

RULES OF CONDUCT FOR TEEN COURT

- You may not disclose the name of any Teen Court Defendant to any person who is a not participant in Teen Court.
- You must be respectful to the Judge, the Teen Court staff, and all Teen Court Volunteers, and other participants.
- Cell phones must be **TURNED OFF!** No gum or tobacco chewing, eating or drinking, are allowed in the courtroom.
- Please dress appropriately for Teen Court hearings. You are expected to respect Teen Court by, your appearance and demeanor, whether you are a defendant or serving on the jury.
- **YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED TO WEAR:** Gang apparel of any kind or clothing that depicts or refers to gangs. Inappropriate attire for the court room includes bandanas, hats, shorts, short skirts, tank tops, halter tops, midriff tops, wind pants, Jerseys, sweat clothing, sandals, clothing with tears, rips, holes and/or any clothing that have obscenities or profanity on them. **NO SAGGING** is allowed. All shirts must be tucked in all the way!
- Appear on time for all court appearances.
- No cameras or recording devices are allowed in the Courtroom (except for training purposes only).
- All participants must **stay-inside** the building at ALL times! You MAY NOT engage in violent, profane, boisterous, unreasonable loud or disorderly conduct either inside or outside of the building!
- Smoking, littering, gang-signing, or use of obscene, profane or sexual-explicit language, or any disruption while court is in session is PROHIBITED.
- You MAY NOT retaliate against or attempt to intimidate, threaten, or harass any person who is involved with Teen Court, whether as a Defendant, Juror or Witness, or any volunteer.
- *I have read the Rules of Conduct and agree to follow these rules. I understand that if I break ANY of these Rules of Conduct I will be immediately asked to leave and not participate in the Teen Court program. I will not receive any credit for my participation.*

Student

Date