Rules - 2025 Mid-Atlantic Christadelphian Bible School

June 28 - July 5, 2025

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By conforming to the intent of these expectations, all can enjoy week-long harmony! Patience and courtesy towards others will also enhance Christ-like fellowship and positive memories.

> And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Colossians 3:17

ESSENTIAL BIBLE SCHOOL INSTRUCTIONS ALL SHOULD UNDERSTAND!

CLASSES AND ACTIVITIES

- All ages are expected to attend orientations, morning devotions, morning classes, Memorial services, family Bible readings and evening programs. Teens (13-19) are also expected to attend teen evening devotions. Young people are expected at all scheduled Youth Program activities.
- Youth program classes are assigned by the grade the student will be entering in the upcoming school year. Check your confirmation notice and notify the registrar before Bible School if there are any questions.
- In consideration for the teachers and leaders, requests for class change will not be made at the school.
- Attendance will be taken at teen and youth classes. Please notify the teacher if your student will not be at a class or activity.
- **Parents and sponsors** please note that you are responsible for your students at all times during Bible School. If your child/teen is not at a scheduled Youth Program activity he/she must be with you, under your <u>direct</u> supervision. At NO time are children to be left unsupervised.

HOUSING AND KEYS

- Room or roommate changes are not to be made without prior Service Committee approval. Please do not move furniture from lounges or between rooms. Do not attach anything to walls or doors.
- Unmarried co-ed visitation in dorm rooms is not allowed at any time.
- Please be considerate of those trying to sleep.
- All residents must be inside their building prior to 11 PM.
- Please keep your room neat and orderly and ALWAYS LOCK IT when you are not there.
- Room keys and meal cards are issued to each person. <u>Keys must be signed in to a Key</u>
 <u>Representative at Harley MPR by 2PM Saturday</u>, <u>July 5</u> before leaving the Bible School. Residence hall lost key charges are \$50 \$150.
- When checking out, close all windows; return any moved items to original location. Open all desk, dresser, and sink drawers and open closet doors. Remove all food items and trash from unit (place in trash room). Return borrowed items (linens and blankets) to the Bible School Office.

APPROPRIATE DRESS

- Appropriate dress for everyone should be modest, clean, non-distracting and <u>inoffensive</u>. The following are inappropriate for the Bible School setting: going 'shirtless,' bare midriffs of any type, shirts with offensive sayings or pictures, lounge wear/pajama bottoms, stretch type shorts, and immodest tops, skirts, leggings, etc. Parents, please check the clothing that children and teens will be bringing to the school. <u>Please consider</u> whether your attire might offend others when deciding to bring that item. When in doubt, don't bring it!
- During the **Sunday Morning Address and Memorial Service**, sisters and young ladies should wear a dress or skirt. Sisters are requested to wear a head covering. Brothers and young men should wear a suit or a sport coat, dress shirt/slacks, and tie.
- For the Weekday Morning Classes and Evening Programs, sisters or young ladies should wear a dress, skirt, casual slacks, nice jeans or pantsuit. Brothers and young men are expected to wear casual slacks or nice jeans and appropriate shirts. Children up through grade 8, may wear shorts in classes.
- Afternoon sports attire should include modest sportswear, shirts, and/or swimwear (women one-piece swimsuits). Please, no bikinis, two-piece or other type of abbreviated suit for men or women.

MEALS AND DINING HALL

- Food items may not be removed from the dining hall without the prior approval of the University Dining Hall Supervisor.
- Parents are asked to monitor your student's table for proper behavior. Please do not allow your children to run free in the dining hall.
- You and your children are responsible for clearing your table of all dishes and trash.
- All meals will be served cafeteria style. You may sit anywhere and enter any serving line. Please respect those tables with infant seats do not move them, select another table.

MISCELLANEOUS

- If you need to leave campus, please advise a family member or friend. In case of an emergency, it is important to know where you can be reached.
- Smoking is not allowed in any campus building or near doorways.
- Essential electronic devices must not disturb any activity (silence your cell phones!)
- Rollerblades/inline skates may only be used in designated areas and only while wearing helmets and appropriate safety gear. They are not to be used in any building or on the walkways or roadways on campus.

PLEASE DO NOT -

- Use skateboards, recreational scooters (razor style or electric), or hoverboards anywhere on campus (strictly prohibited by the University).
- Litter use the trash receptacles
- Throw/roll/bounce balls in any building except the gym.
- Use electronic entertainment TV's, music or game equipment, etc.
- Play musical instruments after 11:00 pm

SPECIAL MEETINGS

 All meetings should be approved in advance, scheduled and announced by the <u>Service</u> <u>Committee</u>. To ensure harmonious proceedings and enjoyment, **Do Not** hold controversial topic meetings or discussions.

SPECIAL NEEDS

• If you or your child has a special need (diet, learning, medical or otherwise) please advise <u>macbs@live.com</u> and/or (918) 694-4160 **before** the school to address these needs!

DISMISSIBLE VIOLATIONS

- The use of or possession of alcohol, drugs or fireworks.
- Violation of the coed visitation rule.
- Tampering with fire alarms or fire extinguishers. (This is a violation of state law as well.)
- Leaving campus without permission if under 18. Those under 18, unless leaving with a parent or sponsor, must get parent/sponsor permission prior to leaving the campus.

Thank you!

Your attention to these essential guidelines and rules ensures a very positive Mid-Atlantic Christadelphian Bible School! Your agreement and cooperation are essential and appreciated!