

Xenia Church of Christ

Student Ministry Code of Conduct

Van Behavior

While traveling with the group in church vans, rented vans, or other vehicles please adhere to the following guidelines:

1. Wear seatbelts. It's the law.
2. Do not throw objects inside vehicles, especially in a way that could hinder or distract the driver.
3. Do not make offensive gestures or act in any inappropriate way to other vehicles.
4. No lap-laying or other inappropriate touching.
5. Do not abuse the vehicles.

Hotel Behavior

While staying with the group either in a hotel or in homes please adhere to the following guidelines:

1. No girls in guys' rooms. No guys in girls' rooms.
2. No teens are to be left alone in hotel rooms.
3. Do not watch inappropriate programs.
4. Be respectful of other people's property. No stealing. No breaking. No borrowing without permission.
5. Observe hotel rules, including safety and courtesy policies.

Event Behavior

While attending events with the group, please adhere to the following guidelines

1. Be respectful of yourself and others. (1 Tim. 4:12)
2. Obey the instructions of the group leader and/or chaperones.
3. When an event schedule is given, attend the event and be on time.
4. Make sure an adult knows your whereabouts at all times. We are responsible for you. Check in with the group leader or other chaperones at regular intervals. You can do this in person or by text.
5. In case of emergency, contact the group leader or other chaperone immediately.
6. No Lone Rangers; meaning, don't go off by yourself. If something were to happen to you, no one would know about it.

Cell Phones and Personal Devices

1. You may bring your phone, BUT no talking, texting, surfing, or playing games during sessions. Do not let your cell phone become a distraction for you or others.

Swimming Etiquette

1. In the interest of modesty, everyone needs to wear a one-piece swimsuit whenever swimming is part of a youth event.
2. You may also wear a t-shirt if you so desire.

Prohibited Items

Do not bring any of the following items on church sponsored trips. There will be trouble if you do.

1. Alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs, drug paraphernalia
2. Weapons of any and all kind (even if you're a boy scout)
3. Inappropriate clothing
4. Inappropriate media/entertainment

Note: Although we have not prohibited them at this time, I strongly recommend not bringing jewelry, electronic devices, or any other high-dollar item. The reasons for this are two: one, such items can be easily lost, damaged, or stolen; and two, you don't want to give the temptation for someone to lose, damage, or steal your items. Protect your valuables by not bringing them.

We reserve the right to amend or revise this code of conduct.