

# *Junior American Citizens*



The Junior American Citizens Committee (JAC) promotes civics education, American heritage and history, love of country and community service.

Through JAC clubs and contests, America's children learn:

- ◆ The principles of our democratic government and
- ◆ appreciation for our great country.

Children can participate in clubs and contests sponsored by local DAR Chapters. Through these opportunities and recognition of the student's work, this committee hopes to encourage today's Junior American Citizens - the future leaders of our country.

## **JAC Clubs**

DAR Chapters sponsor these clubs in schools and youth groups (scouts, C.A.R. societies, other service organizations). Clubs can determine their own meeting frequency. Members salute the flag, say the JAC values creed, and participate in community service and patriotic activities, while learning history and developing a deep love of America.

## **JAC Contests**

The JAC Committee sponsors contests in art, creative expression, and community service for preschoolers through grade 12. Any child is eligible to participate in the contest. A child does not have to be a JAC club member or CAR member to enter. (guidelines on the back of this sheet)

Local DAR Chapters help facilitate this work. If you have not already been contacted by a DAR chapter, one of our representatives at our booth can help you find the chapter nearest you!

For more information, including contest guidelines, please contact Indiana DAR  
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