

CYI Teen Center Code of Conduct

All participants are expected to follow these standards while at the Teen Center:

Expectations:

- Show courtesy and respect at all times, even when others do not.
- Behave responsibly and use self-control.
- Dress in a way that is appropriate and respectful.
- Respect the rights and privileges of other participants and Teen Center staff.
- Respect the property of others, as well as all CYI property and facilities.
- Use technology, publications, and confidential information responsibly and appropriately.
- Cooperate with Teen Center staff in maintaining safety, order, and discipline.

Unacceptable Behaviors; The following actions are not allowed:

- Showing disrespect to Teen Center staff.
- Ignoring or refusing to follow CYI Teen Center policies.
- Using profanity, vulgar language, or obscene gestures.
- Possessing, using, or being involved with drugs, alcohol, tobacco (including chewing, smoking, or vaping), or weapons. These items are strictly prohibited on CYI property.
- Damaging, defacing, or stealing property belonging to CYI or others.
- Engaging in inappropriate physical or verbal contact.
- Running, pushing, fighting, littering, or throwing objects outside of supervised activities.
- Making loud, rude, or disruptive noises.

Possible Consequences; If a participant engages in unacceptable behavior, one or more of the following actions may occur:

- Meeting with staff to discuss the behavior.
- Meeting with staff and the participant's parent or legal guardian.
- Restriction from the Teen Center if behavior continues or if a parent/guardian will not meet.
- Suspension or expulsion from the Teen Center.
- Requirement to pay for damages (restitution).
- Notification of law enforcement.

By signing below, I confirm that I have read, understand, and agree to follow the CYI Teen Center Code of Conduct.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____