

Holy Cross Academy
National Junior Honor Society Rubric for Candidacy Selection

Scholarship:

- student meets 90% criteria and is nominated for selection
- no further evaluation of academic record for selection

Activity Form:

- 1-2 points per category possible
- service log provided and completed
- as applicable: does explanation mitigate disciplinary issues, yes or no
- scoring: 0-6 points possible

Teacher Recommendation:

- poor = 1
- below average = 2
- good = 3
- outstanding = 4
- scoring: 7 categories will be evaluated by each middle school teacher and the total will be averaged by the number of evaluations received for student. Teacher's written comments support score. (If teacher has not taught a particular student, he/she will not evaluate that individual.)
 - 19-20 = 6
 - 17-18 = 5
 - 15-16 = 4
 - 13-14 = 3
 - 11-12 = 2
 - 5-10 = 1

Essay Evaluation:

- 24-25 = 3
- 20-23 = 2
- 15-19 = 1

Character Evaluation:

- positive interaction with peers
- cooperation in the classroom
- respect for adults
- adheres to school rules
- scoring: student will receive 0-3 points depending on record

Overall Scoring:

Activity Form = 0-6

Disciplinary issue = yes or no*

Recommendation = 0-6

Essay = 0-3

Character Evaluation Form = 0-3

Minimum points needed for selection = 14

* If student has had a suspension or Saturday school during middle school years, does student's explanation provide support to override issues raised concerning strength of character.