

## **WJCL CONVENTION RULES AND EXPECTATIONS**

**ATTENDANCE RULES:** \* The use or possession of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, unauthorized pills, weapons, or any other material that is inappropriate for the WJCL Convention is strictly forbidden for any delegate or adult

\*Fraternizing with anyone other than our WJCL group is strictly forbidden.

\*Smoking is not permitted at the convention by JCL delegates.

\*Convention members are not permitted to leave the hotel unless accompanied by a sponsor/chaperone

\* Delegates may not use their own cars during the convention. Keys must be turned over to sponsors upon arrival at the convention site.

\*At no time will a girl enter a boy's room or a boy enter a girl's room. The hotel has designated areas where students may fraternize.

### **Conduct Code and Additional Rules:**

\* Complete attention should be given to those speaking on stage during general assemblies. Booming by anyone is unacceptable behavior and only reflects badly upon the student and the school

\* Sprit Contents, General Assemblies, Chapter Fellowships and the banquet are mandatory attendance.

\* All chaperones, officials and JCL delegates will be treated with courtesy and respect. Students should be aware that ALL teachers and chaperones are in authority and should be considered their chaperones.

\* Hotel guests must not be disturbed. Behavior in the halls and lobby should be courteous. Excessive noise and running in any part of the hotel are forbidden.

\* Throwing items from hotel windows and balconies, including water balloons, is strictly forbidden.

\* Delegates should be in their rooms at the specified curfew times and QUIET. NO delegate may leave his room after room-check.

\* Student may not use the telephones in their rooms for out-of-hotel calls. They may not secure room service or pay movies.

**\* Hotel officials require that appropriate footwear be worn at all times.**

**\* ALL delegates and chaperones must wear I.D. badges above the waist at ALL times. Delegates may not participate in tests, the banquet or any phase of the convention without their name badges.**

**\*ALL projects are to be treated with respect and are not to be tampered with. All projects not claimed by checkout will be discarded.**

**\*The WJCL Convention office is not off limits to delegates, with the exception of state officers, Sponsors, State Chairs, judges and registered SCL helpers.**

### **Enforcement of Rules**

\*Infraction of a major rule may result in a delegate's appearance before the disciplinary committee, which is moderated by the State Chairs. The committee will hear the circumstances of the incident and decide on an appropriate course of action. An appearance may result in a delegate's being sent home at his parent's expense. The delegate's parents will be notified as soon as possible to arrange for the delegate's return trip. Additionally, the disciplinary committee may elect to revoke membership in the WJCL for the aforementioned delegate

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**Student: I wish to participate in the WJCL Convention. I have discussed the Convention Policies with my Sponsor and Parents/Guardian. I agree to abide by all the rules of the Wisconsin Junior Classical League, Park Hotel, Monona Terrace Center, and my school. I realize that infractions of the rules may result in my being disciplined by my chaperones and/or officials of the WJCL, being sent home at my parents expense, and/or denial of my participation in WJCL events. I am a registered memeber of my local, State, and national JCL.**

**Parent/Guardian: I give my permission for my child to participate in the events of the WJCL Convention in Madison, Wi, January 31-February 2 2019. I have examined the Convention Rules, and I realize that my child may be sent home at my expense for failure to abide by these regulations. My signature relieves the Wisconsin Junior Classical League and its officials, Monona Terrace Convention Center, and Park Hotel of all liabilities. I also authorize WJCL officials to obtain any medical treatment deemed necessary for my child**

**Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_**