

The Order of the Round Table
2020-2021

I, _____, acknowledge and commit to the following criteria for recognition as a member of the Order of the Round Table:

1. I must set a positive example by promoting kindness and good conduct.
2. I will follow school rules, including such rules as wearing the appropriate uniform (including shoes and socks), and following cafeteria rules (such as not bringing in foods in restaurant packaging unless given special circumstances).
3. I must show respect for my teachers by being punctual to school. I may not have more than 5 unexcused tardies in a grading period. (Excused tardies include such events as Doctor/Dentist/Orthodontist appointments and speech class)
4. I must accumulate at least **10 hours** of volunteer service by May 1 of 5th grade. These hours should include:
 - a. **7** hours of community service (which may be accumulated individually or as a group project) Examples include:
 - i. Participating in a community run/walk for a cause
 - ii. Hosting a lemonade stand or bake sale to raise funds for a cause
 - iii. Working with an agency such as AARC, Salvation Army, etc. on a project
 - iv. Collecting canned goods for a food pantry
 - v. Other approved activity
 - b. **3** hours of school service
Examples include:
 - i. Reading to younger students
 - ii. Helping organize and conduct a school event
 - iii. Participating in campus clean up
 - iv. Participating in safety patrol
 - v. Participating in flag duty
5. I understand that I may be removed from consideration for ORT and from participation in its activities if I am involved in:
 - a. Fighting
 - b. Cheating
 - c. Stealing
 - d. Behavioral Issues
 - e. Excessive unexcused tardies
 - f. Disrespect toward peers and/or adults
 - g. Poor conduct grades
 - h. Dress code violations
6. I understand that the ORT Board has the right to review individual cases that might have extenuating circumstances.
7. I understand that all requirements above must be met in order to receive an ORT certificate on Honors Day.

Student's signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's signature: _____