



LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL WESTLAND

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National Honor Society

Dear NHS Nominee,

Congratulations! Based on your excellent 5 semester cumulative GPA, you are eligible to apply for membership into Lutheran High Westland's National Honor Society.

What is the Honor Society?

It is a way to reward and recognize students who have impacted Lutheran High in a positive way and to involve those students in additional service events.

What is needed to be accepted into the group?

A member must have BOTH academic achievement AND positive Christian character qualities.

- The student must have a minimum 3.5 cumulative GPA based on 5 semesters at LHW
- The student must exhibit exemplary Christian character qualities

What do NHS members do?

Members complete service projects (in the past: Lutheran World Relief boxcar loading and volunteering at Regional Special Olympics). NHS members wear honor cords at graduation.

How does a student apply?

Candidates who believe they have demonstrated the group's leadership, character, and service ideals submit an application form documenting their school and community activities.

- 1) **APPLICATION FORM:** Students are encouraged to use the electronic version of the application available in WORD format from <http://www.lhw.lhsa.com> under Guidance and then Honor Society. Students fill in the tables and print the completed form. *(Students may wish to save this file for use with college applications and scholarships.)*. A student may complete the paper version included in this mailing.
- 2) **DEADLINE** Student returns the form to the Main Office by **Tuesday, April 12 @ 3:00 pm**.
- 3) **SELECTION PROCESS**
 - A faculty committee reviews the application forms - A majority vote is needed to be admitted
 - The faculty committee looks for students who **meet or exceed** the high character standards listed. It is possible that a student with average scores may not be admitted
 - Students who are denied admission are informed of their low scoring areas. They may work to improve those areas and may reapply senior year
 - Students may be removed from NHS if character or GPA standards are not maintained
- 4) **DECISION** All applicants will be informed of the results in April.

Sincerely,

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March 28
Nomination
Packets to
Students

April 12
Application
Deadline

April 19
Results
announced

Wed May 11
Induction
ceremony at
Academic
Awards Night
7:00pm



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