

CHILD AND YOUTH SUPERVISION POLICY FOR FCU EVENTS

There will be a minimum of two adults scheduled to supervise each group

Exceptions may be made by the primary on-site adult leader.

For the purposes of this policy, a “group” is defined as one or more children and/or youth who are participating in a planned church program or childcare arrangement.

For the purposes of this policy, “supervision“ is defined as the reasonable exercise and thoughtful action and responsibility by an individual, realizing that the immediacy of such direct supervision will vary with the ages of those in a group and the context of the activity.

Minors providing childcare must have an identified primary on-site adult.

Corporal punishment will not be used under any circumstances.

No adult, other than a family member, will be alone with a child or youth at church sponsored events.

No one intoxicated, under the influence of illegal drugs or in possession of weapons shall be present at any RE sponsored events or programs.

There will be no illegal drugs or under-age consumption of alcohol at any RE sponsored events and programs.

Every teacher/volunteer will sign a Code of Ethics and agree to abide by any safety policy created at FCU.

Parental permission is required for distribution of pictures of minors taken at church sponsored events. This includes publication in the FCU website.

TRANSPORTATION

Parents are responsible for transportation to and from events. If an adult other than a parent is transporting to and from church events, signed parental permission must be obtained.

All drivers must be able to provide proof of insurance and a valid drivers license.

There must be seatbelts for everyone and everyone must wear a seatbelt.

A minimum of two adults must accompany a group going off-site.