

Logan County Active Catholic Teens (ACT) CODE OF CONDUCT

Participants are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that reflects positively on themselves, their parents, and their church. Teens are expected to respect the rights, feelings, and property of others, and the authority of teachers, volunteers, coordinators, chaperones, and other members of the church staff.

For activities that take the teens out of town, participants will be expected to behave in a respectful manner toward the adults and other teen participants on the trip. Teens will be expected to follow trip rules. If they do not, the Youth Ministry Coordinator or chaperone may call the parents so that they can reinforce the rules set forth. If the teen continues to disregard the rules or is involved in drug or alcohol use or any other serious infraction, the parent will be called immediately and will be required to come and pick up their teen.

Non Christian behavior includes:

1. Insubordination to Youth Ministry staff and volunteers, including failure to comply with directions given;
2. Use of profane words or gestures;
3. Intimidation of Youth Ministry staff, volunteers, or the teen’s peers;
4. Harassment (verbal, physical, sexual) and fighting;
5. Intentional damage to or destruction of church property or property of Youth Ministry staff, volunteers, or peers;
6. Alcohol, Tobacco, or Drug use (this would result in an immediate call to parents to have the teen removed from the activity).

Participant’s Agreement Regarding Conduct

As a participant in the activities of **Logan County Active Catholic Teens (ACT) Youth Ministry**, I promise to conduct myself in accordance with the regulations of conduct as set forth above.

I understand that the **Logan County Catholic Community**, the Catholic Diocese of Peoria, its officers, agents, and/or employees reserve the right to terminate my participation in any **Logan County Active Catholic Teens (ACT) Youth Ministry** activity for failure to behave and act in accordance with the regulations of conduct, for failure to follow instructions and directions of the supervisors or chaperones, or for any of my acts of conduct that are deemed by **Logan County Active Catholic Teens (ACT) Youth Ministry**, its officers, agents, or employees, to be detrimental to or incompatible with the interest, harmony, comfort, or welfare of the activity as a whole. If my participation is terminated, only funds not actually used will be refunded, and I will be sent home at my own expense. I agree that the **Logan County Catholic Community**, its officers, agents, or employees, reserve the right at any time prior to or during the activity to make cancellations, changes, or substitutions, in the case of emergencies or changed conditions, or in the interest of the participants.

Printed Name of Teen	Teen Signature	Date
Printed Name of Parent/Guardian	Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

