

# Recognition Program Revisions

*Effective July 1, 2012* - Updated August 12, 2022, for Toastmasters Years 2022-23 and 2023-24

In August 2010, the Board of Directors approved revisions to the area, division and district level recognition programs to increase the focus on quality and distinguished clubs, while creating strong vertical alignment. These revisions will be effective July 1, 2012.

## Program at a Glance

	Distinguished Area Program	Distinguished Division Program	Distinguished District Program
<b>Qualifying Requirements</b>	No net club loss  Submission of <b>Area Governor's Club Visit Report</b> (Item 1471) for 75% of club base for first-round visits by November 30 and for second-round visits by May 31	No net club loss	Submission of <b>District Success Plan</b> by September 30  Submission of <b>Division and Area Governor Training Report</b> (Item 1475) by September 30
<b>Distinguished</b>	50% of club base Distinguished	40% of club base Distinguished	1% <del>3%</del> net membership payments growth <del>3% net club growth</del> No net club loss 40% of club base Distinguished
<b>Select Distinguished</b>	50% of club base plus one Distinguished	45% of club base Distinguished	3% <del>5%</del> net membership payments growth <del>5% net club growth</del> Net + 1 club 45% of club base Distinguished
<b>President's Distinguished</b>	50% of club base plus one Distinguished and a net club growth of one	50% of club base Distinguished plus net club growth of one	5% <del>8%</del> net membership payments growth 3% <del>8%</del> net club growth 50% of club base Distinguished