

National Honor Society Membership Information for New Members

1. You are now an NHS member and have all the rights and privileges of membership.
2. Bylaws. You are responsible for reviewing the chapter bylaws and submitting a Bylaws Verification Statement via the google form at <https://forms.gle/Y5c1D6Qayv4BjiYb6>.
3. Meetings. You must attend the NHS meeting held the first Wednesday of each month during Raider Time. Attendance at NHS meetings is mandatory and, unless explicitly excused, takes precedence over other activities. The first meeting for newly selected members will take place on **Raider Time (9:00-9:25), Wednesday, November 3, 2021** in the auditorium.
4. Induction. The Induction Ceremony will take place on **Thursday, November 18 at 7pm** in the auditorium with a reception to follow in the cafeteria. Please plan on arriving by 6pm to prepare for the ceremony as well as attending short rehearsal immediately after school the day prior.
5. Service Hours. You may now begin accumulating your service hours. You will need a minimum of 32 service hours each school year, with at least 4 should in direct service to the school, to maintain your good membership status. A link to submit completed service hours is located on the AHS NHS webpage.
6. Maintain the standards. You should maintain exemplary scholarship (minimum weighted 3.40 GPA), service, leadership, and character. Failure to maintain these standards requires the member's appearance before the Faculty Council.
7. Get involved. Sign up for committees and service projects. (We will discuss this at the meeting)
8. Dues: NHS requires a one-time fee (\$40) which covers membership affiliation fees, certificate, and other expenses related to our service projects as well as offsets the cost of the graduation stole.
 - If paying by cash, make sure it is place in an envelope with the student name on it.
 - If paying by check, please make out to "Atholton High School" and place "(Student Name), NHS Dues" in the memo section.
 - If paying by credit card, please go to the AHS Online School Payment site and select the "NHS Dues" option. The online payment site is accessible through the AHS main webpage and linked here - [AHS OSP Portal](#). Note that a 4% fee is added by the OSP site vendor.
9. Check your email and visit the website often. This is how we communicate with our members! **NHS Website:** <http://atholtonnhs.weebly.com/>