

## California Fire Exploring Association

P.O Box 2160 \* Simi Valley, CA 93062

## **Code of Conduct**

Participation in the Academy requires acknowledgment of and adherence to the following Code of Conduct:

- 1. You represent your home Fire Department and will act in accordance with department procedures.
- 2. Safety will be your number one priority at the Academy.
- 3. You will always conduct yourself with common courtesy and consideration, serving as a role model for others.
- 4. You will meet grooming standards and present a professional appearance.
- 5. You will keep buildings, restrooms, eating places, sleeping quarters, and grounds clean and orderly.
- 6. You will only use tools and equipment as directed and will always leave them in a clean and ready state after use.
- 7. After lights-out, you will remain quiet and in your assigned place.
- 8. You will promptly and respectfully obey the orders of explorer staff and advisor staff.

9. Social media shall not be used while attending the academy.

10. If you fail to obey Academy rules and regulations or if you commit any infractions such as participating in any form of harassment, goofing off, displaying a bad attitude, or committing safety violations, you may be disciplined or expelled. There is a zero tolerance for alcohol, Tobacco (any nicotine products), drugs, or sexual harassment.

12. A review committee will review any alleged rule violation or infraction and determine whether any of the following are warranted:

- A. Suspension from Academy activities
- B. Exclusion from graduation ceremonies
- C. Expulsion and release to your parent or guardian.
- D. Written notice to the Chief of your home Fire Department
- E. Counseling Session
- F. Any combination of A, B, C, D, or E.

## WHEREFORE:

I certify that I have read and understand the above and that I agree to honor and abide by the Rules and Regulations set forth by the California Fire Explorer Academy and Learning for Life.

I also understand that if I am asked to leave the Academy based on failure to act in accordance with this Code of Conduct, my tuition will be forfeited and my Post Advisor or Parent(s)/Guardian(s) will be responsible for arranging my safe transportation home.

Explorer Cadet:		/		
	Print Name		Signature	
Post Advisor	Print Name	/	Signature	
Parent/Guardian:	Print Name	/	Signature	