

Nottoway High School National Honor Society Qualifications

- **Scholarship**

Per national guidelines, at minimum, students must have a cumulative GPA of 85, B, 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, or equivalent standard of excellence. (Each school chapter is allowed to require a higher cumulative GPA.)

Nottoway requires a 3.3 GPA to be considered for membership. (This is a change from 2015-16; prior inductees are 'grandfathered' and permitted to maintain a 3.0)

- **Service**

This involves voluntary contributions made by a student to the school or community, done without compensation.

Students will submit a list or description of at least 2 services activities they participate in which benefit their community or others and they do not receive compensation. Faculty and staff assist in verification.

- **Leadership**

Student leaders are those who are resourceful, good problem solvers, and idea contributors. Leadership experiences can be drawn from school or community activities while working with or for others.

Students will submit a list of what they perceive to be their leadership skills. They may also describe a time in which they used skills that showed their resourcefulness and ability to work as problems solvers etc.

- **Character**

The student of good character is cooperative; demonstrates high standards of honesty and reliability; shows courtesy, concern, and respect for others; and generally maintains a clean disciplinary record.

Students must not have any referrals, ISS, OSS or attendance concerns for the given school year. Good attendance will be defined similarly to the exam exemption policy – 5 or less unexcused absences for any given class. In addition, students must generally receive no negative feedback from faculty and staff during the recommendation process. Students must also submit their qualification form for consideration on or before the due date.

- ❖ Discipline & GPA will be reevaluated each year (2nd semester) and students not selected their 10th grade year can be reconsidered their 11th & 12th grade years if all qualifications are met in subsequent years.