

NYLT 2024 Participant Code of Conduct

Please read, understand, and sign this agreement, and bring a paper copy to turn in at course check-in on Sunday, June 16, 2024.

On my honor as a Scout, I promise that I will conduct myself according to the Scout Oath and Law during the 2024 National Youth Leadership Training course sponsored by Montana Council. I will represent my unit with honor and commit myself to being a productive participant during the course. I will make every effort to achieve maximum personal benefit from the course, so I can pass along what I learn to my fellow Scouts. In order to provide a positive, safe, and enriching environment for all participants, while offering opportunities for leadership growth, the following Code of Conduct has been established:

1. I will follow the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and Outdoor Code, and I will remember that these are the basis for all the following rules and should be the basis for all of my actions.
2. I will set a good example by keeping myself neatly dressed and presentable. (The full Scout uniform includes field uniform shirt or NYLT/Scout t-shirt and pants/shorts)
3. I will attend all scheduled programs and participate as required in cooperation with other course members and leaders.
4. I will obey the BSA Health and Safety guidelines and instructions of all camp and staff leadership.
5. I will stay in the defined campgrounds and will stay away from any areas specified as off-limits. In consideration of everyone, I agree to follow the lights-out/sleep schedule of the course.
6. I will be responsible for keeping my personal gear labeled, clean, and neat. I will adhere to all camp/course recycling policies and regulations. I will abide by the Principles of the Outdoor Code and Leave No Trace, as I would in all Scouting activities.
7. I will demonstrate respect for camp and course property and be personally responsible for any loss, breakage, or vandalism of property as a result of my actions.
8. I will not use my phone during presentations and activities. I will not bring electronic games to camp and will check items of value at the direction of course leaders. Neither the course leaders nor Montana Council, BSA, will be responsible for loss, breakage, or theft of personal items.
9. I will not possess any form of nicotine, tobacco, firearms, fireworks, weapons, alcoholic beverages, or illegal drugs. Possession by any participant will be grounds for immediate expulsion.
10. I will demonstrate behavior expected of all Scouts; and I understand that any action that fails to show respect for an individual will not be tolerated. I understand that cheating, stealing, dishonesty, and fighting, may result in immediate expulsion from the course.
11. Serious violation of this code may result in expulsion from the course at the participant's own expense. My parent(s)/guardian(s) will then be responsible to pick me up at a designated time. All decisions are final.

Code of Conduct Acknowledgement

I have discussed the NYLT Code of Conduct with my Scout. I understand that if my Scout is required to leave the course for behavior not in keeping with the course code of conduct, I will pick up my Scout within 12 hours from notification at my own expense and at a designated time. I acknowledge that neither I, nor my unit will be refunded the course fees or associated expenses.

Scout Signature

Date

Parent signature