



The Collegium Summer Week Policies

These are given here for information purposes.
Students and Parents must agree to all of these policies in the Registration Form,
found [HERE](#) or [HERE](#).

1. Rules & Regulations Agreement

In order for our Summer Week participants to more fully immerse themselves in The Collegium culture and experience, we require that you abide by the following rules and regulations:

- Practice Christian Charity:

Treat all those around you with respect, honesty, charity and courtesy. This eliminates such behaviors as disrespect, bad language (cussing, swearing, cursing, profanity), gossiping, exclusivity, etc.

The practice of Christian charity also includes chastity and appropriate physical interaction. You are expected to refrain from any inappropriate and unchaste physical conduct during your time in the Program. Such behavior may be a ground for discipline and dismissal from the Summer Week. Further, any sexual harassment or contact may also result in the involvement of law enforcement and reports to appropriate authorities where required, in addition to dismissal.

You are expected to abide by The Collegium's Sexual Misconduct Policy, found on page 24 of The Collegium Catalogue: [HERE](#).

Participants have a responsibility to conduct themselves in a manner consistent with Catholic moral teaching, in particular the Church's teaching on human sexuality. Lewd, indecent, and obscene behavior is addressed in the aforementioned Sexual Misconduct Policy.

2. Dress Code

The Collegium Dress Code will be in effect. The Dress Code can be found [HERE](#).

The specifications for the dress code set out in this document are meant as guidelines and not as exhaustive rules. Note that the code calls for modest attire and professional dress. Simple adherence to the letter of the law or pushing the limits of what is acceptable may result in a judgment of the administration that what seems technically correct does not in fact comply with the spirit of the rules. One's dress should reflect the distinction and dignity of one's sex, lending to an understanding and appreciation of the creation of men and women in the image of God. Program staff and will be the judges of whether an outfit is acceptable dress code on whatever occasion.

3. Cell Phones & Other Electronics

While cell phones are a wonderful way to stay connected with friends and family while away from home, overuse can disconnect you from the Program and those attending it with you. Use of cell phones in the presence of others is essentially antisocial behavior.

Cell phones must be kept in the residence hall during morning and afternoon classes and Mass – their use at other times must be governed by prudence and charity.

iPods, MP3 and any other portable media players must also be used with prudence. All media player use will be limited to the residence halls or to free time periods.

Counselors reserve the right to restrict cell phone or electronics use and temporarily confiscate devices if it is deemed that such usage has become excessive or disruptive.

4. Attendance

Since the Summer Week classes are meant to introduce you to the academic life at The Collegium, you must attend all classes each day unless there is some extraordinary circumstance. If such a circumstance arises, a Program Counselor must be informed so that you can be excused.

In order to fully immerse yourself in the spiritual life offered at The Collegium, you will be expected to attend Mass, Rosary, the Divine Office, and Benediction each day that they are offered.

Lastly, you must take part in all activities. Exceptions to these rules must be discussed with and approved by a faculty member.

See tentative schedule for more details.

5. Inter-visitation & Visitors

Inter-visitation is not permitted at any time at The Collegium. This means that you are not allowed in the hotel wing of the opposite sex at any time. You may not have visitors (friends or relatives) while taking part in the Summer Week, unless it has been previously arranged with the Admissions Office.

Violation of this rule will result in immediate expulsion.

6. Respect for Authority

In keeping with the virtues of obedience and respect, you must always follow the directives of those in charge of the Summer Week, particularly the Faculty, who will be living in the residence hotel with the students and attending/leading all of the extra-curricular events.

6. Smoking/Alcohol/Drugs

In addition to practicing modesty, all students must treat their bodies with respect by not smoking, drinking alcohol or using illegal drugs at any time during the Summer Week.

Additionally, possessing and/or consuming alcohol or tobacco under the age of 21 is illegal in the State of Maryland. Participants found to be in violation of the alcohol policy will be dismissed from the Summer Week.

7. Curfew

An evening curfew will be in place, at which time all participants are required to remain in their assigned residences.

8. Discipline/Expulsion

Students who choose to disobey the rules and regulations outlined above will be subject to discipline, which could result in dismissal from the Summer Week. If a student is expelled from the Program, no refund will be offered, and parents are responsible for arranging transportation from the campus in a timely manner. Parents are responsible for any additional transportation costs incurred.

Expulsion from the Summer Week may negatively affect a student's future application for admission to The Collegium.

Please make sure that your Program experience is a positive one by reviewing the above rules and abiding by them while you are here at The Collegium. We want you to have an enjoyable, enriching and fun time. Please help us to make that happen!

9. Transportation Requirements

The Collegium will pick up Summer Week participants (free of charge) at the Dulles International Airport (IAD), at Baltimore-Washington International Airport (BWI), and at Reagan International Airport (DCA). Arrangements must be made with the Admissions Office at least 2 weeks prior to arrival – no exceptions!

For those who are driving, please arrive on campus between 200PM-400PM on the first day of the program (Sunday), and plan on departing any time after 900AM and before 1100AM on the last day of the program (Saturday).

Students flying out of one of the above airports may book flights departing anytime between 900AM-400PM on the last day (Saturday) of the Summer Week.

The Admissions Office must have your flight schedule at least 2 weeks prior to your arrival. Complete your travel information below. All participants, even if driving to and from campus, must complete the travel information on the Registration Form, [HERE](#) or [HERE](#).

10. Medical Consent Form

Medical Consent Form is part of the Registration Form, found [HERE](#) or [HERE](#).

11. Release of Information and Medical Release

These forms are part of the Registration Form, found [HERE](#) or [HERE](#).