



The National Technical Honor Society is excited to announce their partnership with the Law & Public Safety Education Network (LAPSEN) to enhance recognition for Career & Technical Education students enrolled in Law & Public Safety coursework.

NTHS serves as the honor society for Career and Technical Education and by being recognized as a member of NTHS, students know their efforts to excel in their pathway have been recognized at a national level. With the opportunity to qualify for the LAPSEN endorsement on their NTHS membership, students in a Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security (LPSCS) Career Cluster pathway are now getting industry specific recognition for their performance in that field.

LAPSEN is the premiere support organization for the Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security Career Cluster (LPSCS) in secondary education. It exists to help develop and support LPSCS career education programs through curriculum development, students and instructor certifications, instructor training, program assessment and certification, and assistance in developing and improving LPSCS career programs. Learn more at [LAPSEN.org](https://www.lapsen.org).

What is the LAPSEN Endorsement?

Current and newly nominated NTHS members who have excelled in the Law, Public Safety, Corrections and Security (LPSCS) Career Cluster can qualify to add the LAPSEN Endorsement to their NTHS membership. With LAPSEN being a leading national organization focused on developing quality LPSCS programs that prepare students for careers in those fields, the endorsement signals a student's dedication and commitment to excellence in the LPSCS Career Cluster.

In addition to NTHS membership requirements, students must also meet the following LAPSEN criteria:

- ✓ 85 or higher on a numeric scale or a 3.0 GPA in all Law & Public Safety courses
- ✓ 75 or higher on a numeric scale or a 2.0 GPA overall for all coursework
- ✓ Recommendation of their current or previous Law & Public Safety instructor
- ✓ Completed at least 1.5 units of Law & Public Safety coursework
- ✓ No disciplinary actions in the last year

Students receiving the LAPSEN endorsement will have access to the following benefits ...

- ☆ All NTHS Member Benefits
- ☆ NTHS Membership portfolio
- ☆ Access to nearly \$300,000 in scholarships
- ☆ Letters of Recommendation
- ☆ Partner Discounts
- ☆ Opportunity to access the NTHS Career Readiness Portal which includes career exploration tools, employability skills training and micro-credentials, and employer connections.
- ☆ LAPSEN Endorsement seal on your NTHS membership certificate
- ☆ LAPSEN Endorsement diploma seal
- ☆ LAPSEN Endorsement bumper sticker
- ☆ Automatic entry into the \$500 LAPSEN Endorsement only scholarship
- ☆ Ability to order the LAPSEN Medallion.

