

CHARACTER COVENANT (Lock In Rules)

You don't know how excited we are to have you with us this year. This is going to be one of the greatest nights of your life. But, we need you to do a few little things to help us make this the best lock in in Gateway Students' history. We've worked HARD to give you an incredible time.

1. Choose to have a good attitude tonight. You don't have to be "real spiritual" to have a great time, just choose to be positive and make it a great time for yourself.
2. Remember to make it an "other's centered" time. Whether it's your first lock in or your fiftieth, make helping others a way of life, from the first minute you enter the building till you its time to go home.
3. Be a servant tonight...if there's something that needs to be done, please do it and don't wait to be asked.
4. There's a lot of adjusting to do when you're around new people. Please be conscious and sensitive of others around you and their feelings. On the other hand DON'T wear your feelings on your sleeve. Remember, "if you don't have something nice to say..."
5. Refraining from griping and complaining will make for a better night for yourself and those around you.
6. Please...be where the group is. You will have some free time during the night, but most of the time you will need to be with the rest of us. Take advantage of these times and do not view them as optional. There is plenty of room to roam around. Please do not take off in cars or private vehicles without parent permission.
7. To all our "Romeos and Juliets"...no PDA...PLEASE.
8. Please be quiet around the designated sleeping areas. Sleep is optional.
9. Food will be served throughout the night, please be mindful of your trash.
10. If you get sick or have a medical problem, please see a leader.
11. Regarding "BORROWING" things from other people...unless you ask, you are stealing. Leave your valuables at home. While we make every effort to ensure a crime-free night. Gateway Students will not be responsible for lost or stolen items. If you are caught stealing, you will be sent home.
12. A friendly word about pranks--DON'T.
13. Now for the obvious...no drinking, drugs, or smoking. No weapons of any kind, matches, open flames, or fireworks. If these items are found, you will be sent home without question.
14. Please DO NOT go into areas marked with CAUTION tape. If you do, you will be sent home.
15. Let's talk clothing. In general, if you wear clothing that is inappropriate (including, but not limited to, inappropriate pictures on shirts, spaghetti straps, etc.), you will be asked to change. We reserve the right to ask you change for a more modest and/or appropriate look.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

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I acknowledge that participation in the activity described above involves risk to the participant and may result in various types of injury including, but not limited to, the following: sickness, bodily injury, death, emotional injury, personal injury, property damage or financial damage. In consideration for the opportunity to participate in Lock In 2019, the participate or parent/guardian acknowledges and accepts the risks of injury associated with participation. The participate or parent/guardian accepts personal financial responsibility for any injury or other loss sustained during the activity, as well as for any medical treatment rendered to the participate that is authorized by Gateway fellowship or its agents, employees, volunteers or any other representatives (collectively referred to hereinafter as the "Activity Sponsor"). Further, the participant or Parent/Guardian releases or promises to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Activity Sponsor for any injury, property loss or illness arising directly or indirectly out of the described activity whether such injury arises out of negligence of Activity Sponsor, the Participate or otherwise.

Parent/Guardian

Signature Date