

# QUILL & SCROLL

**Journalism National Honor Society**

# WHAT IS QUILL & SCROLL

Quill and Scroll International Honorary Society for High School Journalists was organized April 10, 1926, at the University of Iowa by renowned pollster George H. Gallup and a group of high school advisers for the purpose of encouraging and recognizing individual student achievement in journalism and scholastic publication.



# QUILL & SCROLL REQUIREMENTS

1. *They must be of sophomore, junior or senior classification.*
2. *They must have the equivalent of a B grade average, or be in the upper third of their class in general scholastic standing, either for the year of their election or for the cumulative total of all high school work.*
3. *They must have done superior work in some phase of journalism or school media work. They may be staffers of a magazine, newspaper, yearbook, news organization, online site or radio/television station at the school, or one conducted by an external organization.*
4. *They must be recommended by the supervisor or by the committee governing the media.*
5. *They must be approved by the Quill and Scroll Associate Director.*

Membership is open to all media staff members in a chartered or member high school or a chartered company that supervises student journalism. All Quill and Scroll membership materials may only be ordered by journalism advisers, teachers, school principals or administration in a company or news outlet that supervises student journalists.

# POINTS/ACTIVITIES/JACKETS

All members are required to complete 5 activities/year

- Journalism UIL events count as 1 activity: Seven Lakes, Travis, District, Region, State
- Senior Video
- FBISD Film Festival
- UIL Film Fest
- JEA Convention
- Photo Contests
- Filming of Special Events

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In order to letter in Journalism, you must do one of the following: place top 6 at the District UIL Meet, enter all photo/film contests, compete at/attend JEA.



# APPLICATIONS & DUES

**Applications** are due on November 11 by 11:59 pm.

**Dues** are \$50 for first year members. This initial fee covers your national registration, tshirt and graduation chord.

**\*\*Dues are \$25 for returning members.**

