

**Cresthill Middle School
9195 South Cresthill Lane
Highlands Ranch, Colorado 80130**

National Junior Honor Society

Thank you for your interest in joining the National Junior Honor Society.

This nationwide organization was founded in 1930 to recognize students with outstanding accomplishments in academics as well as in areas of service and citizenship. The National Junior Honor Society is held in high esteem across the nation.

Membership is not based solely on your academic record. A council of teachers will select members based on the students' activities, character, and leadership qualities as well as on their scholastic performances.

BE SURE TO COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS OF THE APPLICATION, INCLUDING LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY SERVICE. (The canned food drive and other school-related activities can be considered.)

Once selected members are expected to maintain these standards, and participate in activities that benefit our school and community. If selected your membership dues will be \$30.00 for this organization.

To aid us in our selection process, please fill out and return the completed application to Mrs. Donovan (room 2158) or to the main office. A copy of all report card grades you have received at Cresthill Middle School needs to be included with your completed application. Report card grades are available on Infinite campus.

If we do not receive a completed application from you, we will assume you are not interested in joining NJHS. You will be notified if you qualify for the National Junior Honor Society within a week of receiving your application.

Sincerely,

Bea Donovan
Chapter Sponsor

Emily Fields
Chapter Sponsor

Susan Waldrop
Chapter Sponsor

NJHS APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Fill in **ALL** blanks. Use this checklist to make sure you have a completed application.

APPLICANT'S NAME _____

GRADE _____

HOMEROOM TEACHER _____

- _____ 1. Copy of all of your report card grades received at Cresthill Middle School.
- _____ 2. **Completed** application form. (All sections have activities listed.)

When you have completed each step, attach this checklist to the **front** of your application. Return the completed application to Mrs. Donovan, or the main office.

_____ Grade Point Average

_____ Completed application

_____ Accepted

_____ Not Accepted

Reviewed by _____

RESPONSIBILITIES AS A NJHS MEMBER

1. ATTEND MEETINGS.
2. PARTICIPATE IN SERVICE PROJECTS.
3. Recruit at least 1 new member for the next year.
4. Help with Induction Ceremony
 - Treats
 - Ceremony readers
 - Punch server
 - Program hostess/host
5. Maintain high grade point average, good citizenship, character, service.
6. Leadership

NJHS SELECTION PROCESS

1. All students with a GPA of 3.8 or higher are invited to join NJHS.
2. Those students interested in joining NJHS will turn in a completed application form.