



2022-2023

**HONOR SOCIETY
OPPORTUNITIES**

HIGH SCHOOL EAST / HIGH SCHOOL WEST
SMITHTOWN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 11-12

Department: *Schoolwide*

HSE Advisor: *Ms. Zeitlin*

HSW Advisors: *Ms. Abbott &*

Mr. Limoli

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *3.75 (weighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Recommendation(s): *One from a former or current teacher and one from a former or current community sponsor*
- Course Requirements: *Students must have completed at least one semester at High School East or High School West*
- Additional Requirements: *Students must complete an application detailing their experiences of leadership, community service, honors and awards, and co-curricular activities. Additionally, students will complete a personal statement as part of their application.*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *Quarter 1*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *Spring*

NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 10-12

Department: *Art*

HSE Advisor: *Mr. Lauto*

HSW Advisor: *Mr. Halem*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *None*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *B (3.0) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school art courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *One from a former or current art teacher*
- Course Requirements: *Students must have completed at least one semester of high school art at High School East or High School West*
- Additional Requirements: *Students must submit three works of art*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *Spring*

NYS BUSINESS HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 10-12

Department: *Business*

HSE Advisor: *Mr. Costello & Ms. Kelly*

HSW Advisors: *Mr. Como &*

Ms. Torlentino

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *None*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) for regular and B+ (3.3) average for college level business courses (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school business courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *None*
- Course Requirements: *Students must have at least three credits in business by the end of the school year they are inducted*
- Additional Requirements: *Students must have competed in at least one Business Olympics, attend eight meetings by the induction, complete ten hours of community service, participate in School of Business events, and attend the Business Etiquette Dinner*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September (first semester) and February (second semester)*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *Spring*

NATIONAL ENGLISH HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 10-12

Department: *English*

HSE Advisor: *Ms. Stavrou*

HSW Advisor: *Mr. Kirchenko*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B (3.0) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school English courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *One from a former or current English teacher*
- Course Requirements: *Students must have at least two core English credits by the end of the school year they are inducted*
- Additional Requirements: *Students must have attended High School East or High School West for at least one semester, must not have been referred for serious misconduct or academic dishonesty, and must submit a writing sample with their application.*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *Quarter 2*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *Quarter 4*

NATIONAL MATHEMATICS HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 9-12

Department: *Mathematics*

HSE Advisors: *Ms. Boccio-McComb & Ms. Schoepflin*

HSW Advisors: *Ms. Buttice & Mr. Robinson*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing mathematics courses (including those taken in middle school)*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *None*
- Course Requirements: *Students must have completed Algebra 1, and Geometry or Geometry Honors*
- Additional Requirements: *Following initial acceptance in the fall, students must participate in honor society activities to be eligible for final acceptance*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *October*

TRI-M MUSIC HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 9-12

Department: *Music*

HSE Advisor: *Mr. McCoy*
HSW Advisor: *Mr. Cotignola*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B (3.0) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A (4.0) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school music courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *One from a former or current music teacher*
- Course Requirements: *Students must be enrolled in at least one music course*
- Additional Requirements: *Students must perform a Level 6 NYSSMA solo with a score of at least 90 or higher*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September and May*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *June*

NYS SCIENCE HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 11-12

Department: *Science*

HSE Advisor: *Mr. Bennett*

HSW Advisor: *Mr. Warner*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - *Courses counted in GPA calculation: All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) (unweighted)*
 - *Courses counted in GPA calculation: All high school credit bearing science courses (including those taken in middle school)*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *Two from former or current science teachers*
- Course Requirements: *Students must have completed at least two credits of Regents-level science courses or higher*
- Additional Requirements: *None*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *November*

RHO KAPPA HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 10-12

Department: *Social Studies*

HSE Advisor: *Mr. Minton*

HSW Advisor: *Ms. Cleary &*

Ms. Havranek

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) (unweighted)*
 - *Courses counted in GPA calculation: All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *B (3.0) (unweighted)*
 - *Courses counted in GPA calculation: All high school social studies courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *One from a former or current social studies teacher*
- Course Requirements: *Students must currently be enrolled in a core social studies courses and take or have previously taken a social studies AP and/or social studies elective course*
- Additional Requirements: *None*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *June*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *Quarter 1 (next school year)*

NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 10-12

Department: *Technology*

HSE Advisor: *Mr. Savage*

HSW Advisor: *Mr. Tomasello*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *None*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school technology courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *One from a former or current technology teacher*
- Course Requirements: *Students must complete at least 2.5 credits in technology by the end of the school year they are inducted*
- Additional Requirements: *Students must attend 75% of the honor society meetings and participate in five hours of community service by the time they are inducted*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September (first semester) and February (second semester)*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *Spring*

NATIONAL FRENCH HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 11-12

Department: *World Languages*

HSE Advisor: *Ms. Romond*

HSW Advisor: *Ms. DiNapoli-Ianello*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All middle and high school French courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *None*
- Course Requirements: *Students must be enrolled in a World Language course*
- Additional Requirements: *None*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *October/November*

NATIONAL GERMAN HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 11-12

Department: *World Languages*

HSE Advisor: *Ms. Specht*

HSW Advisor: *Ms. Culloton*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All middle and high school German courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *None*
- Course Requirements: *Students must be enrolled in a World Language course*
- Additional Requirements: *None*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *October/November*

NATIONAL ITALIAN HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 11-12

Department: *World Languages*

HSE Advisor: *Ms. Rabeno*

HSW Advisor: *Ms. Townsend*

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All middle and high school Italian courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *None*
- Course Requirements: *Students must be enrolled in a World Language course*
- Additional Requirements: *None*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *October/November*

NATIONAL SPANISH HONOR SOCIETY

Grades 11-12

Department: *World Languages*

HSE Advisor: *Ms. Farruggio*

HSW Advisors: *Ms. Sanchez &*

Ms. Tiburcio

GPA Requirements

- Overall GPA Requirement: *B+ (3.3) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All high school credit bearing courses*
- Departmental GPA Requirement: *A- (3.6) (unweighted)*
 - Courses counted in GPA calculation: *All middle and high school Spanish courses*

Eligibility Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation(s): *None*
- Course Requirements: *Students must be enrolled in a World Language course*
- Additional Requirements: *None*

General Timeline

- Application Process Begins: *September*
- Induction Ceremony Takes Place: *October/November*