

***Dear LOJ Families,***

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

*The National Junior Honor Society is a recognition program for students who have made positive contributions to their community. Please read about the NJHS standards and how the LOJ NJHS Faculty Council will determine eligibility below:*

**Standards** *There are five main standards that characterize NJHS. These include:*

- 1. Scholarship*
- 2. Character*
- 3. Leadership*
- 4. Citizenship*
- 5. Service*

**How LOJ Determines Eligibility** *Acceptance and induction as a member of NJHS are based on the student's prior experience in the five standards indicated above.*

- 1. Scholarship: Students must have obtained a minimum GPA of 3.5 or above.*
- 2. Character: Successful candidates will have an outstanding record of conduct and behavior while attending LOJ. This will be verified by the vice principal during the selection process.*
- 3. Leadership: Successful candidates will have evidence of a position or positions of responsibility due to being elected or appointed.*
- 4. Citizenship: Successful candidates will report on the actions they have taken to show they uphold LOJ's Anchor Values: Respect, Responsibility, and Safety.*
- 5. Service: Successful candidates will have evidence of participating in service activities.*

*If you feel that your student has not yet had any experience in one or some of these areas, you are encouraged to work with your student and their LOJ Counselor to identify ways they can participate in activities related to the standards. Students can apply for NJHS recognition during any of their years enrolled in LOJHS.*

*Candidate applications are due Friday, **May 5, 2023** and are to be turned in to the LOJ main office. The application is double-sided. Please complete both sides of each page.*

**Contact** *For any questions or concerns regarding the information provided here, please contact:*

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