

Overland Park Church

Code of Conduct and Guidelines for Minors Who Work with Children

I am representing Overland Park Church and the kingdom of God. I agree to conduct myself in a manner that models for others an active and growing Christian faith. I understand that the children I serve will look to me for direction and guidance that supports their growing faith in Jesus.

By accepting this role, I agree to become actively responsible for providing a safe, secure and enjoyable time for children in my care.

While working with children at Overland Park Church, the following rules shall apply:

1. Smoking or using tobacco products in the presence of minors or using, possessing, or being under the influence of alcohol, illegal, or illicit drugs, will not be tolerated as it's prohibited.
2. Workers and volunteers will not bring onto the property, dangerous or unauthorized materials such as explosives, firearms, weapons or other similar items.
3. Workers and volunteers are required to dress in a manner that is respectful of the ministry and the kingdom of God. All clothing (including any logo or phrase) should be modest, appropriate, and set a positive example as determined by ministry leaders.
4. Workers and volunteers shall not use or tolerate the use of profanity in the presence of minors.
5. Workers and volunteers will portray a positive role model for children by maintaining an attitude of respect, loyalty, patience, courtesy, and maturity towards all people.
6. Workers and volunteers will be expected to act and react with Christian love and understanding in all situations.
7. Workers and volunteers will do everything in their power to avoid being put in a situation where they are alone with a child.
8. Workers and volunteers will obtain the help of an adult if any necessary First Aid is needed.
9. Always aim to work with or within sight of an adult.
10. Ensure an adult is informed if a child needs to be taken to the toilet.
11. Workers and volunteers will contact the appropriate person in a timely manner if unable to fulfill their assigned/scheduled responsibilities.

I have reviewed the *Code of Conduct and Guidelines for Minors Who Work with Children*. I/my child understands and agrees to follow this code of conduct and act in good faith for the welfare of the people involved.

Parent/Guardian's signature _____ Date _____

Child/Worker's signature _____ Date _____