

RULES OF CONDUCT FOR T.G.F.F.

Parents, please go over these rules carefully with your children so that they understand them. Once you have done so, please return a signed copy with your registration form for T.G.F.F. This will really save time for us on the first day to not have to go over these rules of behavior.

What we expect all participants to aspire to:

1. Honor God and parents in language, behavior, choices, and academic work; (see Eph. 6:1-3)
2. Practice honesty and integrity at all times (1 Thess. 4:9-11)
3. Treat others with respect for their person and property and with consideration for their needs, abilities, relationships, and feelings; (Heb. 10:34-25)
4. Protect their reputations, the reputation of their families, and the reputations of other students (cf. 1 Peter 3:8-12)
5. Submit to the proper authority (Rom. 13:1-5)
6. Resolve conflicts constructively, without resorting to coercion or force, following the teaching of Jesus in Matthew 18:15-17
7. Set examples worthy of imitation before each other and especially those who are younger (1 Tim. 4:12)
8. Dress and groom themselves sensibly, modestly, and decently without calling undue attention to themselves; (1 Peter 3:3-4)
9. Practice hospitality toward their fellow students, new students, and guests on our campuses; (1 Peter 4:9)
10. Abstain from cheating, lying, fighting, profanity, vulgarity, threatening, verbal harassment, or using the Lord's name in vain. (Gal. 5:6-24; Col. 3:5-10)
11. Practice the Golden Rule (treat others as you wish to be treated), and the Great Commandments (love God and your neighbor as yourself)

Rules for Students

Parents, please go over these rules carefully with your children so that they understand them.

1. Cap pistols, pen knives, matches, lighters, squirt guns, rubber bands, balloons, knives, fireworks, or any items which could cause injury are not to be brought to the campus.
2. Do not mark on, deface, or vandalize school property or the belongings of other students.
3. To avoid damage or loss, video games, electronic equipment (i.e., CD players, iPods, electronic games, palm computers), cameras, trading cards, and expensive toys must be left at home.
4. Cell phones must be left OFF during the school day and kept in your backpack; they may only be used with permission from your teacher or Ms. Carnighan. The school will not be responsible for loss or damage.
5. Students should acquaint themselves with the limits of the school grounds. Leaving school grounds for any reason during school hours is absolutely forbidden.
6. Running in the corridors, climbing trees, walls, buildings, and throwing rocks, dirt, or other objects are all unsafe acts and are not permitted. Hard balls, baseballs, softballs, soccer balls, and basketballs are not allowed on campus.

7. Students must wash their hands before leaving the washrooms. This is important to the general health of our school community.
8. Students are not allowed to enter any classroom if a teacher or other adult is not present.
9. Students may not display affection to members of the opposite sex (i.e., hand-holding, hugging, kissing, etc.)

Playground Rules

In order to create a positive Christian atmosphere on our playgrounds, we have the following rules:

1. Follow directions.
2. Stay in assigned areas.
3. Do not enter an empty classroom without permission.
4. No littering, spitting, or gum chewing on campus.
5. Do not misuse or abuse equipment or buildings.
6. Do not engage in dangerous or unsafe acts.
7. Play without arguing or name-calling.
8. Do not cause harm to another student.
9. No fighting or bad language will be tolerated.
10. Do not be disrespectful to others.

Dress Code

- Girls' blouses may not be low-cut, revealing, or midriff baring. Thin, spaghetti-strap style tank tops are not allowed. No mini-skirts or short shorts.
- Shoes must be worn. Shoes must be of a design that will allow active play. No wheelies on campus.
- No excessively baggy, low cut, or holey pants.

Make-up

Make-up may not be worn by students below the seventh grade. Seventh and eighth grade girls may wear a *modest* amount of make-up.

Rules for Parents

1. Parents are asked to dress modestly and appropriately and to set an example by abiding by the same dress code expected of the students.

Participation in the academic and extracurricular activities we offer is a privilege and shall be granted to students who are willing to conduct themselves in accordance with these Standards and who are desirous of carrying out the aims of our Christ-centered program.

I, _____, have read and agree to follow the above listed rules and standards.

Signed: _____ Date: _____