# Pearland Junior High South
# National Junior Honor Society
# Selection Standards

Membership Process:

**All Applicants:**

- Current seventh grade student in the Spring semester
- Must have a 90 or higher in ALL courses for ALL grading periods T1, T2 & T3 (S1 grade will not be considered for the application process)
- Must have an S or E in citizenship for ALL grading periods T1, T2, & T3
- Must not have served ISS, OSS, or ALA during current school year
- Must complete 6 hours of community service during the current school year prior to application submission.
- Have demonstrated the qualities of the NJHS pillars (Character, Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Citizenship).

Upon meeting eligibility criteria, candidates shall then be considered based on their service, leadership, character, and citizenship. However, the NJHS academic council reserves the right to review candidate information forms, faculty input, and other relevant information to determine those who fully meet the selection criteria for membership.

The NJHS academic council shall also reserve the right to award honorary membership to students who warrant special consideration—including those who receive accommodations for a disability or foreign exchange students—in recognition of achievement and/or outstanding service rendered to the school in keeping with the purposes of the National Honor Society.

**After induction, to remain a member of NJHS members must:**

• You may earn up to 10 volunteer hours over the summer, but the 20 remaining hours need to be earned over the course of the 2026-2027 school year.
• Regularly attend NJHS meetings.
• Maintain the NJHS pillars of scholarship, leadership, character, service, and citizenship.

Students who accept membership and are inducted into the chapter should be aware of the time and commitment involved with this honor.

The information submitted will be reviewed thoroughly by the Faculty Council. We are interested in students who are willing to exert the time and effort to complete the packet.

All fully completed information packets along with a copy of your last report card must be returned to Mrs. Summerall in room 2022 on or before 4:00 pm on **Fridayday, April 10, 2026**, for consideration as a candidate in the National Junior Honor Society. Any information packet that is not fully completed and returned by **Friday**, **April 10, 2026, at 4:00 pm** will not be accepted, NO EXCEPTIONS. It is your responsibility to be thorough, honest, and accurate. If you have any questions, please take the time to visit with Mrs. Summerall.

Failure to comply with these standards will reflect negatively on your potential induction into the National Junior Honor Society.

# Pearland Junior High South National Junior Honor Society Application




_____ _____
Full Name (Last, First Middle) ID Number

_____
Name you prefer (if different from above)

_____
Mailing Address

_____
City State ZIP Code

_____ _____
Phone (home) (cell)

_____
Parent E-mail Address

_____
Student School Email Address

# CHARACTER

A candidate must be able to demonstrate an outstanding record of conduct and behavior with regard to school and community rules, guidelines, and policies.

1. During your time at PJHS, have you ever received a conduct mark lower than satisfactory or attended a teacher or lunch detention?

2. During your time at PJHS, have you ever been placed in In-School Suspension (ISS) or the Alternative Learning Academy (ALA)?

If you answered yes to any of the questions above, please explain.

**National Honor Society Student Activity Information Form**

Directions: Please Complete all sections. Do not be modest. Every bit of information can be used by the faculty to assist with your evaluation. Please clearly print your information below.

1. **List all school related clubs, teams, and extracurricular activities in which you participated during 7th grade.**

2. **List community activities in which you participated after you started junior high school and note any major accomplishments in each. These should be activities outside of school in which you participated for the betterment of your community (ex. church groups, clubs sponsored outside of school, Boy or Girl Scouts, volunteer groups, or community art endeavors).**

## Essay Question:

3. **In 250-300 words: Please answer the following question:**

**Explain the characteristics you believe a member of the National Junior Honor Society should possess, and how do you feel that you meet those characteristics? You may write this on a separate sheet of paper.**

You must have a parent/guardian sign the following affidavit. All information will be cross-checked with discipline reports provided by the school.

I confirm that the information given by, _____, is honest and consistent.

_____ _____
Parent/Guardian's Signature Date

**SIGNATURES**

I understand that completing and submitting this form does not guarantee selection to the National Junior Honor Society. I attest that the information presented here is complete and accurate. If selected, I agree to abide by the standards and guidelines of the chapter and to fulfill all of my membership obligations to the best of my ability.

_____ _____
Student Signature Date

I have read the information provided by my son/daughter on this form and can verify that it is true, accurate, and complete.

_____ _____
Parent Signature Date

**Return completed forms along with a copy of your report card to room 2022 by 4:00 pm on Friday, April 10, 2026.**

Questions about this form or membership in general can be answered by contacting

Mrs. Summerall
Pearland Junior High South
NJHS Sponsor
summerallh@pearlandisd.org