

## STATE THESPIAN FESTIVAL CODE OF CONDUCT FORM

YOUR SIGNATURE BELOW INDICATES THAT YOU HAVE READ AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE GUIDELINES ON THIS FORM

## A SIGNED COPY OF THIS FORM MUST BE TURNED IN FOR EACH PARTICIPANT AT REGISTRATION

## **EXPECTATIONS OF ALL FESTIVAL PARTICIPANTS:**

- All Participants will behave in a way consistent with the spirit of the Festival, and in a manner that actively supports a positive Festival Experience for everyone.
- Any illegal activity, including but not limited to the possession or use of drugs or alcohol, will not be tolerated. Offending students will be sent home, and jeopardize the future participation of their Troupe in Thespian events.
- Nametags must be visibly worn at all times, and are required for admission to performances, workshops, and dances. There is a charge for replacing lost nametags. Keep track of it!
- Registered participants must attend all scheduled performances and workshop sessions.
- Students must remain in approved and supervised areas at all times, and respond to the supervision of any adult participants. Any adult may revoke a student's nametag for behavioral reasons.
- Theatre Etiquette should be demonstrated to the highest degree. A Thespian Audiences should be the most attentive, supportive, and safe audience to perform for.
- For copyright reasons, the recording and photography of any performance (Main Stage, One Act, or Showcase performance or audition) is not permitted. Photography and recording in workshops requires the express permission of the workshop leader.
- Food or beverages (other than water) are not permitted in any performance or workshop venues.
- Students must abide by the curfews set by their Troupe Director. Troupe Directors must support and enforce the curfews set at their hotels. Be particularly aware of any gathering or noisemaking in hallways.
- Appropriate dress and behavior at dances is required. Nametags must be worn at all times. Students must respond positively to any requests to alter any costume or manner of wearing a nametag that is deemed inappropriate. Students not wearing their nametags at dances will be asked to leave and will not be re-admitted.
- Festival Participants are expected to abide by Festival rules and guidelines as representatives of Oregon Thespians at all hours of the Festival, whether in a workshop, performance, or on personal time (at meals, lodging, etc). Act well your part. There all the honor lies!

PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY TROUPE DIRECTOR OR ADULT CHAPERONE MAY ASK A PARTICPANT FOR HER OR HIS NAMETAG, IF THEY DEEM THAT PARTICIPANT TO BE BEHAVING INAPPROPRIATELY. THE PARTICIPANT AND HER OR HIS TROUPE DIRECTOR WILL THEN NEED TO APPEAR TOGETHER AT THE REGISTRATION DESK TO GET THE NAMETAG BACK. FOR SERIOUS INFRACTIONS (SUCH AS DRUGS, ALCOHOL, OR CURFEW VIOLATIONS) PARTICIPANTS MAY NOT ONLY BE SENT HOME, BUT WILL BE JEOPARDIZING THEIR TROUPE'S FUTURE PARTICIPATION IN THESPIAN EVENTS.

PRINT NAME OF STUDENT	STUDENT SIGNATURE
PRINT NAME OF SCHOOL	PRINT NAME OF TROUPE DIRECTOR
SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN	PARENT PHONE NUMBER DURING FESTIVAL