# WEHS Honor Society Requirements 2023 - 2024



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# National Art Honor Society

Advisor: Ms. Lescota

Grades Accepted: 10th - 12th GPA Requirement: 3.4 (non-weighted) Specific Course Requirements: Completed/Enrolled in 2 Years of Art Courses Service Hour Requirement: 10 Hours

The National Art Honor Society (NAHS) recognizes students who demonstrate an outstanding ability and interest in art. This prestigious group strives to aid its members in attaining the highest standards in art scholarship, character, and service, and to bring art education to the attention of the school and community. NAHS is nationally recognized by art schools, colleges, and universities.

# National English Honor Society

Advisor: <u>Mr. Hermosilla</u> - <u>Ms. Perez</u>

**Grades Accepted:** 11th - 12th **GPA Requirement:** 3.75 (non-weighted) **Specific Course Requirements:** B+ (grades 9 and 10 final average in English); A- in 11 grade S1 average **Service Hour Requirement:** 5 hours of Literary Service & 5 hours of Literary Activities

The National English Honor Society (NEHS), founded and sponsored by Sigma Tau Delta, is the only national organization exclusively for high school students and faculty who, in the field of English, merit special note for past and current accomplishments. Individual high schools are invited to petition for a local chapter, through which individuals may be inducted into Society membership. Immediate benefits of affiliation will be national recognition, scholarship eligibility, and opportunities for national networking with others who share enthusiasm for, and accomplishment in, the language arts. Eventually NEHS will hold conferences and provide ways to link NEHS with other honor societies and with organizations related to the field of English.

## **National Honor Society**

Advisor: Ms. Colabelli

#### Grades Accepted: 11th - 12th

GPA Requirement: 3.75 (cumulative and weighted)

**Service Hour Requirement:** Junior applicants - 30 hours, Senior applicants - 40 hours **Leadership/Character Requirement:** minimum of 37.5 activity points. Students will be asked to indicate clubs, activities, and sports they have participated in at school and/or out of school, with confirmation from their advisor. If an activity earns community service hours, students will need to choose whether to use it for service hours OR activity points, but not both. Students will receive 5 points for each full year of participation and 2.5 points for a half-year activity. Seasonal sports will count as a full-year activity. Make sure to specify Fall vs. Spring in the activity name. Play productions will also each serve as a full year activity. Make sure to specify Fall Drama and Spring Musical in the activity name. Juniors that are eligible, based on their academic standing, will be invited to after the first semester. Seniors that are eligible, based on their academic standing, will be invited to apply in September.

The purpose of this club is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to promote worthy leadership, to encourage the development of character, and service. Members will participate in peer tutoring, fundraising endeavors, charitable contributions, and multiple community service projects.

#### National Math Honor Society

Advisor: Ms. Ayers

#### Grades Accepted: 11th - 12th

GPA Requirement: 3.75 (weighted)

Minimum Letter Grade Requirements: AP Math Class: minimum grade of B-, Honors Math Class: minimum grade of B+, CPA Math Class: minimum grade of A
Specific Course Requirements: Must be currently enrolled in or have completed at least one AP Math Class (AP Calculus, AP Statistics, or AP Computer Science)
Service Hour Requirement: 2 hours (Math Community Service or Participation in Math League)

Mu Alpha Theta, the Math National Honor Society, is dedicated to inspiring a keen interest in mathematics, developing strong scholarship in the subject, and promoting the enjoyment of mathematics. Students who are members of the Math Honors Society must have no history of disciplinary action.

# **National Science Honor Society**

Advisor: Mr. Erikson

Grades Accepted: 11th - 12th

GPA Requirement: 3.75 (weighted)

**Minimum Letter Grade Requirements:** AP Science Class: B-; Honors Science Class: B+; CPA Science Class: A

**Specific Course Requirements:** Student has completed or is currently (2023-24) enrolled in one AP Science class

**Service Hour Requirement:** A minimum of 2 hours of community service during the 1st semester of the 2023-24 school year. Must be signed off on by the adult in charge. **Additional Requirements:** Attendance at "Makers Day" (or other equivalent event TBD) - a community held event held at WEMS to explore STEM activities. Attendance at a minimum of 80% of scheduled meetings

The purpose of the Science Honor Society shall be to encourage participation in and recognition of scientific and intellectual thought, to advance the students' knowledge of classical and modern science, to communicate with the scientific community, to aid the civic community with its comprehension of science, and to encourage students to participate in community service and, in turn, encourage a dedication to the pursuit of scientific knowledge that benefits all mankind.

## **Rho Kappa National Social Studies Honor Society, The Scholar Knights** Advisor: Ms. Blanchard

#### Grades Accepted: 11th - 12th

#### GPA Requirement: 3.75 (weighted)

Minimum Letter Grade Requirements: Students must have completed or be currently enrolled in at least one Social Studies elective (beyond the World, US I and US II requirements) at any level. Electives include Genocide and Holocaust, Global Studies, Social Psychology, Constitutional Law, Modern American History, AP European History, AP Human Geography, AP Government and Politics, AP Macro, and AP Micro. The final or current grade in a Social Studies elective must be no lower than a B+ regardless of level. The final or semester 1 average, respectively, in World, US I, and US II must be no lower than an A- in the CP and/or Honors level, or a B+ at the AP level (AP US I and/or AP US II). **Specific Course Requirements:** At least one Social Studies elective course **Service Hour Requirement:** 10 Hours

Additional Requirement: Applicants must have a letter of recommendation from a current faculty member

The application process will require candidates to show participation in activities that demonstrate civic engagement in school or community and their desire and aspiration to be a member of the organization.

#### **Tri-M Music Honors Society**

Advisor: <u>Ms. Shroyer</u>

Grades Accepted: 10th - 12th GPA Requirement: 3.0 (weighted) Minimum Letter Grade Requirements: A- or better in music ensemble class Specific Course Requirements: Orchestra CPA/H, Treble Choir CPA/H, Concert Choir CPA/H, Symphonic Winds CPA/H, or Concert Band CPA/H Service Hour Requirement: 3 Hours Additional Requirement: One time \$40 membership dues

Perform. Lead. Serve. Tri-M Music Honors gives student musicians opportunities to perform for their school and community. Students use their musical skills to be leaders and participate in community service.

## World Language: Chinese Honor Society

Advisor: <u>Ms. You</u>

**Grades Accepted:** 11th - 12th **GPA Requirement:** 3.75 **Minimum Letter Grade Requirements:** Achieve an average of A- in semester 1 of the current year in their World Language class and a cumulative A- in all of your high school World Language classes.

Specific Course Requirements: Chinese I & II

#### World Language: French Club/French Honor Society

Advisor: Ms. Monkowski

Grades Accepted: 10th - 12th GPA Requirement: 3.75 (weighted) Minimum Letter Grade Requirements: Achieve an average of A- in semester 1 of the current year in their World Language class and a cumulative A- in all of your high school World Language classes. Specific Course Requirements: French I & II

Additional Requirements: Membership in French Club and/or Volunteer Tutoring

# World Language: Italian Club/Italian Honor Society

Advisor: <u>Ms. Pivetta</u>

## Grades Accepted: 10th - 12th

GPA Requirement: 3.75 (weighted)

**Minimum Letter Grade Requirements:** Achieve an average of A- in semester 1 of the current year in their World Language class and a cumulative A- in all of your high school World Language classes.

**Specific Course Requirements:** Be at least in their third level of study in the language and have completed at least three semesters of study in the language of induction. **Service Hour Requirements:** Attend the induction ceremony in the Spring Semester and any rehearsals set by the chapter advisors of their respective World Languages National Honor Societies, unless the advisor is notified by parents with a valid reason for nonattendance. Demonstrate that they have attended world languages club meetings and/or assisted in the organization and execution of world languages club activities and/or tutored students in the language for which they are eligible for induction in or out of school and/or participated in community service projects organized by world languages clubs.

Additional Requirements: If you are not a member of the Italian Club include any other relevant community service participation. If inducted, you will be responsible for joining and participating in World Language related activities and service.

# World Language: Spanish Club/Spanish Honor Society

Advisor: <u>Ms. Vallone</u>

Grades Accepted: 10th - 12th

**GPA Requirement:** 3.75 (weighted)

**Minimum Letter Grade Requirements:** Achieve an average of A- in semester 1 of the current year in their World Language class and a cumulative A- in all of your high school World Language classes.

Specific Course Requirements: Spanish I, II & III

Additional Requirements: Membership in Spanish Club and/or volunteer tutoring