an A average in every quarter of their current Latin course. Students are also required to exemplify good citizenship and demonstrate an excellent work ethic.

FEES: The annual fee for the Latin Honor Society is \$5.00 per student. (This includes membership fee for National Junior Classical League as well).

PROCESS: Teacher nominates eligible students, collects dues, and completes registration for the society through the Classical League website.