## **SSMS Awards and Honors**

SSMS will honor deserving students throughout the year:

- At the end of each 9 weeks grading period students designated as our Wildcat Pride recipients will be recognized.
- At the conclusion of the academic UIL season, students who earned recognition in their events will be honored at a separate UIL Awards Assembly.
- Students involved in Destination Imagination will participate in a showcase event so that the public has an opportunity to watch the challenge solutions.
- Students who participate in band, strings or choir will be recognized for achievements during the school year at scheduled concerts.
- 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who qualify for NJHS will be recognized at a ceremony following the 3<sup>rd</sup> academic quarter.
- Athletic successes will be recognized during schoolwide assemblies.

At end of the year Awards Assemblies, students will be honored in the following ways:

Academic excellence: highest grade average

Academic achievement: academic growth

• Wildcat character: character & work ethic