

# Luther Crest Environmental Field Trip Policies

This list of policies is to be reviewed and sent home as a behavior contract for students attending our Environmental Overnight Events. It may be copied onto school or association letterhead.

## GENERAL STATEMENT FOR BEHAVIOR AND DISCIPLINE

Luther Crest will provide a fun, educational experience for all participants. Participants will be expected to conduct themselves in a manner acceptable to school rules and regulations. The outdoor field study experience is a special and unique learning situation, and special rules and procedures must also be followed to ensure the safety of everyone involved. Students who fail to abide by the rules will be dealt with in a manner that is fair and consistent with the rules that are broken. Repeated and flagrant violation of the rules may result in the student being sent home before the end of the field study experience.

## GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Any behavior that threatens the safety of another person will not be tolerated. Total cooperation is needed from everyone.
2. People are not to pollute the environment of the camp. All facilities and environments must be treated with care.
3. No student may leave the vicinity of the buildings without the permission of a staff member.
4. All participants are to follow the activity schedule, to attend all assigned classes, and to be on time for all scheduled activities.
5. Participants will be respectful of other participants and those in authority.
6. Rules stated during the orientation at the beginning of the field trip are to be followed.
7. The lake, docks, boats, canoes, ski trails, tubing hill, archery range and challenge course are off-limits unless supervising adults are present.

## GOALS

Goals of the field study experience are to stimulate an active interest in the environment, to create an awareness and concern for nature, to learn self-reliance and peaceful co-existence with others, and to make learning meaningful through active outdoor experiences.

The student and parent/guardian whose signatures appear below have read and understand the policies and goals of the Overnight Environmental Field Study Experience and give permission to participate in all activities. They also give Luther Crest Bible Camp permission to use photos/videos taken of the student for promotional use, including website and/or Facebook. If we post pictures on our website or Facebook Pages, we do not use any individual's name or contact information. We may reference the name of the participating group only.

*I, the student, will abide by the rules set forth by my school in addition to those of the Camp.*

**Student Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*I, the parent or guardian, am willing to transport this student from the Camp to our home in the event of repeated and flagrant violation of these rules prior to the conclusion of the field study experience.*

**Guardian Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_