

Service

“Service is generally considered to be those actions undertaken by the student which are done with or on behalf of others without any direct financial or material compensation.”

“In considering service, the contributions a candidate has made to school, classmates, and community as well as the student’s attitude toward service can be reviewed.”

The student who serves:

- Volunteers and provides dependable assistance
- Gladly available
- Works well with others and is willing to take on difficult responsibilities
- Represents the class or school in interclass and interscholastic competitions
- Does committee and staff work without complaint
- Participates in some activity outside of school (e.g., Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, religious groups, volunteer services for the elderly, poor, or disadvantaged)
- Mentors
- Shows courtesy by assisting visitors, teachers, and students

Character

“A person of character demonstrates the following six qualities: trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship.”

The student of character:

- Takes criticism willingly and accepts recommendations graciously
- Consistently exemplifies desirable qualities of behavior (e.g., cheerfulness, friendliness, poise, stability).
- Cooperates by complying with school regulations
- Demonstrates the highest standards of honesty and reliability
- Regularly shows courtesy, concern and respect for others

