

STUDENT CONDUCT AGREEMENT

My signature on the application to attend Golden Heart Christian School indicates that during school hours and all school-sponsored activities and programs:

I will show respect and reverence for God and spiritual things.

I will follow school policies and procedures.

I will be responsible for my actions by:

- practicing the five life guidelines (“truthfulness”, “trustworthiness”, “no putdowns”, “active listening”, and “doing my personal best”).
- using appropriate language – words that uplift and encourage - no swearing or cursing.
- displaying a positive attitude.
- showing courtesy and respect for all staff, students, and visitors.
- respecting other people's property, including desks, shelves, lunches, clothes, etc.

I will respect the learning environment by:

- maintaining respect for school property
- being prepared for class with the necessary materials
- leaving items that distract from the learning process (such as toys and electronic devices) at home

I will support a safe environment by:

- wearing adequate, weather-appropriate clothing, which includes for outside play during winter months: a warm coat, a hat or a headband to cover the ears (even if a coat has a hood), gloves or mittens, snow pants, and snow boots
- wearing appropriate shoes that fit securely for outside or for the gym (no crocs, flip-flops, or clog-related shoes)
- understanding that possession of any kind of weapon may result in confiscation and immediate dismissal

I will dress appropriately for a Christian environment by:

- choosing clothes that reflect Christian values (neat, clean, well and modestly fitted, and in good repair)
- GHCS's dress policy excludes inappropriate wording or graphics
- dressing modestly. Modest attire excludes sheer fabrics, tightly-fitting stretch fabrics, sleeveless tops, low-cut or revealing clothing, or underwear showing. Girls should wear leggings under dresses and skirts.
- Shorts to the knees are acceptable.

- choosing a natural look in grooming. (Hair should be neat, clean, and out of the eyes and face. GHCS's natural look excludes jewelry.)
- wearing attire appropriate to the event for off-campus activities or as directed by the teacher.

Actions/Items Prohibited

Some items may be confiscated. Some behavior may result in suspension and/or expulsion.

Illegal actions will be reported to the local authorities. The following things are not allowed:

- Cigarettes/tobacco products, alcohol, drugs
- weapons, knives, firearms, fireworks, or explosives
- games and cards that do not portray Christian values
- gambling and betting
- profane, vulgar, demeaning, and/or insulting language
- physical or verbal abuse of teachers and/or other students