



CAMPER GUIDELINES / RULES

1. Cabin/Behavior Conduct

- No one is allowed in the cabins, housing units or area centers of the opposite sex.
- Campers must be with a counselor at all times in the cabin.
- No food is allowed in cabins.
- Keep cabin clean and free of trash.
- No pillow fights or cabin raids.
- No pranks or hazing of any kind.
- No swearing, questionable language, teasing, coarse joking or name calling.

2. Weapons/Drugs Paraphernalia

- No weapons of any kind are permitted on camp property, including, but not limited to knives, guns, fireworks, or any other weaponry.
- No alcohol, cigarettes, cigars, chewing tobacco, or other illegal drugs are allowed on camp property.

3. Camp Facilities/Property

- There will be no destruction of camp facilities or property.
- No throwing sticks or stones at camp property or one another.
- Keep the camp clean and free of trash, including your cabins and housing areas.
- No one is allowed near the lake, climbing wall, zipline, or any other activities, without the supervision of Harvest staff.



4. Safety

- Stay with your cabin group at all times; no wandering off. Do not travel ahead of your group from activity to activity, meal times and chapel. Always maintain visual contact with your group.
- Campers may not travel to and from activities, restrooms, cabins, and the nurses station without supervision. All campers must travel in groups of two or more.
- Shoes and T-shirts must be worn at all times. We highly recommend water shoes. This includes traveling to and from aquatic activities.
- Because of the uncertainty of the terrain in which you are walking, we prefer that campers do not wear flip-flops. You may use flip-flops for the shower rooms.

5. Chapel Rules

- Use the bathroom before coming to chapel.
- Line up with your cabin group.
- No running, yelling, shouting, clowning around or jumping/climbing on the stage.
- No crowd surfing.
- Participate in the praise and worship.
- Sit quietly during altar call and use soft voices. One counselor must always be with the campers in the seating area.
- All ministry time should be handled in the following order: Female counselors with female campers, male counselors with male campers.
- When chapel is finished, stay together and head back to your cabin and continue ministry time and/ or get ready for bed and prepare for the next day.

Note: Not all campers will be able to participate in the chapel games.



6. Dining Hall Rules

- Counselors/campers please seat yourself quietly in your cabin groups at your assigned tables.
- Counselors must always eat with their cabin group.
- Campers must eat the main course first, then dessert. (Staff, you set the example)
- Everyone needs to drink a full glass of water before having juice. (Staff be an example)
- No pounding on tables, running, yelling or shouting.
- No one is allowed in the dining hall unless it's meal time.
- No one is permitted in the kitchen.
- Please do not take food back to your cabins.

7. Cell Phones/Calls/Electronics:

- Campers are not allowed to call home. (Please do not **EVER** allow campers to call home).
- If you have campers with homesickness and you are unable to get them through it, please talk to the Camp Supervisor.
- Campers are not allowed to use cell phones, radios, MP3 players, iPods, and gaming devices at camp. If a camper has one, please take it and bring it to our office. We will give it back to them when they leave.

8. Relationships

- Campers must not be left alone. All campers must be accompanied by an adult of the same gender at all times, in groups of two or more kids.
- The six inch rule applies to campers and staff of the opposite sex. (Please no cuddling, holding hands, kissing, touching, or any other displays of public affection).
- Campers and staff should not be talking about male/female relationships while at camp. We are here to focus on God and growing in our relationship with HIM, not boyfriends or girlfriends



9. Dress Code: If a camper is inappropriately dressed, staff needs to handle it discreetly and try to provide an alternative solution. If you have any questions, see Leadership for assistance.

(Staff, you set the example).

- No inappropriate wording or graphics on clothes.
- No tears/holes in jeans or shorts that show underwear, briefs or boxers.
- No short shorts; shorts must be as long as one's fingertips when arms are at down at one's side
- No leggings; leggings are not a substitute for pants.
- No tank tops, half shirts/midriff shirts, muscle shirts or cut-off t-shirts. All shirts, for both men and women, must have sleeves.
- Bring safe footwear (tennis shoes & water shoes are highly recommended), Flip-flops can be used for the showers.
- Everyone will need to wear T-shirts and shoes when traveling from activity to activity.

Swimsuit Dress Code

- All females: modest 1-piece swimsuit or tankini (If your swimsuit is cut low in the chest area or has a deep cut in the back, you will need to wear a T-shirt at all times.
- All males: Swimsuit trunks or shorts. (If you have a suit that falls below your natural waistline, please wear a belt).