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SAHS-JROTC

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SUBJECT: Varsity Letter

1. This information provides guidance for the qualification of cadets to be authorized to wear the St. Augustine High School JROTC Varsity Letter.
2. Cadets enrolled in the Army Junior ROTC Program at St. Augustine High School are eligible to earn their St. Augustine High School Varsity Letter. The varsity letter represents a high degree of proficiency the cadet achieves in a specific area. The letter is awarded to cadets for their participation and accomplishments in many areas, such as athletics, academics, and JROTC.
3. To earn the letter, the standards must be high. It is approved and awarded by the Senior Army Instructor with concurrence with the Athletic Department and Principal. All the following criteria must be achieved.
 - a. Complete two seasons on a competitive JROTC team (Academic/Leadership, Drill, JLAB; Drones; Raider).
 - b. Participate in five JROTC competitions at Brigade-approved competitions.
 - c. Be present for at least 90% percent of scheduled practice. (This is waivable by instructors for certain instances like family emergencies, work conflicts, or school sports and activities).
 - d. Have a 3.0 GPA or above in JROTC.
 - e. Have an overall school GPA of 2.00 or above.
 - f. Have no out-of-school suspensions (OSS). A cadet placed in OSS will be immediately removed from the team. Incidents of ISS will be investigated and adjudicated by the JROTC cadre.
 - g. Completed at least 10 community service hours before the award ceremony in the semester granted (documented).
 - h. No missed uniform days.
4. A varsity letter represents "the best of the best" in this program; therefore, these standards are rigorous. For Raider, which runs in the Fall, varsity letters will be awarded at the end of the Fall semester. Drill/JLAB/Drone, which runs in the Winter, varsity letters will be awarded on awards night. Instructor discretion can be utilized in extreme and exceptional cases but only on a limited case-by-case basis.
5. The Point of contact for this policy is the Senior Army Instructor at 904-547-8821 or Christopher.braund@stjohns.k12.fl.us

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