

## **Charlton Middle School National Junior Honor Society Member Selection Process**

To insure the most objective decision takes place during new member selection, a point system is put in place to rate an individual candidate based on their completed application which demonstrates their own strengths in the areas of outstanding scholarship, character, leadership, service and citizenship. The Faculty Council meets each year to discuss the selection process and make any amendments they see necessary for the upcoming selection process.

Students are invited to apply for membership into the National Junior Honor Society based on their cumulative average. Students must have a cumulative average of 93 or above for the last 5 quarters in their Core subjects and a passing grade in all Unified Arts subjects.

Once a student is invited to apply to membership into the National Junior Honor Society, an explanation of the selection procedure is then outlined to each student. They are then given the opportunity to take an application if they wish to do so.

An application consists of four parts: 1) Leadership Profile Form, to be completed by a teacher of the candidate's choosing whom they have had at Charlton Middle School, 2) Citizenship Profile Form, completed by the candidates current Academic Team, 3) Citizenship Profile Form, completed by the candidates current Unified Arts Team, and 4) Candidates own National Junior Honor Society application, highlighting their own qualities in outstanding scholarship, character, leadership, service and citizenship.

Candidates have approximately one week to request teachers to fill out student profile forms and complete the student's portion of the application which must be signed and dated by both candidate and parent/guardian.

Any incomplete application will not be scored. An application is considered incomplete if any of the Leadership or Citizenship Profile Forms are not returned by the deadline, if the candidates own application is not turned in by the deadline or if the candidate's application is not signed and dated by both the candidate themselves and their parent/guardian.

Completed applications are scored by the Faculty Council. All applications that fall at or above the designated number (predetermined by the Faculty Council) will be selected as a member of the National Junior Honor Society.