



2019 Camp Rules Agreement for Camper

I, _____ [INSERT CAMPER NAME], want to be a part of a safe, fun and accepting environment and agree to follow the camp rules listed below.

We are committed to keeping our camp and campers safe. All participants in camp including counselors, Next Gen staff and campers follow the Safe Sanctuary policies and procedures as outlined by the United Methodist Church. For more information go to: www.gnjumc.org/safe-sanctuaries.

We treat each other with encouragement and acceptance. All campers must be respectful to each other and those in authority. We will not accept disrespectful behavior and language including comments directed towards a person of a different gender, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity or culture and inappropriate physical contact between campers including aggressive, intimate or sexual behavior or horseplay.

Campers are assigned to groups during their stay and must remain with their groups in classes, assemblies and activities. If a need arises to separate, campers can ask a camp counselor to accompany them.

Pinelands Center has designated places for camper activities. Campers must remain on campus in these designated places. No one is permitted to leave camp for any reason. Campers with cars will need to turn car keys over to staff upon arrival.

We assign campers to same sex sleeping quarters. Under no circumstances are campers to enter or visit the sleeping quarters of the opposite sex.

We have a camp nurse who takes care of campers medical needs. Campers who need regular medication, should indicate the appropriate information on the medical form and provide the camp nurse with the medication when they arrive. The camp nurse will distribute medication as required. (Tylenol, Ibuprofen, and other over-the-counter medicines are provided through the camp nurse.) Injuries and illness should be reported to the camp nurse immediately, so we can care for them.

We have a dress code that emphasizes modesty and safety. Clothing, including a shirt, comfortable bottoms, and shoes must be worn at all times. Shirts should be free of large holes or tears and long enough to cover the waistband of pants. Undergarments must be kept covered at all times. Shorts and swim trunks should be mid-thigh in length. Swimsuits should be one piece or a tankini that comes down to the bottoms. For safety reasons, sneakers or other closed toe shoes are required for many of our camp activities.

Pinelands Center is a special place in nature. As United Methodists, we are called to respect the facilities and care for the environment. All campers are expected to care for and respect the property of Next Generation Ministries and Pinelands Center at Mt. Misery.

Pinelands Center is a drug and alcohol free environment. In addition, weapons are prohibited.

All food and drinks are provided at Next Gen Camps. Please do not bring outside food and drink with you.

Next Gen strives to make camps a screen and phone free environment. Cell phones and other electronics should be left at home. Any electronic devices brought to camp will be collected at the beginning of the week and returned at the end of camp. In case of emergency, campers can ask a staff member for phone usage. If necessary, parents may contact the Pinelands Center office at (609) 893-3354.



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Our staff and counselors are onsite to provide fun and guidance. They also must enforce the rules. If a camper violates the above rules, staff may place additional restrictions on the camper or send him or her home.

I have read and agree with the above rules.

Camper name or Electronic Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Permission

As a parent or guardian of the camper named above, I hereby give my permission for my camper to participate in Next Gen Summer Camps 2019 and all camp activities (except as stated in the camper medical form).

I Agree

I agree that my camper and I have reviewed and agreed upon Next Generation Ministries camp rules and policies. I understand that the Camp Director has the right to send home any camper not complying with camp rules and regulations without a refund of any kind. I also agree to take full responsibility for any property damage caused by my camper.

I Agree

I hereby release and fully discharge Next Generation Ministries, Inc. and its staff and affiliates from any liability while my child is at camp and realize that every effort for safety will be made. This waiver of liability includes any damage or injury that results from my child's participation in the camp's activities or programs, including transportation to and from camp; any off-site trips, such as for programming needs or in the event of rain or emergency, and to the extent that any such damage or injury may be caused wholly or in part by any act or omission, whether or not by reason of negligence, of Next Generation Ministries, Inc. or due to the condition or design or any defect in any building, bus, or equipment used by or at camp. I understand that in case of any emergency, every effort will be made to contact me. I authorize Next Generation Ministries and the United Methodists of Greater New Jersey to have and use the contact information in this registration for future contact about Next Generation Ministries and Greater New Jersey events, programming and initiatives.

I Agree

Parent or Guardian Electronic Signature

Date