

Florida State Thespian Festival

Student Festival Conduct Contract

The student is asked to initial each statement.

- _____ 1. I understand that I am a guest in my hotel and that my conduct must not infringe on the rights of the other guests. I will not create loud noise in the halls or in my room by playing radios, televisions, etc. at unreasonable levels.
- _____ 2. I understand that I must respect property in the various hotels, theatres, and restaurants in which Festival events may take place.
- _____ 3. I am willing to accept the evaluation(s) and opinion(s) of the panel of judges in all events in which I compete. I understand and agree that Florida State Thespians is not liable for any perceived injury and/or defamation.
- _____ 4. I understand that I am expected to wear my Festival badge at all times and to surrender it if I am asked to do so.
- _____ 5. I promise to use the buddy system at the Festival and not travel from event to event alone.
- _____ 6. I understand that no alcohol or drug use will be tolerated. If I violate this rule, I understand that I and/or my troupe will be sent home immediately at my own expense and that my actions will be reported to my school administration, and may affect my troupe's involvement in future years.
- _____ 7. I understand that It is illegal for all high school students, regardless of age, to possess or use tobacco products at a school sponsored activity and that this cannot be tolerated by Florida State Thespians.
- _____ 8. I understand that I am a representative of my own troupe, my school, my city, and the Festival and that my appearance and behavior should be appropriate for each occasion.
- _____ 9. I agree to be a respectful, intelligent member of any audience in all theatre spaces during the Festival.
- _____ 10. I understand that I am not permitted to swim in any hotel or motel pool.
- _____ 11. I agree to keep the windows of my hotel room closed at all times.
- _____ 12. I agree to abide by the stated Festival curfews. I understand this means being in my room and not in the common areas of the hotel after the curfew hour. I also understand that I will not be able to receive deliveries after curfew.
- _____ 13. I realize that it is a privilege to attend the Festival and that I will attend Festival events and participate.
- _____ 14. I understand that I must maintain a 2.0 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale) for the grading period preceding the Festival registration deadline.
- _____ 15. I understand that I will return home in the same form of transportation in which I arrived unless I have prior written permission from my parents/guardians.
- _____ 16. I will abide by my school's, county's, or district's dress code while attending the State Festival. I have also read and agree to the standards of dress set forth by Florida State Thespians on the web page.

I have read, understood, and initialed the above conduct contract , and I agree to follow it while attending the Festival. Further, I have read and understood the attached Student Guidelines. Any infraction will be dealt with accordingly, including me and/or my troupe being sent home at my own expense, and that my actions will be reported to my school administration, and may affect my troupe's involvement in future years.

Student Name: _____

Please print

Date _____ Student Signature _____ Parent Signature _____

Day Phone () _____ Evening Phone () _____

This form is to be readily available from the sponsor during the Festival.