

The Order of the Round Table 2020-2021

Mission: To honor and serve our school and community.

An inclusive honor society for 5th grade students who are willing and able to uphold the high standards of the organization

Requirements for Membership:

Members must sign a contract acknowledging and committing to the following criteria:

1. Set a positive example by promoting kindness and good conduct for the student body.
2. Follow school rules (such as wearing appropriate uniforms), follow cafeteria rules (such as not bringing in food from restaurants), and follow classroom rules.
3. Show respect for the teachers by being punctual to school.
4. Must accumulate 10 hours of community/school service by May 1 of fifth grade. May begin accumulating hours during the summer prior to 5th grade. Hours must be documented on attached sheet and given to sponsor.
 - 7 hours of community service to one or more of the following agencies:
 - Albany Humane Society
 - Phoenix Assisted Living
 - Salvation Army
 - Other agency approved by sponsor/board
 - This may include school wide projects or individual projects, and may also include participation in community “fun runs” for charity
 - 3 hours of school service such as:
 - serving as safety patrol
 - serving as 5th grade flag duty
 - Reading/mentoring/tutoring
 - Other

*Violations which lead to a student's removal from ORT:

- Fighting
- Cheating
- Stealing
- Behavioral issues
- Excessive unexcused tardies (more than 5 in a grading period)
- Disrespect towards peers and/or adults
- Poor conduct grades
- Dress code violations

*The Board will have the right to review individual cases that might have extenuating circumstances. The sponsor, the lower school director, and 3 teachers will serve as the ORT Board

Only students who have met all requirements will be recognized with an ORT certificate during Honors Day.