

**Requirements for International Thespian Society membership:** records checked mid-January after Semester 1

**GRADE LEVEL:** Sophomores – Seniors

**Transfers:** Must have completed one semester at ILS

**GPA:** Not Considered

**COURSES:** No specific courses or academic level needed.

**CHARACTER:** 1. disciplinary and attendance records show no consistent, willful, or flagrant violations of school rules and expectations

**PARTICIPATION:** 1. Students acquire points by participating in ILS Drama Productions, Thespians Festivals, and/or Drama class productions.  
2. Hopefuls need to have earned at least 9 points to be considered (see points breakdown attached).

**Obligations of International Thespian Society membership:**

**Maintain criteria for GPA and Character and attend meetings during the year**

**MEETINGS:** Attendance is required. Two absences in a row and/or failure to participate in the life of the society and its projects will result in dismissal.

**ACTIVITIES:** Participate in ILS Drama Productions, Thespians Festivals, and/or Drama class productions (either onstage or behind the scenes).  
Plan and host fundraising events for State Thespian competitors

**To graduate with ITS honor cords and stote all obligations of membership must be met by April 1<sup>st</sup> of Senior year.**

## Recommended Thespian Point Awards

Category	Position/work done	One Act	Full Length	Category	Position/work done	One Act	Full Length	
<b>Acting</b>	Major role	4	8	<b>Directing</b>	Director	4	8	
	Minor role	3	5		Assistant director	3	6	
	Walk-on	1	2		Vocal director	3	6	
	Chorus	1	3		Video producer/director	3	4	
	Dancer	1	3		Assistant vocal director	2	5	
	Understudy	1	2		Orchestra or band director	3	6	
<b>Production</b>	Stage manager	4	8		Assistant orchestra or band director	2	5	
	Stage crew	2	4		Choreographer	4	7	
	Lighting technician	3	6		Assistant choreographer	3	5	
	Lighting crew	2	3		<b>Writing</b>	Original play (produced)	5	8
	Set designer	4	5			Original radio script (produced)	4	6
	Set construction crew	3	5	Original TV script (produced)		4	6	
	Costumer	3	6	Original play (unproduced)		1	2	
	Costume crew	2	5	Original radio script (unproduced)		.5	1.5	
	Properties manager	3	5	Original TV script (unproduced)		.5	1.5	
	Properties crew	2	3	<b>Miscellaneous</b>	Oral interpretation		2	
	Sound technician	3	5		Duet acting scenes		2	
	Sound crew	2	3		Participation in theatre festival or contest		3	
	Video editor	1.5	2		Attending theatre festival		1/day	
	Video crew	1.5	3		Assembly program		1	
	Makeup manager	3	5	<b>Advocacy</b>	Participation in advocacy event		1/day	
Rehearsal prompter	2	4	Local advocacy work			.1/hour		
Pianist	3	6	<b>Officers</b>	President		6		
Musicians	2	3		Vice president, treasurer, or web editor		4		
<b>Business</b>	Business manager	4		6	Secretary/clerk		5	
	Business crew	2		4	International Thespian Officer (ITO)		10	
	Publicity manager	3		5	State Thespian Officer (STO)		8	
	Publicity crew	2	3	<b>Audience</b>	Troupe directors may award points at the hourly rate for attending productions, or they may award .5 point for attending <i>and</i> writing a critique or report reflecting the educational value of the experience.			
	Ticket manager	2	4					
	Ticket crew	1	3					
	House manager	2	4					
	House crew	1	2					
	Ushers	1	2					
	Programs	1	3					
Program crew	1	2						

## Thespian Honor Rank Summary

Thespian points earned	Thespian rank	Honor may be signified by...
10	Thespian	Thespian induction. Membership card, certificate, and induction pin awarded. The induction pin also represents the Thespian's first point star earned.
20-50	2- to 5- star Thespian	Induction pin and 1 to 4 Thespian point star pins are affixed to ITS honors ribbon. 1 to 4 Thespian point star stickers are added to membership certificate.
60	Honor Thespian (6-star Thespian)	All ITS points stars removed from ITS honors ribbon. Honor Thespian pin replaces point stars. Honor bar sticker added to membership certificate.
70-110	7- to 11-star Thespian	One point star added to honors ribbon for <i>each</i> additional 10 points earned.
120	National Honor Thespian (12-star Thespian)	All point stars removed from ITS honors ribbon. National Honor Thespian pin replaces point stars. National Honor bar sticker added to membership certificate.
130-170	13- to 17-star Thespian	One point star added to honors ribbon for <i>each</i> additional 10 points earned.
180	International Honor Thespian (18-star Thespian)	All Thespian point stars removed from ITS honors ribbon. International Honor Thespian pin replaces point stars. International Honor bar sticker added to membership certificate.