

**STUDENT MINISTRIES TRAVEL POLICY  
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, WICHITA, KS.  
June 1, 2009 – August 31, 2010**

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Name of Student

You are about to embark on wonderful adventures with God and the Youth Group from the First Baptist Church of Wichita, Kansas. Your participation in these adventures is a privilege. To ensure both your participation and the safety and enjoyment of the individuals involved in the youth events, it is important that you, and your parents, are aware of, and commit to, several policies and procedures. The policies and procedures are as follows:

**(A) ZERO TOLERANCE ITEMS:** Any individual found violating any of these items will be removed from the event and arrangements will be made for the individual to be immediately sent home at the expense of the parent(s).

- 1) The church does not tolerate the possession and or use of alcohol, controlled substances, drugs, tobacco or similar type products on any youth event.
- 2) The church does not tolerate the possession of and or use of audio and/or visual publication of pornographic materials on any youth event.
- 3) The church does not tolerate inappropriate physical (sexual, fighting/hitting) contact or behavior while on any youth event.
- 4) The church does not tolerate stealing, and more specifically, stealing from the church, the youth group, other individuals on events, or from establishments encountered as a result of an event.
- 5) The church does not tolerate the intentional, willful, or reckless destruction of personal or private property on any youth event.
- 6) All Youth (even guests) attending or participating in any Youth Event are expected to participate in planned group activities. Students "skipping" group activities will be sent home.
- 7) You are responsible to inform the event leaders or sponsors of any individual(s) who violate(s) any of the "Zero Tolerance Items" above.

**(B) GENERAL GUIDELINES:** The following guidelines are to be complied with on any Youth Event. Repeated violations or abuse of these guidelines may be grounds for removal from an event or other consequences, as dictated by the circumstances.

- 1) Respect the Event Leaders and Sponsors. Your respect and cooperation will make any event more enjoyable for all individuals on the event.
- 2) You are responsible for your body, its actions, your behavior, and the words that you speak—think before you act or speak.
- 3) Remember to treat others as you want to be treated.
- 4) Have patience and be tolerant—events involve many individuals, opinions, etc. It is important to start any event with the right frame of mind.
- 5) Any further questions regarding these policies and procedures may be directed to an adult SWAT Team member or the Senior Pastor at the church by calling (316) 263-5285.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the above policies and procedures in their entirety, that I understand them, and that I hereby agree to abide by and comply with these policies and procedures.

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Student Signature

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Date

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date