

Participant Code of Conduct

Because individual conduct and appearance is an aspect of this competition it becomes the responsibility of each and every participant to see that every proper conduct is adhered to at all times.

Code of Conduct violations will not be tolerated and may result in dismissal from the team, being sent home at the individual's parent/guardian's expenses, forfeiture of awards, suspension from future Robotics activities and/or other appropriated measures. Read and understand the Team Handbook.

1. Participants must follow all rules and regulations of the Westview Robotics Team.
2. There shall be no defacing or stealing of property. Any damages to property or furnishing must be paid for or replaced by the individual involved. Violators may be referred to the police and sent home.
3. No narcotics in any form shall be illegally possessed or used by the participants at any time, under any circumstance. Violators will be referred to the school administrator, police authorities, and sent home.
4. No alcoholic beverages shall be possessed or used by participants at any time under any circumstance. Violators will be sent home.
5. Arrangements must be made prior to the trip if a student needs any kind of medicine (prescription or not). Students found with any drugs or giving them to another person will be sent home.
6. Possession of a weapon or any action potentially or actually causing bodily damage or any fear of life will not be tolerated. Violators will be sent home.
7. Student use of tobacco products will not be permitted.
8. Students will participate in all events (i.e.: opening ceremony, awards ceremony, cleaning) and assigned activities (i.e.: scouting, team spirit, safety glass cleaning, etc.)
9. Participants must keep their chaperone informed of their activities and whereabouts at all times.
10. Students must walk with a peer at all times (even to go to the bathroom) and never leave the Pit and/or Arena without a adult supervision.
11. Students of the opposite sex shall not be permitted in the same room without a chaperone present.
12. Sexual conduct, material, and or behavior are prohibited.
13. R rated movies or videos are not permitted.
14. The dress code will be followed at all times. If you don't want to wear the team uniform you don't want to be on the team. Jackets, hats, sweaters and other apparel items that are not part of the official team uniform may not be worn.
15. Students should refrain from rumors, "he said/she said", teasing, and other negative behaviors. If a problem occurs, you are requested to speak with adult leaders immediately.
16. Positive behavior is expected at all times, Your behavior, both positive and negative, reflects on not only you, but also on your teammates, the chaperones and mentors, our sponsors, our school, and our community. Judges will also be checking on you at all times during the competition.
17. Curfew regulations shall be interpreted to mean:
 - All student delegates will be in their assigned rooms from 11:30 PM until 5:45 AM
 - The noise level will be inaudible to anyone passing in the hall
 - Room to room telephone calls will cease at curfew
 - No delivery of food items after curfew
18. Participants in the presence, and/or having direct knowledge (not hearsay or rumor) of conduct violations must immediately separate themselves from the situation and report the violation to the team coach. Failure to do so will be revealed as the equivalent to participating in the transgression.
19. Minimum penalties for conduct violations may be imposed at the discretion of the team coach. Additional penalties may be imposed at the discretion of the team coach or adult leaders.
20. Participants with any concern about event procedures must refer to the hand book.

Participant Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date