

Sulphur Springs Middle School

National Junior Honor Society

Qualification Criteria

Students enrolled in grades 7 and 8 at SSMS are eligible to be inducted into the *Grace Jane Teetes Chapter* of the **National Junior Honor Society**. This organization exists to honor students for their outstanding achievements in the classroom and celebrate their dedication to academic excellence. Based on the criteria below, students who are selected to be inducted will be invited to attend the NJHS Induction Ceremony, where they will receive their medal and membership certificate. Students who had previously been inducted will also be recognized for their continued membership, providing they have remained eligible.

Induction Criteria for 7th & 8th Grade:

1. Selection period will begin after the 3rd nine weeks grading period.
2. Selection will be based on GPA for the current year only.
3. GPA will be calculated based on core classes.
4. GPA will consider the scales of 4.5 for Advanced classes
5. Selection will take the 17-19% of the class by calculation of # 1-4.

To maintain membership as 8th graders:

1. Current members must maintain 3.5 GPA at the end of the 3rd nine-week grading period.
2. GPA calculation is based on 8th grade year only.
3. GPA will be calculated based on core classes.
4. GPA will consider the scales of 4.5 for Advanced classes and 5.0 for Algebra I.
5. Eligible members will be invited to participate in induction ceremony & be recognized.

