

Boone County 4-H Code of Conduct

4-H'ers conduct at all times shall be appropriate to the standards and image of the 4-H Program. The following are general rules that apply to all 4-H trips and events.

1. The use of illegal drugs and/ or alcohol is prohibited.
2. Behavior that puts at risk the health and/or safety of the participant or other participants is prohibited.
3. Participant shall show respect for the property and facilities used during the activity or event and assume financial responsibility for any damages caused.
4. Participants are required to follow the instructions of their chaperon and the person in charge of the event and to follow the program time schedule and other rules stated for that event.
5. Participants are expected to practice good citizenship and self-control.

The following guidelines of conduct are also expected:

1. Appropriate dress for each event is expected.
2. Boys are not permitted in the girls' rooms and girls are not permitted in boy's rooms without prior approval from a chaperon.
3. The use of tobacco is prohibited.
4. No one is to accept a ride in an unauthorized vehicle or leave the scene of the event without permission from staff and parent/guardian.

The following penalties will be assessed when the above rules are violated.

1. The parent/guardian will be notified and the participant will be sent home early at the parent/guardian's expense.
2. The participant will forfeit any fees paid by any sponsor(s).
3. The participant will be ineligible for ALL county-wide events for a period of six months and for 4-H awards and out of county trips for a period of one year from the date of violation. If the infraction warrants an additional period may be invoked by the Senior 4-H Council.

We understand and accept the responsibility for following the above guidelines and agree to abide by them. We understand that failure to do so will result in the above stated penalties.

Youth's Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature