

NHS Volunteer Requirements

Individual Service Hours:
Seniors 20 total; 10 due each semester
Juniors 15 total; 5 1st semester and 10 2nd

Can be earned by:

Individual service assignment:

Description:

A non-sanctioned event is a service opportunity that is either planned by another school organization or an adult in the community. Service hours must benefit the school or community or an individual in need. Service hours are not to benefit any political party over another. Service hours cannot be used for person(s) or organizations that are for profit. In the event the member volunteers for an individual or organization outside the school the activity should not benefit the member's family directly and the adult signature should be from the adult directly supervising the member's activities.

Sanctioned events:
Three sanctioned events total. HOURS
FOR SANCTIONED EVENTS CANNOT BE
USED FOR INDIVIDUAL SERVICE HOURS.

Can be earned by:

Chapter sanctioned event:

Description:

A sanctioned event fulfills a need for the school or community. It is planned and implemented by a member of the NHS promoting leadership. Sanctioned events incorporate community partners and promote cooperation among NHS members and community partners. The sanctioned event encourages all those with/in the NHS and outside the NHS to participate. The individual(s) who is organizing the event will fill out the necessary pre- and post- paperwork to be given to the advisor. The individual(s) organizing and managing the sanctioned event will also be responsible to make a list of participants and hours served. EX) A Red Cross blood drive is an example of this. It involves NHS planning and implementation. Most of the members are not required to participate at any one time.

A sanctioned event is an event that is planned, and implemented by an NHS member. Another way to think of it is--The event would not occur if the NHS member(s) would not do it.