

ARISTA HONOR SOCIETY

In keeping with the Department of Education's policy of high expectations and academic rigor, please note the criteria for membership in the Prall Junior Arista Honor Society effective September, 2009.

Students who meet the criteria specified below will be eligible for membership in the Prall Junior Arista Honor Society for school year 2009 – 2010. Membership will be determined by:

A minimum overall academic average of 90% for grade 6 for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd marking periods.

A minimum overall academic average of 85% for grades 7 and 8 for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd marking periods.

A passing grade in each subject for the third marking period is mandatory.

A minimum score of "3" from the 2009 State ELA and Math tests.

A minimum average citizenship grade of "satisfactory" for the 1st and 2nd report cards; a citizenship grade of at least "S" is mandatory for the 3rd report card. Homeroom conduct is included in the overall citizenship grade.

Satisfactory attendance and punctuality

Teacher recommendation

PLEASE NOTE: Principal Kornish reserves the right to exclude a student from Arista eligibility in the event of an extenuating negative circumstance.

Students who qualify will receive acceptance letters in April, 2010. The letter will contain all necessary information regarding membership and procedures for the Arista induction ceremony. Annual Arista dues are \$8.00.

The Arista induction ceremony is April 29, 2010 at 7:00 P.M. in the school auditorium.