



Academic Letter Program

At General McLane High School, we value student participation and achievement in extra-curricular activities, and we value academic achievement. Since student athletes have an opportunity to earn a General McLane Letter for participating in a varsity sport, we feel it is important to offer the same opportunity for students who achieve academically and participate in non-athletic extracurricular activities.

To earn an Academic Letter and a Lamp of Knowledge Pin, students in grades 10, 11, and 12 must earn 10.5 points in a one year period. This one year period will be defined as the last nine weeks of the previous school year and the first three nine-weeks of the current school year.

Students in grade 9 must earn 8 points in the first three quarters of their freshman year. In order to earn a bar pin, students must accumulate 10.5 points in any subsequent year. Other than quarter four honor roll or Principal's Honor Roll, points do not transfer from year to year.

To earn an Academic Letter, the following point system will be utilized:

Anime Club.....	.5
Art Club.....	.5
Battle of the Books.....	1.0
Broadway Dinner.....	1.0
Caring Club.....	.5
Chess Club.....	.5
*District Chorus.....	1.0
District Jazz.....	.5
Diversity Club.....	.5
English Festival.....	1.0
Envirothon.....	1.0
French Club.....	.5
Future Business Leaders of America.....	1.0
General McLane Acceptance (GMA).....	.5
GM Health & Wellness Club.....	.5
GM Lancer Ledger, Student Newspaper.....	.5
Holiday Choir.....	.5
Honor Roll.....	2.0
Jazz Band.....	.5
Key Club.....	.5
LINK Crew.....	1.0

Mandarin Club.....	.5
Marching Band.....	.5
Model UN.....	.5
Musical.....	2.0
National National Honor Society.....	2.0
Photography.....	.5
*PJAS (PA Junior Academy of Science).....	1.0
Principal's Cabinet.....	1.0
Principal's Honor Roll.....	2.5
Recreation Bowling.....	.5
RoboBots.....	.5
Spanish Club.....	.5
Spring Concert Choir.....	.5
STEM Challenge.....	.5
Student Council.....	1.0
Students For Christ (SFC).....	.5
*TEAMS.....	1.0
*Vocal Jazz.....	.5
Writing Club.....	.5
Yearbook.....	.5

***Any time a club or activity advances to the district, region, state or national level, a .5 will be added.**

