TOMORROW'S CULTIVATING YOUTH INC.



Youth Member Code of Conduct

TCYouth Inc is a youth-driven non-profit charitable organization dedicated to providing awareness on self-worth, depression, suicide, bullying, financial education, and career planning; preparing the youth to become productive citizens beyond high school.

TCYouth Inc.'s goals is for all youth and adults to be treated equally and with the utmost respect. To achieve this goal, we have drawn up a "Code of Conduct" that *MUST* be adhered by ALL youth participating in TCYouth Inc. college tours, events, meetings, outings, and/or workshops.

TCYouth Inc. is a "DRUG-FREE" organization. ZERO TOLERANCE!!!

Participation in the organization's is subject to the observance of the organization's rules and procedures. *The activities outlined below are strictly prohibited*. Any participant who violates this Code is subject to dismissal from the tour and their parent(s) will be called to pick them up immediately. This will also cause the youth to not be qualified to participate in any other TCYouth Inc. events

- 1. RESPECT FOR ALL! (Youth peers, parents, board members, adult volunteers and any establishment employees!
- 2. NO OBSCENE LANGUAGE is accepted under any circumstances by any member (youth or otherwise).
- **3. NO BULLYING** will be accepted (this includes cyber-bullying via social media)!
- **4. NO PHYSICAL ALTERCATIONS OR VIOLENCE** that threatens any other youth, adult volunteers, parents, officers or board members! No one shall threaten the safety of any other human being (whether a member of TCY, Inc. or not).
- **5. NO AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOR** is acceptable! (We are all human beings and have different cultures and a wide range of diversity in this organization.) Please respect the opinion of others whether you agree or disagree with their opinion, by displaying decency.
- **6. RESPECT THE PROPERTY OF OTHERS!** DO NOT damage or deface the organization's property or any premises where we may hold an event or meeting.
- **7. DO NOT USE THE ORGANIZATION'S LOGO** on any social media, clothing, or branding, without the consent and/or permission from the President and Vice President of Tomorrow's Cultivating Youth Inc.
- 8. **CLEAN-UP AFTER YOURSELF!** Please dispose of trash properly. Put away your dishes, utensils, etc. after use. All youth must clean up after themselves properly and at once.
- **9. LISTEN CAREFULLY TO OTHERS!** Respect and listen carefully when someone else is speaking; do not be rude by whispering or talking while someone else is speaking.
- 10. RESPECT DESIGNATED QUIET AREAS! (i.e., computer, homework, and/or reading areas)
- **11. RESPECT THE PROPERTY OF VISITING SITES!** When visiting other sites/properties, you must stay within the program's designated areas. DO NOT destroy any parts of the property, and always throw your trash away in the applicable receptacles.
- **12.** NO WEAPONS, ILLEGAL DRUGS AND/OR ALCOHOL, OR CIGARETTES are allowed at any time while meeting in the name of the organization! (If violated, this is immediate grounds for termination of membership from the Organization.) Controlled substances shall include all of the following; 1) Controlled substances prohibited by law, 2)

Look-alike drugs, 3) Alcoholic beverages, 4) Anabolic steroids, 5) Drug paraphernalia, 6) Any volatile solvents or inhalants, such as but not limited to glue and aerosol products, 7) Prescription or over-the-counter drugs, such as aspirin, Motrin, Advil, cough syrup, etc., except those for which permission for use in school has been granted pursuant to TCY and PWCS's policy.

- **13. ACCEPT FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR YOUR BELONGINGS!** All youth must accept full responsibility for their personal belongings.
- **14. NO ELECTRONIC DEVICES USED DURING TOURS and TOUR LECTURES!** No cell phones and/or other electronic devices are to be used during the time TCYouth Inc. is conducting the tour. Exceptions: an emergency.
- **15. PARTICIPATION:** You will not be allowed to participate in any TCYouth Inc.'s parties, events and/or outings if under the influence
- **16. LEADERSHIP POSITIONS:** If you are in a leadership role you will be removed from your position if any of the above rules are violated.
- **17. DISMISSAL!** If any of these violations occur during a field trip, event, or meeting, a parent/guardian will be asked to come pick up the youth. 2nd offensives will require a meeting with the parent and youth and possible dismissal from the organization.

Furthermore, TCYouth Inc. prohibits any youth from using, possessing, distributing, and being under the influence of any controlled substances during any field trip, at any time during youth meetings and/or events, and during the time spent traveling to and from the tour and during the tour.

I have read and understand the Tomorrow's Cultivating Youth Inc's Code of Conduct. I agree to abide by the rules described above and understand that I may be removed as a participant if I violate any of these rules.

Youth Signature	Date
Printed name:	
Parent/Guardian Signature	_ Date
Printed name:	
Board Member Signature	Date
Printed name:	