

Honours Tie Policy

Policy Details

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Related Documents and Location

1. Positive Behaviour Policy - Website and Private Folders

1. Introduction

Our Lady and St Patrick's College, Knock aims to recognise and reward the success of our students, both academic and extra-curricular. Honour Ties are awarded for outstanding achievement in individual and team sports, both inside and outside the school setting. They are also awarded for outstanding achievement in music, Irish dancing, etc. Only students who are awarded an Honour Tie may wear it instead of their regulation College tie.

2. Aims

- 1. To recognise and reward the success of our students.
- 2. To promote extra-curricular success.

3. <u>Criteria</u>

The applicant for an Honour Tie should fulfil one of the following criteria:

He/she should have gained either **school** or **full** representative honours at any one of the following levels:

- Northern Ireland
- Ulster
- Ireland
- Great Britain
- European
- World

OR

He/she should have won a competition at the highest grade/standard at which our students are entered at one of the above levels.

4. <u>Application Procedure</u>

Any student who thinks he/she meets the criteria for this award should notify her/his tutor and collect a registration form from the Students Secretary. The form should be completed and returned to the respective Head of School at least one month before the relevant Awards Ceremony. Ties are awarded three times per year (Junior School Awards Ceremony - October, Senior School Awards Ceremony - November and Upper School Awards Ceremony - December) for achievements during the preceding school year, i.e., September to June.

^{*} Honour Ties are not awarded for representation or success at District or County levels.



Our Lady and St Patrick's College, Knock Honour Tie Registration Form

Please complete this form and return to your Head of School at least one month before the relevant Awards Ceremony.

Stud	Student Details						
Student Name			Tutor Group				
I am applying for an Honour Tie on the basis of:							
1	Representing (e.g. Northern Ireland, Ulster, Ireland).						
2	Winning (insert competition name) in (insert sport/discipline) on (insert date).						
	Competition Name:						
	Sport/Discipline/Other:						
	Date:						
I confirm that the information given on this form is accurate and may be validated by (name of coach/teacher/tutor).							
Stud	Student Signature: Date:						
Pare	Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:						