

NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

Beaver Creek teachers, parents, and staff celebrate the outstanding abilities and accomplishments of our students. Starting in 2012 a banner is hung each year in the cafeteria with the names of NJHS members. Students in 7th and 8th grade who meet the following criteria are invited to apply for membership in National Junior Honor Society:

Scholarship: An 87% grade point average is required for application into NJHS

Subject grades used: English Language arts, Math, Science, and Social Studies

Time frame: Nominees for NJHS are chosen after the second or third quarter

Grades: Checked from the last semester (3rd and 4th quarters) of 6th grade through date of application. One overall average is calculated (must be 87%+)

1. Students who have 87%+ automatically receive an application for NJHS
2. When all applications are in, a 5-person faculty committee, made up of 7th and 8th grade teachers and staff members who know the students, meets.
3. The faculty committee looks at each application and votes to accept members.

The Faculty uses the following guidelines for reviewing applications:

Character: Do they exhibit the positive aspects of character, including honesty, responsibility, fairness, courtesy, tolerance, and cooperation?

Leadership: Do they show POSITIVE leadership with their peers and younger students?

Citizenship: Do they participate willingly? Do they volunteer to help out? Do they have respect for the school?

Service: What contributions have they made to school (sports, clubs, student council, etc.) or to the community?