Dear New Inductee,:

Congratulations! Membership in the National Honor Society is one of the highest honors that can be awarded to a high school student. Our chapter of NHS has worked hard to bring the accomplishments of outstanding students to the attention of parents, teachers, peers, and the community. Our chapter strives to give practical meaning to the Society's standards of scholarship, leadership, service, and character. These four ideals have been considered as the basis for your selection. No student is inducted simply because of a high academic average. The National Honor Society strives to recognize the total student—one who excels in all of these areas. The standards used for your selection were:

Scholarship— 3.5 cumulative GPA
Leadership, service, and character—as demonstrated by activities, teacher evaluations, and committee selection.

Membership, however, is more than an honor. It is an ongoing responsibility and an obligation to continue to demonstrate those outstanding qualities that resulted in your selection. Your membership also carries a responsibility to the chapter. If our chapter to the National Honor Society is to be effective and meaningful, each member must become involved.

To maintain membership in our chapter of NHS members agree to the following:

1. Maintain 3.5 cumulative GPA.
2. Attend a minimum of 50% of all scheduled meetings.
3. Complete a minimum of 10 hours of service as a junior and 20 hours of service as a senior.
4. Participate in a minimum of 50% of our fundraisers -
    a. To qualify for the senior scholarship you must have raised at least $240.00 during your time as a member and have gone far above and beyond the minimum service hours.
5. Participate in any club sponsored service projects.
6. Continue to display appropriate leadership and good character in and out of the classroom.
7. Dismissal may result if a member fails to comply with these items listed above. A probationary period of one 9 weeks will be given for those who fall below the required GPA with dismissal to follow if the situation is not corrected. Dismissal may occur for violations of student conduct as stated in the student handbook.

I look forward to your continued success as a member of Celina's chapter of the National Honor Society.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Kim Wilges
Celina NHS Chapter Adviser