Science Honor Society

The Science Honor Society is designed to enhance scientific literacy in those students who have demonstrated science excellence and wish to continue in a science related field. The society will serve as a platform for students to demonstrate their achievements by researching, writing papers for scholarship competitions, and serving their community.

Qualifications for candidacy:

Applicant must be enrolled (presently or for the following school year) in their 4th or more, full credit science course. They must have a science GPA of 3.7 as a result of grades in any of the following courses: 705, 707, 709, 711, 727, 727BL, 729, 731, 731BL, 733, 734, 735, 737, 742, 167, 181, 180, 186, 187, 188, 182, 183, 184, AND an overall GPA of 3.5

All members of the Science Honor Society **MUST** by the time of graduation do <u>one</u> of the following:

- 1. Prepare and conduct a project that or experiment that following the guidelines provided on SHS google classroom
 - OR
- 2. Attend a minimum of 8 hours of scientific classes and or lectures and write a brief report on the lecture(s)

The above project write-ups for seniors will be due at the end of Quarter 3. Other due dates to follow

In addition, members will be *required* to <u>attend monthly meetings for SHS and SHS committees</u>, and <u>complete</u> <u>**30 hours** of community service that is science or technology related</u>, and <u>attend the Induction ceremony for new</u> <u>members</u> on AP Science Night.

**Seniors for the 2017-2018 year will only have to complete 15 hours.

Only 2 excused absences from meetings (both for SHS and SHS committee's). It is your responsibility to notify your officers and advisor that you will be absent.

Science Honor Society Application form

Due Date for this form: Friday April 14th to Mrs. Helie in room 128 (Science Office) I will be notifying you of acceptance through email.

Name:	
Year of graduation:	
Guidance Counselor:	
gapps E-mail address: _	

Past Science courses	Teacher	Final grade	GPA	
Overall SCIENCE GPA:				
	Overall GPA			

Current science course:_____ Teacher:____ Current Grade:_____

****Please print the following Recommendation form to have a past or present Science Teacher fill out and hand in to me by <u>April 21st</u> to fulfill your application process.

Science Teacher Recommendation

Name of applicant:

The Timberlane High School student named above has asked you to complete this recommendation for his/her application to the Science Honor Society. This recommendation will remain confidential, so please be as honest as possible as you complete it. After its completion, please return it to <u>Mrs. Helie no later than 2:25 pm on</u> <u>Friday April 21st.</u> Please indicate below how you would rate this student as compared to other students in his/her class in terms of:

Categories	Below	Average	Very	Excellent	Outstanding
	Average		Good	(Top 10%)	(Top 5%)
Academic Achievement					
Creative/Original Thought					
Respect towards peers and adults					
Disciplined Work Habits					
Maturity					
Motivation					
Leadership					
Integrity					
Reaction to setbacks					
Self-confidence					
Initiative, Independence					
Overall:					

How long have you known this student and in what context?

What are the first words that come to your mind to describe this student?

Would you recommend	nd this student for	the Science Honor	Society? \Box Yes \Box No
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Optional: Please add any additional comments that you deem may be helpful to the SNHS selection committee.

Name of Teacher:

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Thank you for your willingness to participate in this process.