

# YOUTH GROUP CODE OF CONDUCT

#### **GENERAL RULES FOR EVERYONE**

- No weapons of any kind are allowed on campus.
- o No tobacco, alcohol or drugs are allowed on campus.
- o No fighting. No coarse or demeaning language. Treat others with respect and courtesy.
- o No males in female only areas or females in male only areas
- No PDA (Public Display of Affection)
- o Dress appropriately with modesty.
- o Remain in the Main Areas of the church. Children's Ministry is off-limits except when being used for small groups.

## **STUDENTS**

- All students are expected to be present during all activities at YG (games, teaching, small groups, worship), unless excused by SM Staff.
- o Follow directions from all adult leaders.
- o No "goofing off" during sermons and worship.
- o Always wear a helmet when skateboarding/riding a bike

#### **PARENTS**

- o The only adults allowed on-campus during YG hours are KHC Staff, YG Leaders/ volunteers, and parents whose students are currently on-campus.
- o Parents on campus during YG are to be conscientious of ministry activities. A parental presence is often a distraction for the students.

### **LEADERS**

- Never be alone with student of the opposite gender in a private place. If you are talking with,
  counseling, or praying for a student of the opposite gender, do so in plain sight of others
- o If you are giving a student a ride home, have confirmation/consent from their parents.
- o If you are spending time alone with a student outside of YG, have parental consent.
- Use the highest discretion when communicating with students to remain above reproach. Never say/write anything that you wouldn't want parents or staff to hear/see.
- o If a student needs to be confronted for any reason, this should be done in the presence of a third party for the purpose of accountability.

# **DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

In the unlikely event that disciplinary action needs to be taken against a student, parent(s) will be contacted and informed of the situation. Student Ministries Staff and the student's parents will work together to come up with a reasonable and supportive consequence.