

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION & PAYMENT INFORMATION



To become a club member, please

1. Completely fill out and sign the **Membership Application**.
2. Completely fill out and sign the **Payment Information** document (page 3).
3. Submit both completed and signed documents to the club officer.
4. Please check here ☐ if you use assistive technology (such as a screen reader) to view your educational materials.

For questions, please contact [membership@toastmasters.org](mailto:membership@toastmasters.org).

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

### Club Information

This section is completed by a club officer.

Club number Club name Club city

### Applicant Information

This section is completed by the applicant. ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Other

Last name/Surname First name Middle name

The monthly *Toastmaster* magazine will be sent to the following address:

Organization/In care of

Address line 1 (limit 35 characters)

Address line 2 (limit 35 characters)

City State or province

Country Postal code

Home phone number Mobile phone number Email address

### Membership Type

This section is completed by a club officer.

- ☐ New ☐ Reinstated (break in membership)  
☐ Dual ☐ Renewing (no break in membership)  
☐ Transfer (If applicant is transferring from another club, please fill in the three lines below.)

Previous club name

Previous club number

Member number

### Toastmasters International Dues and Fees

This section is completed by the applicant with the help of a club officer. Dues and fees are payable in advance and are not refundable or transferable from one member to another.

#### 1. New member fee (US\$20) US\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Paid only by new members, this fee covers the cost of the first education path, online copy of The Navigator and processing

#### 3. Total payment to Toastmasters International US\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total of 1 and 2.

#### 2. Membership dues US\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Paid twice a year by all members, membership dues are pro-rated from the member's start month:

		DISTRICTED	UNDISTRICTED
<input type="checkbox"/> October	or <input type="checkbox"/> April	US\$45.00 \$ _____	US\$33.75 \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> November	or <input type="checkbox"/> May	37.50 _____	28.13 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> December	or <input type="checkbox"/> June	30.00 _____	22.50 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> January	or <input type="checkbox"/> July	22.50 _____	16.88 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> February	or <input type="checkbox"/> August	15.00 _____	11.25 _____
<input type="checkbox"/> March	or <input type="checkbox"/> September	7.50 _____	5.63 _____

I want my membership to begin: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Year

### Club Dues and Fees Worksheet

Club dues must be paid directly to the club. World Headquarters cannot process credit card payments for club dues.

International Fees and Dues \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(from line 3 above)

Club new member fee \_\_\_\_\_

Club dues \_\_\_\_\_

Total payment to club \_\_\_\_\_

## Sponsor of New, Reinstated or Dual Member

This section is completed by a club officer.

Sponsor's last name/surname	Sponsor's first name	Sponsor's member number	Sponsor's club number
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### Member's Agreement and Release

Consistent with my desire to take personal responsibility for my conduct, individually and as a member of a Toastmasters club, I agree to abide by the principles contained in A Toastmaster's Promise and the Toastmasters International Governing Documents and my club. I will refrain from any form of discrimination, harassment, bullying, derogatory, illegal, or unethical conduct, and I understand that if I engage in such conduct, I agree to reimburse Toastmasters International, my club or other clubs, or other individuals involved with Toastmasters, for any damages, losses or costs resulting from my conduct. Understanding that Toastmasters programs are conducted by volunteers who cannot be effectively screened or supervised by Toastmasters International or its clubs, I release and discharge Toastmasters International, its clubs, governing bodies, officers, employees, agents, and representatives from any liability for the intentional or negligent acts or omissions of any member or officer of my club or other clubs, or any officer of Toastmasters International. Should a dispute of some nature arise, I expressly agree to resolve all disputes, claims, and charges relating to Toastmasters, districts, clubs and Toastmasters members in accordance with Protocol 3.0: Ethics and Conduct.

By submitting this application, I expressly agree to the following:

- The collection, use and processing of the personal information I provide to Toastmasters in this membership application for the purposes of organization administration, payment of my dues, and inclusion of my contact information in a members' directory that will be distributed to members and employees of Toastmasters. In addition, the collection, use and processing of my personal information collected by Toastmasters International through Toastmasters' website and by electronic communications.
- That my information may be accessed and used by Toastmasters, its employees and agents, district officers and club officers.
- Maintain changes to my personal contact information to ensure it is accurate and current by updating my personal profile page located on the Toastmasters International website: [www.toastmasters.org/login](http://www.toastmasters.org/login). I understand that the majority of the data requested in this application is necessary for administrative and planning purposes.

Occasionally we would like to contact you with details of services, educational updates, and organizational updates. If you consent to us contacting you for this purpose, please check the box below corresponding to acceptable contact methods: Mail ☐ Email ☐ Phone ☐

If you would rather not receive non-essential communications from us, please check here ☐

For our full privacy policy, you may visit [www.toastmasters.org/footer/privacy-policy](http://www.toastmasters.org/footer/privacy-policy).

### A Toastmaster's Promise

As a member of Toastmasters International and my club, I promise

- ▶ To attend club meetings regularly
- ▶ To prepare all of my projects to the best of my ability, basing them on the Toastmasters education program
- ▶ To prepare for and fulfill meeting assignments
- ▶ To provide fellow members with helpful, constructive evaluations
- ▶ To help the club maintain the positive, friendly environment necessary for all members to learn and grow
- ▶ To serve my club as an officer when called upon to do so
- ▶ To treat my fellow club members and our guests with respect and courtesy
- ▶ To bring guests to club meetings so they can see the benefits Toastmasters membership offers
- ▶ To adhere to the guidelines and rules for all Toastmasters education and recognition programs
- ▶ To act within Toastmasters' core values of integrity, respect, service and excellence during the conduct of all Toastmasters activities

### Verification of Applicant

By my signature below, I agree to the terms of A Toastmaster's Promise and the Member's Agreement and Release stated above, and certify that I am 18 years of age or older (in compliance with the Toastmasters Club Constitution for Clubs of Toastmasters International).

I acknowledge that my electronic signature on this document is legally equivalent to my handwritten signature.

Applicant's signature

Date

### Verification of Club Officer

I confirm that a complete membership application, including the signatures of the new member and a club officer, is on file with the club and will be retained by the club.

By my signature below, I certify that this individual has joined the Toastmasters club identified. As a club, we will ensure that this member receives proper orientation and mentoring.

I acknowledge that my electronic signature on this document is legally equivalent to my handwritten signature.

Club officer's signature

Date

In order for this application to be valid, both signatures are required.

The **club officer** must follow the instructions below once the **Membership Application** and **Payment Information** documents are received.

1. Sign and date the applicant's **Membership Application**.
2. Submit the **Membership Application** and **Payment Information** documents online by logging in to **www.toastmasters.org/clubcentral**.  
You can also mail the documents to Membership, Toastmasters International, 9127 S. Jamaica St., Suite 400, Englewood, CO 80112, U.S.A., or fax to +1 303-799-7753. Please use only one of these methods to avoid duplication.
3. After receiving confirmation that Toastmasters International has received and processed the **Membership Application** and **Payment Information**, the club officer must:
  - a. Retain the applicant's **Membership Application** with other club documentation; and
  - b. Immediately destroy the applicant's **Payment Information** document (page 3) and any copies in the club officer's or club's possession, including all electronic copies.

## PAYMENT INFORMATION

### Payment Method to Toastmasters International

This section is completed by the applicant and is for payment to World Headquarters only (the amount listed in line 3 on page 1). World Headquarters does not collect club dues.

☐ **MasterCard**

☐ **Visa**

☐ **AMEX**

☐ **Discover**

US\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount

Card number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on card \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

☐ **Check or money order**

Check or money order must be for U.S. funds drawn on a U.S. bank.

US\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount

Check or money order number \_\_\_\_\_

☐ **Other**

Other \_\_\_\_\_

# The Benefits of Toastmasters Membership

## Build a Better You

Are you looking for a fun way to improve your communication and build skills to help in your career? Toastmasters allows you to engage with people who share similar interests to you in a supportive and comfortable setting. Here's just a few of the many benefits you'll see as a Toastmaster.



Improve your public speaking skills



Build leadership skills



Gain self-confidence and self-awareness



Work on networking in a small and supportive environment



Practice writing speeches and presenting in a group setting



Receive regular and constructive feedback from peers with similar interests as you



Gain a competitive advantage in the workplace



Access to the Pathways learning experience, which is an education program that allows you to leverage over 300 practical workplace skills, including:

- » Interview preparation
- » Online meeting management
- » Leadership development
- » Project management
- » Conflict resolution



Enjoy unlimited personal growth



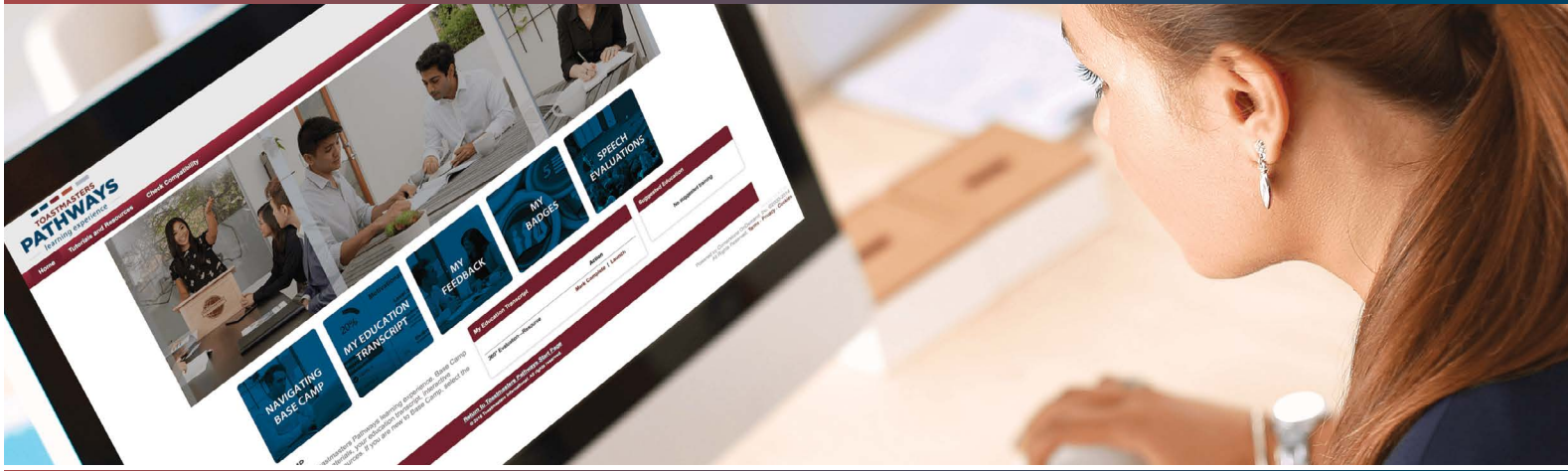
Maximize your potential

Toastmasters International is a non-profit educational organization that teaches public speaking and leadership skills through a worldwide network of clubs. The organization's membership exceeds 357,000 in more than 16,600 clubs across 143 countries. Members pay international dues of \$45 USD every six months, plus a new member fee of \$20 USD. With Toastmasters, the learning never stops. To learn more, visit [www.toastmasters.org/About-Us](http://www.toastmasters.org/About-Us).

**For local clubs visit [www.district1toastmasters.org](http://www.district1toastmasters.org).**



# Navigating Pathways



Reach your personal and professional goals through Pathways, Toastmasters' education program. Build the real-world skills you're looking for with a user-friendly online learning experience you can customize to fit your needs.

## Five Core Competencies

**Public Speaking**

**Interpersonal Communication**

**Strategic Leadership**

**Management**

**Confidence**

There are more than 300 unique sub-competencies in Pathways that build on the five above.

## 11 Specialized Learning Paths

After taking an online assessment, you will be guided to the ideal path, based on your current goals. There are at least 14 projects in each path.



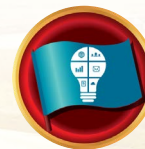
**Dynamic Leadership**



**Effective Coaching**



**Engaging Humor**



**Innovative Planning**



**Leadership Development**



**Motivational Strategies**



**Persuasive Influence**



**Presentation Mastery**



**Strategic Relationships**



**Team Collaboration**



**Visionary Communication**

**Want to hear what members are saying? See back for testimonials.**

[www.toastmasters.org/Pathways](http://www.toastmasters.org/Pathways)

# What members like most about Pathways:

UTILIZES TECHNOLOGY  
SKILL-SHARPENING ASPECT SELF-ASSESSMENT OPPORTUNITY  
EXTRA RESOURCES VARIETY OF PATHS PERSONALIZATION  
CURRICULUM FLEXIBILITY  
ONE-STOP SHOP FOR ADVANCEMENT ANY-TIME ACCESSIBILITY  
ONLINE FEATURE  
INDIVIDUALIZED PATHS ADDITIONAL LEARNING TOPICS

## How people are using Pathways:



Through Presentation Mastery, Cate was inspired to create short stories to get her community messages across in an interesting and memorable way.

*"What we do is very technical, very complicated and for most people, very boring; I would often see them glaze over when I was talking...I'm so grateful for Pathways."*

—Cate Arnold  
City Councilor  
Beaverton, Oregon



After completing the Strategic Relationships path, James is much more comfortable in groups—talking to people, shaking hands and connecting.

*"I needed to face this fear to try and connect better with people...it has really been a transformation."*

—James Wantz  
CAD Draftsman  
Willamette Mfg. & Supply Co., Inc.



When given the challenge and opportunity to move from India to the U.S., Kaushik looked to Pathways to create a bigger impact amongst native English speakers and to run work groups in a new environment.

*"Pathways offered me the opportunity to continue learning and stay hungry."*

—Kaushik Balasubramanian  
Technical Lead  
Intel Corporation



Adrian used Pathways to enhance her career.

*"The training has made me more focused and disciplined at work and improved my interaction with colleagues."*

—Adrian Jefferson Chofor  
Marketing Operations Consultant  
Kaiser Permanente

## How will Pathways transform you?

Enroll today and start your journey! [www.toastmasters/Pathways](http://www.toastmasters/Pathways)

## Visit a meeting today!

You won't regret it. With more than 357,000 memberships in over 16,600 clubs across 143 countries, you're sure to find a club that suits you. To find a nearby club, visit [www.toastmasters.org/FindAClub](http://www.toastmasters.org/FindAClub). Each club has its own personality, so visit a few to find one that best matches yours!

To see what to expect at a Toastmasters meeting, visit [www.toastmasters.org/ClubExperience](http://www.toastmasters.org/ClubExperience).

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—Mike Fasulo  
President and Chief Operating Officer  
Sony Electronics Inc.

## Your Path to Leadership

Become the speaker and leader you want to be



“

*Being in Toastmasters pushes you to take on challenges that you wouldn't have taken on by yourself. You start stepping up more for a project and want to take on more responsibility and become a leader.”*

—Sven Dejean  
Senior Manager, European Partners  
The Coca-Cola Company



## Local club information:

“

*I have been promoted at my job six times since becoming a Toastmaster. Every speaking and leadership opportunity advances your own skills and helps others along the way.”*



—Jing Humphreys, DTM  
Senior Chemist  
Sonneborn, LLC



WHERE LEADERS ARE MADE

## Give your potential a voice

### What is Toastmasters?

Since 1924, Toastmasters International has helped millions of men and women become more confident when communicating with others. The Toastmasters network of clubs and its learn-by-doing program were created to help you become a better speaker and leader. Why pay thousands of dollars for a seminar when you can join a Toastmasters club for a fraction of the cost and have fun in the process?

## Creating leaders

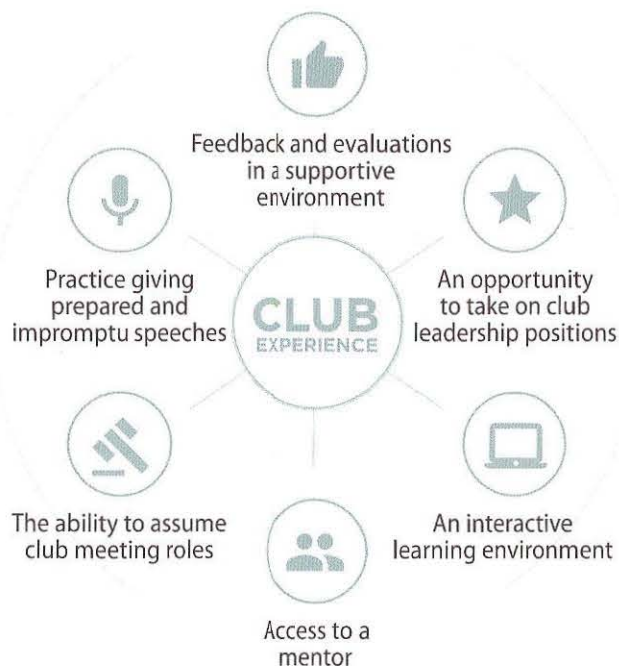
### What makes a leader?

Effective leaders empower others to accomplish personal goals and contribute to the successful completion of group objectives. Leaders act as role models for others to emulate. They provide guidance and feedback throughout the course of assigned projects and often help others improve their skills. Great leaders inspire others to follow them.

### What's in it for you?

While some are born confident, charismatic leaders, others must work to develop their leadership skills. Through Toastmasters, you'll gain the practice to become the leader and speaker you want to be. You will also sharpen your management skills, become a better negotiator, gain trust and inspire your team. Learn to be decisive!

### What does the club experience offer?



### How will you grow?

- » Build leadership skills
- » Improve public speaking skills
- » Practice writing speeches and presenting in a group setting
- » Gain a competitive advantage in the workplace
- » Networking opportunities in a small and supportive environment
- » Build self-confidence and self-awareness
- » Allows for unlimited personal growth
- » Ability to maximize your potential



## The path to unlocking your full potential

### What is the Pathways learning experience?

Pathways is Toastmasters' exciting, interactive and flexible education program. It focuses on five core competencies: Public Speaking, Interpersonal Communication, Strategic Leadership, Management and Confidence. With 10 paths to choose from (and more in development), you have the option to pick which skills you want to focus on.

### How does Pathways work?

Sign in to Pathways and take the online assessment, which will suggest a learning path based on your goals. As a Toastmasters member, you will receive one free path when you join. Progress through your path by completing projects, giving presentations at club meetings and implementing feedback, all done at your own pace. Each path has five levels and you'll start by mastering fundamentals before working your way up to demonstrating your expertise. Best of all, Pathways is available online or in print and is translated into eight languages!

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## Find Your Voice

Shape your future with your words



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*Toastmasters has changed my life for the better. It helped me find my voice. ... a more confident me.”*



—Maria Martinez  
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Center for Behavioral Excellence – Wipro



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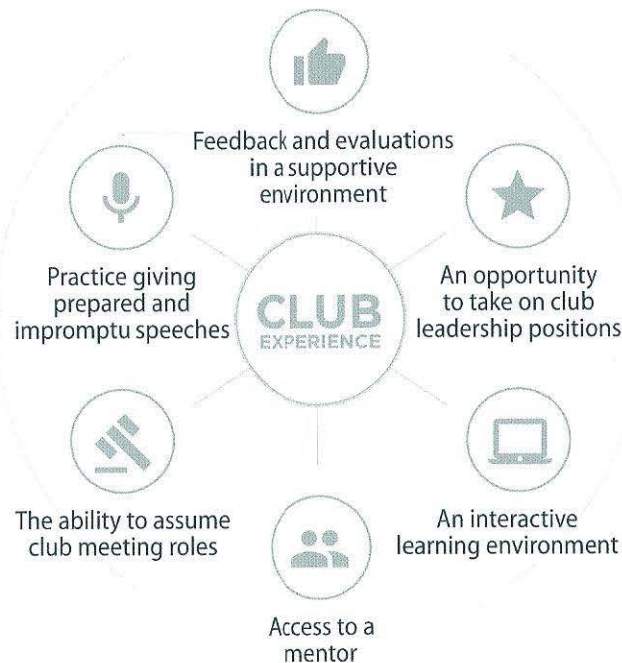
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## The proven way to become a better speaker

### What's in it for you?

Toastmasters will give you the skills and confidence you need to effectively express yourself in any situation. Whether you are a tenured manager, student, young professional, someone who is looking to advance their career or looking to make an impact in your community, Toastmasters is the most efficient, supportive, enjoyable and affordable way of gaining great communication skills. By learning to effectively formulate and express your ideas, you open an entirely new world of possibilities. You'll improve your interpersonal communication and be more persuasive and confident when giving speeches.

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