



We are happy to announce that your outstanding academic performance has earned you the honor of being considered for Ascend College Prep's Chapter of the National Honor Society (open to grades 11-12). Please read the attached information sheet to learn more about our Honor Society Program, and what it will involve.

If you are interested, **the Candidate Form must be emailed to Dr. Blair at [kjerstenblair@ascendcollegeprep.com](mailto:kjerstenblair@ascendcollegeprep.com) by 8:30am on January 13, 2025.** The faculty council will be reviewing Candidate Forms January 13-15, and all applicants will be notified of acceptance or rejection on January 16. You already met the first requirement - now use this Candidate Form to show us how amazing you are beyond your academics!!

Please reach out to Dr. Blair with any questions regarding the Candidate Form process. You are encouraged to check with a teacher if you want feedback on your Candidate Form.

Some tips:

- Provide well-written, quality answers on your actual Candidate Form. For example, do not write abbreviated words or use slang; do not answer in simply one sentence, or simply put N/A.
- Use plenty of details and examples to allow us to learn as much about you as possible.
- Leadership and service skills can be anything from babysitting, tutoring, helping the community, working with a church group, volunteering with family, and anything you do with Ascend or your previous school.
- Use the last section to tell us anything else you feel makes you a great candidate (accomplishments, awards, goals, achievements)

## Expectations for NHS Members

- Attendance at the induction ceremony. This will take place at Library 21c at 7pm on January 31, 2024. Attendance is mandatory, as you will take an oath induction you into the society.
- Maintaining a GPA of 3.75 or greater.
- Participating in one NHS group service project in the spring semester. Preparation will occur throughout the semester, but the main time commitment will be one of two service times in the spring. Two times are offered in an effort to accommodate everyone's schedule; attendance at one is mandatory and missing it may result in probation.
- Documentation of at least 10 hours of individual service hours during the spring semester. Failure to complete these hours prior to May 16 will result in probation.
- Attend monthly meetings. These will take place during the seminar period on Jan 30, Feb 27, Apr 3 and May 1. Absence at more than one meeting could result in probation.