

# Science Honor Society Requirements

## Clarkstown High School South

If you meet ALL of the following criteria, you are eligible for the Science Honor Society:

- 1) **Must be a junior or senior.**
- 2) **Student must have the following minimum final grades in science courses:**
  - a. **95.50 : Non Regents course**
  - b. **92.50 : Regents course**
  - c. **89.50 : Honors course**
  - d. **85.50 : AP/IB course**
- 3) **Students must have completed at least two full science classes and are currently enrolled in a third class to meet the requirement for submission. In addition, two of those years must be science courses that include laboratory components (i.e. end in a Regents/AP/IB exam).**
- 4) **Applicants may not have any final science grade below an 80.00 and no more than one grade in a science course that does not meet the science course grade requirement above. All science grades both past and current will be evaluated. Final grades for all high school-level courses AND first semester grades from the current year will be taken into account.**
- 5) **Proof of 10 Hours of Volunteer Service in Support of Science** (*Proof consists of a signed letter on letterhead from the organization which includes your name and the number of hours*) *These hours should be connected to science in some manner whether improving the local ecosystem, assisting in the food system, healthcare or medical field or providing and maintaining safety in the community.*
  - Keep Rockland Beautiful or local community garden
  - Meals on Wheels
  - Food Pantry
  - Volunteer Fire or Ambulance Service (most require further commitment above 10 hours)
  - Many religious organizations are looking for volunteers to assist in their community support projects.
  - Volunteer to help at South's greenhouse, courtyard or other such projects.
  - For an alternate project to those listed above. It must be identified and approved prior to submission, contact Ms. Tarantino for approval.

### Timeline:

1. Online Application and Proof of Volunteer Service: **due Monday, February 2, 2026**
2. Notification of Acceptance **Friday, February 27, 2026**
3. Induction Ceremony: **Tuesday, April 7, 2026**

If you are interested in applying and meet the requirements listed above, please fill out the [online form](#). Please submit volunteer hours directly to Ms. Tarantino either by email or in person by dropping them off in the main office. ***A confirmation email will be sent to you that your application has been received.***

Any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Tarantino via [dtarantino@ccsd.edu](mailto:dtarantino@ccsd.edu)

