

Waltham Elementary School District #185

Waltham Gold Cord Honor Program

Waltham Elementary School District is pleased to announce the creation of the **Waltham Gold Cord Honor Program**. This program is designed to recognize students for their contributions to their community and their commitment to public service.

The Waltham Gold Cord Honor Program is open to any student who wishes to make a positive contribution to their community.

Here are the requirements:

1. 120 hours of Community Service beginning after their 5th Grade year. (Starting during the 2011-2012 school year) Class of 2012 will need 40 hours; Class of 2013 will need 80 hours.
2. All hours must be logged on the community service log sheet.
3. An adult must sign off on all hours.
4. All hours must benefit the community or community members or groups. Household chores or work done for relatives, although much appreciated, will not be considered valid.
5. All work must be done in the spirit of community service, money shall not be exchanged for the work, if it is exchanged, the hours will be invalid.

All documentation needs to be turned in to the office.

At the end of the students 8th Grade year, any student who has met the requirements will be eligible to wear a Gold Honor Cord at graduation to signify their commitment to community service.

This is a tremendous opportunity for our students to earn recognition for their accomplishments during their time at Waltham Elementary School.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask. Thank –you
Yours in Education,

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