Recognition Cord
Academic Merit Application

Student Name_____

Students applying for the Academic Merit Award must meet all of the following requirements:

- **Have a cumulative GPA of 3.8 or higher**

- **9th Grade: Transcript reflects at least four Honors academic core** (Math, Language Arts, Science, Social Studies and World Language) **classes taken in 9th grade.**

- **10th – 12th Grade: A total of 12 Honors, AP or Concurrent academic core classes taken during sophomore through senior years which come from the Advanced Course list below.**

- **9th – 12th Grade**: **A grade of "B" or higher reflected on your transcript in each of the qualifying core classes** (any grade of B- will disqualify the applicant).

10th – 12th Advanced Course List:

English 10 Honors	AP World History	Secondary Math 2H	AP Biology
English 11Honors	AP Euro History	Secondary Math 3H	Biology 1010
English Language AP	AP U.S. History	Pre-Calculus	Honors Chemistry
English Literature AP	AP Government	AP AB Calculus	AP Chemistry
English 1010	Hist 2700/2710	AP BC Calculus	Honors Physics
English 2010	AP Psychology	AP Statistics	AP Physics 2
		Math 1030	AP Physics C
French 3H	Spanish 3H	Math 1040	
French 4H	Spanish 4H	Math 1050	
AP French	AP Spanish	Math 1060	
Chinese 3	ASL 3		

Substitutions: Two core substitutions will be allowed but must be an AP course, SLCC course, or JATC course that awards credit in one of the five academic areas listed above.

Please highlight 9th grade qualifying core classes on transcript:

Please highlight 10th – 12th grade qualifying core classes on transcript:

- **Attach a current transcript with qualifying classes highlighted to verify grades.**

- **Turn in complete application to Counseling Center by March 29, 2024.**

Date Rec'd_____   Revised 9/13/23

Award: approved_____/denied_____   Note_____