

Elected Grand Officer Campaign Rules
Ohio Grand Assembly
International Order of the Rainbow for Girls

Requirements for Applying to Run for an Elected Grand Office

1. A district may only submit 1 girl per year to run for an elected Grand Office except when the district has a girl who is currently Grand Worthy Associate Advisor and will be advancing to Grand Worthy Advisor by unanimous ballot.
2. The girl must be a current or Past Worthy Advisor.
3. The Grand Worthy Advisor cannot be from the same district in consecutive years.
4. The girl is in good standing with the order of Rainbow and will not receive her majority until after her installation into the office, if elected .
5. The girl will attend Grand Assembly as a full time registrant during the year she would be elected and the year she would be fulfilling the position, if elected.

Rules of Campaigning for an Elected Grand Office

A note about the rules for campaigning: These rules are put in place to create a positive experience for all candidates and the membership of Ohio Rainbow. They are intentionally structured in such a way that campaigning should be conducted via word-of-mouth in an unbiased manner.

1. You cannot campaign until you receive written permission from Ohio's Supreme Deputy/Inspector.
2. You cannot campaign in an assembly room, including the Grand Assembly room.
3. Grand officers cannot campaign for or with you.
4. Adults cannot campaign for or with you. If asked, adults can communicate who is running but cannot discuss preference or show any bias to a candidate.
5. If you are a current Grand Officer, you cannot campaign with your Grand Officer pin on or anything that has your Grand Office or name on it.
6. You cannot hand out literature with your name and/or office on it (i.e. a business card).
7. You cannot send out mass emails or post messages on social networking sites about running for this office.
8. If traveling to another district during the time that you are running for an elected office, you must obtain permission from the Grand Deputy to visit her district prior, as early as possible, to the event you wish to attend. Your approval to attend will be at the discretion of the Grand Deputy. Obtain permission by calling and/or emailing the Grand Deputy of the district you wish to visit. Make sure that *your* Grand Deputy is aware of your intentions to travel and your outreach to the corresponding Grand Deputy.