



Diocesan Code of Behavior

We expect you will represent your family and parish/school well during this retreat/event. Recall that you are a witness for your church to the people gathered for this program. We ask you to project an image of Christian consideration, sensitivity, and respect to everyone and to the property around you. We are confident you will display the maturity, responsible leadership and character that have become the trademark qualities of Catholic youth. Thank you!

General

Parish/school leaders are responsible for the actions of the members of their group. Each parish/school accepts full responsibility for any damage or theft caused by members of their group while attending the retreat/event. Adult chaperones in each delegation are to help enforce the Code of Behavior and to set an example for their youth.

Some Rules

- !! Participants are asked to respect the building property, all furnishing, walls, etc. as well as the natural surrounding. Remember you are guests of the establishment.**
- !! Must participate in activities and it is important to be on time and ready to fully participate**
- !! The possession, purchase, or consumption of beer, wine or other alcoholic beverages and the possession or use of illegal drugs by any individual will not be tolerated. Failure to comply with these rules will mean immediate dismissal from the event.**
- !! No weapon of any kind may be possessed by a program participant. Failure to comply with this rule will mean immediate dismissal from the event.**
- !! If the event is overnight, curfew must be respected at all times. Remember to keep noise levels down in the sleeping areas, especially later in the evenings. This guarantees the right to privacy and quiet time for fellow participants and other people that may be in residence. No visiting is permitted in the rooms occupied by members of the opposite sex.**

I as a participant in _____ understand and agree to abide by these rules and regulations are determined by the (Arch) Diocese of Laredo I also understand and agree that I will notify my parents or guardian at the time of any infractions requiring my dismissal from the program and that I will be sent home at my own and/or my parents'/guardian's expense.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Youth

Date

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