



ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE – 2018 SUMMER ACADEMY

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS AND POLICIES

Although these expectations and policies are extensive, they should not be regarded as all-inclusive. The following rules and expectations are meant for your safety and well-being. They will be strictly enforced. Students who have been found to have violated these rules will be dismissed from the Summer Academy. Students who have been dismissed due to violation of the rules must leave campus by 4:30 p.m. the day after dismissal. No money will be refunded to students who have been dismissed.

Alcohol and Drugs

Alcohol and illegal drugs are prohibited at all times at the Summer Academy. There are no exceptions to this rule. For these purposes, the category of illegal drugs includes drugs that are simply illegal as well as drugs for which the student does not have a prescription. Students suspected of being intoxicated or under the influence of any illicit substance will be dismissed from the program immediately. Students who smell of alcohol or are found in the presence of alcohol or illegal drugs will be dismissed immediately. There are no exceptions to this rule. All use or possession of cigarettes and other tobacco products is prohibited, even if the student is 18 years of age.

Attendance

In addition to classes, the Summer Academy includes non-academic activities on campus and in surrounding areas that are not explicitly part of the curriculum of study. All classes are mandatory, and all extracurricular activities are mandatory unless otherwise specified. Students must stay with their RA and assigned group on any outing that occurs off-campus.

Banned Objects

The possession and use of candles, matches, incense, fireworks, other highly combustible items, and weapons of any sort is prohibited.

Community Living

St. John's is a community of learning. Students of the Summer Academy are expected to conform to the standards of living that make communal life and work possible. Foremost among these standards is respect for the person and property of others. In a community that brings people from diverse backgrounds together, maintaining this respect may require a deliberate effort from all of its members; such an effort is essential to the intellectual enterprise in which we are engaged. A student who behaves, either in or out of class, in a way that is destructive to the intellectual community that we foster may be dismissed from the program. Students who are, in our judgment, a threat to themselves or others, will be withdrawn from the Summer Academy.

Dress

Students should wear dress appropriate to a place of study; feet must be shod at all times while indoors in non-residential spaces.



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Free Time

Students may not leave the campus of St. John's College unless they are accompanied by a Resident Assistant or other Summer Academy staff member.

Guests

Summer Academy students are not permitted to host guests on campus.

Lights Out

Evening reading and study time is a time of quiet in the dormitories. It occurs between 9 and 10:30 p.m. every night except Friday night. Students must be in the dormitory by 10:30 p.m. every night, ready for lights out in their assigned room at 11 p.m.

Medications

Prescription medications will not be administered by Summer Academy staff, so students are responsible for safely storing and taking their medication according to their doctor's instructions. Parents are required to sign a Self-Administration of Prescription Medication authorization form in acknowledgment of this responsibility. They will also be required to provide medication and dosage information for any prescription medication their student takes. Any sharing of medication or taking medication that was not prescribed to you is strictly prohibited.

Personal Items

Students should use good judgment about what kinds of personal belongings they store in their rooms. St. John's College is not liable for loss or damage of money or personal property. Personal property is left in the rooms at the owner's risk.

Sexual Behavior

Sexual relations of any nature are not permitted at the Summer Academy. Furthermore, in accordance with the St. John's College Sexual Misconduct and Harassment Policies, sexual misconduct of any kind is strictly prohibited, including sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, stalking, and sexual coercion.

Transportation

If students do not arrive to campus with a parent or guardian, they are responsible for getting to campus on their own. St. John's College will not arrange transportation from airports to campus, so it is important to make necessary transportation plans ahead of time. Students should arrive on campus between noon and 3 p.m. on the Sunday of Registration.

Students are required to sign a copy of these Expectations and Policies before arriving on campus. Any inappropriate behavior on the part of the Summer Academy student during their stay may affect their ability to remain at the Summer Academy and will be considered by the Admissions office and may impact their status as an applicant to St. John's College.