



Acworth Police Department

Public Safety Cadets



CODE OF CONDUCT

Attending overnight trips and competitions trips are a privilege extended to members of the Acworth Public Safety Cadets. Since the Cadets represents both the City of Acworth and the Acworth Police Department, the Code of Conduct will be strictly adhered to. The Lead Advisor reserves the right to exclude students from participation in overnight trips due to documented discipline or attendance issues.

Since student behavior directly affects the image of the City of Acworth and the Acworth Police Department, Cadets in violation of the Code of Conduct will be disciplined accordingly immediately to include being sent home at parental expense.

GENERAL RULES

- All rules and the Code of Conduct apply at all times for the duration of the trip.
- Cadet activities and trips are to be tobacco-free, alcohol-free, drug-free, and weapon-free. Cadets are prohibited from possessing, using, or conveying alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, prescription drugs not prescribed to the cadet, tobacco products, and weapons.
- Any Cadet who must use prescription medication **MUST** inform the Lead Advisor in advanced.
- At all times, Cadets are expected to show proper courtesy, cooperation and respect for all adults and must be willing to abide by their decisions.
- In case of illness, parental permission will be sought before seeking medical care. Parents shall provide the Acworth Police Department with written permission to authorize necessary medical treatment in the event parent/guardian cannot be reached.
- Students will wear appropriate attire as defined by the dress code or as deemed appropriate for the activity by the sponsor.



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HOTEL RULES

- Cadets (and their parents/guardians) shall be held liable for any damage or loss of property at all times while on the trip.
- Rooms should be kept locked at all times and windows are not to ever be opened.
- Strangers shall not be admitted to any room. Only authorized members from the Acworth Police Department or Acworth Public Safety Cadet Unit will be permitted in rooms.
- Money or valuables should not be left unattended in rooms.
- There are to be NO MIXED GROUPS in hotel rooms; that is, no one of the opposite sex will be in the same room without supervision, NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Cadets shall be in their rooms by curfew, which will be announced each night. No exceptions will be made unless there is an emergency. Cadets may not leave their rooms after bed check.
- Cadets must be courteous to other hotel guests. There are to be no loud noises at any time.
- Cadets are not allowed to leave hotel grounds unless accompanied with an advisor.
- Hotel rooms are rented by and in the name of the Acworth Public Safety Cadet Unit, not the individual students. Therefore, officers with the Acworth Police Department, retains the right to enter and inspect hotel rooms used by the Cadets during the trip. By agreeing to these rules, students surrender the right to the officers to inspect a cadet's belongings at any time the advisors feel such inspection will reveal a violation of these rules or the Acworth Public Safety Code of Conduct.

COMPETITION / EVENTS

- Cadets must cooperate in getting to all events on time.
- Cadets will demonstrate good sportsmanship and will not be permitted to disrespect anyone.
- Cadets will Adhere to the Public Safety Cadet Code of Conduct.



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CONSEQUENCES

Any Cadet who fails to comply with the preceding rules and regulations or who fails to cooperate with the advisors may be subject to one or more of the following consequences at the discretion of the Lead Advisor:

- Sent home. Parents will be notified and will be responsible for making arrangements.
- Subject to disciplinary action, including suspension from the Cadet program.
- In the event of an illegal act, the advisors will handle it accordingly.

By signing below, you are agreeing to abide by this Code of Conduct and you're acknowledging that you understand the consequences of your actions.

Cadet Name: _____

Cadet Signature: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____