

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY STAR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL CHAPTER

REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF MEMBERSHIP, 2026-27

The National Honor Society was founded in 1921 by the National Association of Secondary School Principals to recognize and encourage academic achievement as well as develop characteristics vital for citizenship in a democracy. The ideals of scholarship, character, service and leadership are as relevant today as they were in 1921.

If you are accepted for membership, you are expected to continue to display these traits described in the above information. In addition, you are also required

- To pay chapter dues of \$20. These dues will be paid to the Main Office AFTER you have been accepted and invited to join. You will bring the receipt to Ms. Stauffer or Mr. Fullmer by May 13, 2026.
- To participate and volunteer at least 5 hrs per trimester in service and group activities (up to two of those hours per trimester can come from individual service outside of NHS sponsored events).
- To maintain a cumulative 3.75 GPA

The following are requirements to be considered for membership in the National Honor Society. Remember, selection is a privilege, not a right.

•To be in your junior or senior year and to have been at SVHS for at least a year.

- To have maintained a GPA in high school of 3.75 (no rounding up).
- To have demonstrated leadership through positive and ambitious attitude in and out of school and by participation in organizations, activities, and teams.
- To have rendered service to the school and community, either as an individual or through school or non-school organizations.
- To have, at all times, demonstrated good character through the six pillars of character: respect, responsibility, truth, worthiness, fairness, caring and citizenship.

If you would like to be considered for induction into membership in this most prestigious organization, you should

•Agree to have your scholarship, character, service and leadership examined and evaluated by your teachers and by the faculty council.

•Complete the resume for application completely and thoroughly. (Incompleteness evidence will be looked on negatively as to consideration for membership.)

•Submit the resume (new members) and application by **Thursday, Apr 30, by 4 p.m. to Ms Stauffer or Mr Fullmer.**

•Be willing to attend mandatory society meetings when called during the school year. **If you qualify for membership, you will**

•Receive notification of membership within a week and pay your membership dues

- Participate in service projects, such as helping with Special Olympics, gathering goods for local food banks, and working in food banks. All can also be listed on a future resume or scholarship/college application.

