

National Junior Honor Society

The criterion for this organization is set by the National Junior Honor Society and the East Islip Middle School National Junior Honor Society Chapter. The purpose of this organization shall be to create enthusiasm for scholarships, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, to develop character, and to encourage good citizenship in the students at secondary schools.

The requirements for membership are scholarship and outstanding character. Students must obtain a cumulative GPA of at least 95% for seven (7) quarters. As defined by the National Junior Honor Society, a student of good character upholds principles of morality and ethics, is cooperative, demonstrates high standards of honesty and reliability, shows courtesy, concern, and respect for others and generally maintains a good and clean lifestyle. Selection for membership is by a Faculty Council and is based on outstanding scholarship, leadership, service, character, and citizenship. Once selected, members have the responsibility to continue to demonstrate these qualities. Throughout the application process, nominations should be based on the following character traits: honesty, respect for others, reliability, academic responsibility, attitude, and cooperation.

Students must maintain a 91% GPA, complete at least 10 hours per quarter, display ongoing leadership and citizenship qualities and uphold an overall good moral character, to be considered members in good standing.