



2014-15 ROTARY DISTRICT 7980 CITATIONS FOR INTERACT CLUBS

Every year, Rotary International District 7980 issues citations to deserving Interact clubs to recognize their achievements and efforts over the past year. Achieving a district citation reflects an Interact club's ability to represent the local and international communities of Rotary, work together with their sponsoring Rotary club(s), and engage their members at the district level. The three district citations offered by Rotary International District 7980 are summarized below. The specific criteria for each citation is outlined on the back of the sheet.

1. **The Interact Citation (level 1, 5 criteria):** is awarded to Interact clubs that meet the minimum requirements set forth by the Interact District 7980 Executive Committee.
2. **The Youth Service Citation (level 2, 8 criteria):** is awarded to Interact clubs that complete the minimum requirements, as well as involve themselves in other programs listed under Rotary's fifth Avenue of Service (Youth Service).
3. **The District Governor's Citation (level 3, 12 criteria):** is awarded to Interact clubs that not only complete the minimum requirements and involve themselves in Youth Service programs, but also go above and beyond in representing the local and international communities of Rotary.

Use the back of this sheet to plan and report Interact accomplishments for the 2014-15 Rotary year. An Interact club is eligible for a district citation if they have fulfilled every requirement for that citation. All activities must be completed between July 1, 2014, and March 31, 2015.

To apply for a district citation, the qualifying Interact club should have the bottom of this sheet signed by their Interact club president, Interact club adviser, and sponsoring Rotary club president(s). The signed form should then be scanned and emailed to InteractClubsD7980@gmail.com no later than **Tuesday, March 31, 2015**.

DISTRICT CITATION APPLICATION FORM

Name of Applicant Interact Club: **Interact Club of**

Please select the **highest level** citation your club has qualified for (*select 1*):

- Interact Citation (level 1)**
 Youth Service Citation (level 2)
 District Governor's Citation (level 3)

Signatures: *By signing this form, I affirm that my Interact club has fulfilled every requirement for the citation denoted above:*

Interact Club President(s) _____ Date: _____

Interact Club Adviser(s) _____ Date: _____

Rotary Club President(s) _____ Date: _____

2015 INTERACT DISTRICT CITATIONS CRITERIA CHECKLIST

Use this checklist to track your Interact club's progress towards earning a citation. Once all requirements for a citation are fulfilled, please submit a signed District Citation Application Form to InteractClubsD7980@gmail.com. Applications are due no later than March 31, 2015.

CITATION CRITERIA

All activities must be completed between July 1, 2014 and March 31, 2015.

	INTERACT CITATION LEVEL 1 <i>5 Criteria</i>	YOUTH SERVICE CITATION LEVEL 2 <i>8 Criteria</i>	DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S CITATION LEVEL 3 <i>12 Criteria</i>
1 Hold regular, full-club meetings at least twice per month.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 Identify and report Interact club officers for the 2015-2016 year to the Interact Executive Committee no later than February 1, 2015.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 Carry out a school or community service project/ fundraiser to support one of Rotary's six areas of focus.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 Engage your club at the district level of Interact by sending members to at least two Interact District functions (including Interact District Assemblies, and/or CoP's)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 Collaborate with your sponsoring Rotary club(s) on at least one project and have your Interact club officers attend at least one Rotary club meeting.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6 Send club members to Rotary leadership conferences, such as Next Generations and/or RYLA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7 Participate in the Rotary District 7980 Interact-Rotaract joint service project.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8 Introduce your members to other Youth Service opportunities (like RYLA, Next Generations, and Rotaract) through a presentation by a past participant.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9 Educate others about Interact by offering a presentation to a Rotary club, school, or other community organization currently without an Interact club.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10 Participate in at least one activity that promotes international understanding.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11 Organize a joint project with another Early Act, Interact, and/or Rotaract club.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12 Organize a joint project with one of Rotary's partners, like the Boy Scouts of America.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2014-15 PRESIDENTIAL CITATION FOR INTERACT CLUBS

How does your Interact club make a difference? Use this form to plan and report Interact accomplishments for the 2014-15 Rotary year. To qualify for the Presidential Citation, Interact clubs must carry out activities, listed below, in order to score at least **35 points**. All activities must be completed between 1 July 2014 and 31 March 2015.

In addition, the Interact club must have an active status with Rotary International. Before completing this form, the president of the sponsor Rotary club must confirm that status by checking the New Generations Clubs report in Rotary Club Central. The president then signs the form to certify the Interact club's achievements and sends it to the district governor, who must receive it by 31 March 2015. **This form should not be sent to Rotary International, as it will not be processed.**

District governors must report the names of the qualifying Interact clubs in their districts through [My Rotary](#) by 15 April 2015.

ACTIVITIES

- Participate in a local or district Rotary Day event (consult the *Rotary Days* brochure for information) or other Rotary event. **(15 points)**
- Participate in at least one activity that promotes international understanding. **(15 points)**
- Introduce your members to other Rotary opportunities for young leaders, such as [RYLA](#), [Youth Exchange](#), or [Rotaract](#). **(10 points)**
- Participate in a fundraiser to support polio eradication. **(10 points)**
- Submit a video for the [Interact Video Contest](#). **(10 points)**
- Participate in a school or community service project or fundraiser to support one of [Rotary's areas of focus](#). **(10 points)**
- Collaborate with one of Rotary's service partners, such as [YSA](#). **(5 points)**
- Participate in a career day or mentoring activity. **(5 points)**
- Recommend an outbound Interactor who then joins a Rotaract club. **(10 points)**

Total number of points _____ (minimum of 35 points to qualify)

Interact club _____

Sponsor Rotary club _____

I have confirmed that this Interact club has an active status with Rotary International. I understand that a club must have an active status in order to qualify for the Presidential Citation for Interact Clubs.

Signature of sponsor Rotary club president _____