



Southwest Unity Region UNITEEN EVENT GROUP AGREEMENTS

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

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.

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.

I will show proper respect for the facilities, equipment, environment and everyone's personal belongings.

I agree to:

Listen while others are talking.

Abide by curfew/lights-out.

Not take part in character assassinations, pranks, and put downs of myself or others.

Not to offend or degrade anyone with my language, jokes or music.

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.

Cell phones are to remain off except for use authorized by a sponsor. I understand that electronic games, Ipods/MP3's and cell phones are not to be used at this event.

I will refrain from aggressive rough housing, fighting and other inappropriate physical contact.

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 entire event with the intention of being a friend to all attending.

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 Y.O.U.).

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, I will respect the authority of sponsors to lay out more specific guidelines for me, and that my participation may be restricted.