

Southwest Unity Region
2017- 2018 Uniteen Group Agreements



I understand that my choices not only affect my own experience, but others' in the group as well. I understand behaviors which may be appropriate elsewhere may not be appropriate during this event. By choosing to participate in the event, I agree to uphold SW Unity Region policies, the host facility policies, applicable laws and the agreements listed below.

1. I will fully participate in all scheduled activities. I will honor my time commitments and stay in designated areas unless authorized for special leave by a group leader.
2. I will look for the highest good in all people and situations. I will come with an open mind, looking for ways I can both give and receive to make this event a meaningful experience for all. I agree to support and respect my fellow teens, sponsors and staff.
3. I will show proper respect for the facilities, equipment, environment and everyone's personal belonging.
4. I agree to:
 - a. Listen while others are talking.
 - b. Abide by curfew/lights-out.
 - c. Not take part in character assassinations, pranks and put downs of myself or others.
 - d. Not to offend or degrade anyone with my language, jokes or music.
5. I will give my focus on activities. If I have difficulty focusing, I agree to remain silent and still, as to not disrupt the experience of others. I will ask an adult for help if I need assistance with this.
6. **I understand that cell phones are not to be used at this event** and if brought are to remain off except for use authorized by and adult. It is recommended to not bring them at all. I understand that electronic games, Ipods/MP3 players and other objects that distract from the event's programming are not to be used. In signing these agreements, I understand that the SW Unity Region is not responsible for lost, stolen or broken items.
7. I will refrain from aggressive rough housing, fighting and other inappropriate physical contact. I will not bring weapons, or items that can be used as a weapon to events.
8. I recognize that even if I am dating another Uniteen attending this event, intimate behavior is inappropriate in this group setting. I will attend the event with the intention of being a friend to all attending.
9. I will create a safe place for authentic sharing and reflection, while eliminating pressure to participate in illegal or inappropriate activities. I will not use, possess or attend under the influence of alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs or other restricted substances, nor use Uniteen connections to promote illegal activities.

I understand that if I break one or more of these agreements I may be asked to leave immediately, at my parent's expense, and will not be allowed to participate in the next regional event (uniteen or YOU). I understand that these agreements are necessary for the group's highest experience and I agree to take responsibility for protecting the highest interests of sponsors, other teens and our churches. If I show that i do not understand what constitutes appropriate behavior in this group setting, that my participation may be restricted.

Print Uniteen Name

Uniteen Signature

Date

Yes, my child understands and can meet these agreements. If necessary, I will pick up my child early from this event at my own expense.

Parent/Guardian signature

Date