

## TIPS FOR FILLING OUT APPLICATION FORM

- ◆ Separate Activities By Year. For Example, If Participating In A Volunteer Activity in 9<sup>th</sup> and 10 Grades, Put The Hours Down Per Year & Not Together
- ◆ Make Sure To Have Signatures &/or Provide Documentation Of Participation
- ◆ Activities Only Count In One Area.
- ◆ Make A Copy Of Your Form.
- ◆ Record Paid & Unpaid Work Experience
- ◆ Record All Areas/ Experiences/ Hours That You Think Could Count
- ◆ Sophomores & Juniors Can Re-Apply Next Year If They Don't Have Enough Experience This Year.

## Examples of Things Not Counted For Membership Points (General)\*

- ◆ Individual Class Awards: "A" on Geometry Test
- ◆ I went to District, Regionals, and State.
- ◆ Star of the Week
- ◆ Confirmation Class
- ◆ Classes (*not competitions*) taken for: dance, tumbling, musical instruments, etc.
- ◆ Summer Camp Attendance – *Unless selected to attend.* (I.e. Boy's State)
- ◆ Individual Performances outside of school: BMX racing, skateboarding, piano recitals
- ◆ All A's for 1 semester
- ◆ Walk-A-Thons: Need hours *spent*, not dollars raised
- ◆ Homecoming Court/Class Favorites, etc.
- ◆ Participation in Fundraising for a club or organization
- ◆ Youth Choir & Youth Group @ church (all one thing)
- ◆ Free Babysitting for a Sibling or caring for a family member
- ◆ No Signature
- ◆ Activities That Occurred Before 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

## Examples Of Things Not Counted For Leadership Positions\*

- ◆ Being A Pitcher in Softball
- ◆ Being A Photographer In a Group

## Examples Of Things Not Counted For Service (Co-Curricular & Extra-Curricular)\*

- ◆ Cheerstation
- ◆ NJHS
- ◆ Attending Religious Services

## Examples Of Things Not Counted For Community Activities\*

- ◆ Giving Money To A Charity
- ◆ Helping Your Sibling Sell/ Fundraise For His Or Her Club
- ◆ Mowing The Lawn For A Neighbor

## Examples Of Things Not Counted For Work Experience, Internships, Recognition & Awards\*

- ◆ Performance In National Tests
- ◆ Team Performance in Club Sports (Soccer Team Won 2<sup>nd</sup> Place)
- ◆ Most Improved In A Class Or Athletic Event
- ◆ Outstanding Student Award In A Class

\* Lists are Not All-Inclusive, They Are Meant To Help In Filling Out The Forms