

# Camper Rules

1. CrossView's primary rule is the golden rule: *Do unto others as you would have them do unto you. (Matthew 7:12).*
2. Campers must obey Camp Staff and Counselors (this is critical for safety).
3. Campers will be divided into groups and must stay with their group, including their Counselor(s). (For exceptions like a bathroom trip, Campers must go with a "buddy" from their group.) On some occasions, Counselors may decide to divide their group; this is only acceptable when there are enough adult Counselors to properly supervise each group. Campers should never be out of sight or hearing of their Counselor(s).
4. Snakes, rodents, insects, and other wild animals live at CrossView. For the safety of both our Campers and the animals, we require that Campers leave the wildlife alone (no petting, capturing, feeding, etc.). Campers must stay in their groups and on roads, trails, and other designated recreation areas so they can all watch for snakes. Campers must NEVER wander into tall grass or brush.
5. Campers may not climb or cross fences. Appropriate gates are available for any fences they need to go through. Campers must stay on Camp property unless escorted for a legitimate reason—with the Director's approval--by a Staff Member or Counselor.
6. Campers with communicable diseases of any kind will not be allowed to come to Camp. If they arrive & exhibit signs of disease, they will be sent home. If they develop an illness while at Camp, they will be sent home. This includes lice, ringworm, a fever, & anything else Camp Staff deems communicable.
7. Campers may not bring electronics. This includes cell phones, tv's, radios, cd players, game boys, MP3's, etc. This is non-negotiable, as a major part of the Camp experience is getting away from all these everyday distractions. Parents can contact their Camper in an emergency situation by calling the Camp phone at (806) 294-5021, or the Director's cell phone at (806) 928-2363. Campers who need to talk to their parents for legitimate reasons can gain permission to use a phone from Camp Staff. Any electronics brought to Camp will be collected on the first day and returned on the last day of Camp.

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8. All clothing must be modest. This includes swimsuits, which for girls must either be a modest 1 piece or covered by a t-shirt that is not see-through when wet. Campers may wear shorts, but no short-shorts, tank tops, anything low cut or very tight, or anything with crude or suggestive language.
9. No weapons of any kind are allowed on Camp property (including the bus).
10. No fighting.
11. No foul, suggestive, or otherwise inappropriate language.
12. No pranks. Fireworks, Airsoft guns, slingshots, knives, or any other items potentially harmful to others or Camp property are not allowed.
13. No tobacco or alcohol is permitted on CrossView Christian Camp property.
14. Campers are expected to respect Camp property. This includes things like keeping Cabin doors shut, using reasonable amounts of toilet paper and paper towels, putting all trash in the trash cans, etc. Campers are not allowed to touch the thermostats.
15. Displays of affection are not permitted except between married couples.
16. Campers will be allowed to keep snacks in their Cabins, as long as all food is in a sealed container and all food messes are immediately and completely cleaned up. The first time a Staff member finds food crumbs, food trash, or food spills during a Cabin inspection, we will confiscate the food and go to a "no food in the Cabins" policy. (We work hard to clean the Cabins in between each Camp session, but there is not time to take apart and clean food from every bunk bed nor to scrub down every wall each week. Please consider others who have to use the Cabins after you.)
17. We desire that each child who attends CrossView has fun and makes friends, but our primary focus is teaching kids about Jesus Christ. Any situation or behavior that conflicts with this purpose will not be allowed.
18. If Campers cannot follow Camp rules, then we cannot keep them safe. If we cannot keep a Camper safe, we will send him/her home.