

NYLT Code of Conduct

Statement of Understanding:

All participants are selected to attend NYLT based on their character, proficient camping skills, physical and personal fitness and leadership qualities. Therefore, all youth participants are required to sign this "Code of conduct" as a condition of participation, with a further understanding that serious misconduct or infraction of the following rules may result in expulsion from NYLT. No fee refunds are issued for participants who are sent home. Youth participants are expected to abide by the following Code of Conduct:

Code of Conduct:

- I will follow the Scout Oath and Law as my guide throughout NYLT.
- I will wear the designated field or activity uniform as instructed.
- I will participate in all course programs and participate in all course and team activities.
- I will remain in my assigned campsite between the hours of Taps and Sunrise
- I will not leave Camp for any reason without permission from the Course Director.
- I agree to be responsible for keeping my tent and personal gear organized and neat.
- I agree to immediately report any condition, activity or situation that makes me feel unsafe to an adult NYLT leader.
- I agree to assist my patrol to keep our campsite and surrounding areas clean and orderly.
- I understand that use of tobacco, alcohol or illegal drugs will be grounds for immediate dismissal.
- I understand that possession or use of fireworks, explosives or firearms will be grounds for immediate dismissal.
- I understand that any disrespect of staff or participants and/or guests may result in my dismissal from the course at the discretion of the Course Director.
- I understand that cheating, stealing, fighting, use of profanity or rough housing may result in expulsion from the course at the discretion of the Course Director.
- I understand that hazing of any kind or physical or emotional harassment has no place in Scouting.
- I will abide the Outdoor Code and do my share to keep camp facilities clean
- I agree to respect all camp property and be responsible for any property damage/loss as a result of my actions.
- I understand that the Boy Scouts of America, Crossroads of the West Council or NYLT leadership will not be responsible for loss, breakage, or theft of personal items. I will leave all valuables at home.
- I agree to submit a BSA health form prior to the course and to abide by all course health and safety guidelines.
- I agree to leave any and all audio/video devices including iPods and game devices at home.
- I agree to leave my cell phone and/or internet devices at home unless approved by the Course Director.
- I understand that any electronic devices will be confiscated and returned to parents at the end of the course.
- I understand that NYLT is an intensive team based training program and that visitors are restricted to emergencies only.
- I understand that any violation of this Code of Conduct may result in expulsion from the NYLT course and that all decisions of the Course Director will be final.

I (Print Name) _____ certify on my honor as a Boy Scout that I

have read the above STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING and agree to abide by the conditions in the CODE OF CONDUCT as a participant in NYLT.

Signature of Participant

Signature of Parent/Guardian