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Code of Conduct

This document should be read and understood by the student and their parent/carer. Students will not be allowed to attend the summer school unless the relevant part of the application form has been ticked to indicate that you understand the rules and regulations.

Expected Behaviour

Participating in a University of Exeter residential will be very different from your experience at school/college. We want all students to benefit from and enjoy this experience. Therefore, you will be expected to show responsible behaviour, and respect the rights of other students and staff.

Rules and Regulations

For health and safety reasons, and for all students to have the opportunity to benefit and enjoy the summer school, the following rules and regulations will be in operation:

- Alcohol must not be brought onto the university site or consumed during the programme.
- The purchase or use of any illegal substances is strictly forbidden.
- The purchase of smoking/vaping products is also forbidden. Smoking/vaping is allowed only if you are aged 18, and only in certain designated areas, which will be indicated on the first day of the summer school.
- Students are expected to attend all timetabled activities (unless there is a valid reason for absence, such as illness).
- Students are not allowed to leave the university site without permission. For any trips off-site, students will be accompanied by a member of staff.
- Students are expected to follow any emergency procedure, such as a fire drill, as directed by University staff.

- Students will each have their own bedroom and bathroom facilities. Students are not permitted to enter any other participant's bedroom; there are social spaces such as shared kitchens to socialise in. You must not change from the bedroom that has been allocated to you. If you have a problem with your room, please inform a member of staff.
- You are responsible for the keys / swipe cards issued to you on arrival. If you lose them, you must report this immediately to a member of staff. You may have to pay for a replacement.
- Students are expected to be in their rooms at specified times (which will be indicated on the first day).
- Students are not permitted to have any items delivered to campus or to host any external visitors.
- Students must always wear the name badges / lanyards provided.
- Students should not attempt to connect with staff members via social media – this applies before, during and after the residential.
- Students should not film or take photos of any students or staff without their permission.
- Neither abusive and anti-social behaviour nor homophobic, sexist, or racist language will be tolerated in any circumstances.

Serious incidents of misbehaviour

In the event of serious incidents of misbehaviour, such as fighting, racial abuse, or the use of illegal substances, the student(s) concerned will not be allowed to continue with the summer school, and arrangements will be made for them to be taken home. In some cases, this may involve a cost to their parents/carers.

First day of the summer school

On the first day of the summer school, staff will explain some additional rules and regulations that will apply to activities currently being planned. As such, it is expected that you will adhere to them for your own health and safety, and that of other students and staff.

If you have any concerns or questions about this code of behaviour, please contact us at studentoutreach@exeter.ac.uk.