Dear Springs Charter School Student,

Are you interested in learning about membership into the National Juniors Honors Society? Much more than an honor roll, NJHS is a distinctive, multifaceted learning experience that provides a solid and meaningful foundation for life. If you are interested in becoming a member, please complete the following application form NJHS Application Form

The purpose of NJHS is:

1. To create enthusiasm for scholarship
2. To stimulate a desire to render service
3. To promote leadership
4. To develop character
5. To encourage citizenship

Membership in the National Juniors Honors Society is based upon performance in the following four areas:

- Scholarship
- Character
- Leadership
- Service

Membership in the National Junior Honor Society is one of the highest honors that can be awarded to a Middle school student. Springs Charter School is proud to sponsor a chapter of the National Junior Honor Society, and our chapter is working hard to bring the accomplishments of outstanding students to the attention of parents, teachers, peers, and the community. Our chapter, along with several other chapters in schools across the nation, strive to give practical meaning to society's standards of scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

These four ideals are the basis for selection. National Junior Honor Society strives to recognize the total student; once who excels in all of these areas. By completing the Application Form above, you will have an opportunity to outline your accomplishments in the areas of Service, Character, and Leadership.

Membership in the National Honor Society is *optional* and more than an honor. It incurs an obligation to demonstrate these outstanding qualities and it also carries a responsibility to the chapter. Membership will include attendance at quarterly meetings and participation in a chapter service project and/or an individual service project. The meetings will take place virtually.

Student submission will be reviewed by the Springs faculty council for your charter, and students determined to meet the requirements for eligibility will be notified. A special induction ceremony for students will be held in the late fall.

The application form link is above. **If you are interested in the opportunity to be selected for membership, please complete and submit the application form by September 23, 2022. No late applications will be accepted.**

The application includes:

- Student activity information
- Personal essay questions

We request that the application form be submitted by September 23, 2022 to provide the Faculty Council sufficient time to authenticate the information provided by candidates and to seek clarification in preparation for selection meeting. Your cooperation in meeting this deadline is an indication of your responsibility and your commitment to being an effective member of our chapter.

If you have any questions about the application process or about membership in Springs Charter Schools Chapter of National Junior Honors Society, please feel free to contact the chapter advisor, Mrs. Holkeboer at Madeline.holkeboer@springscs.org.

Sincerely,

Madeline Holkeboer