

St John the Baptist Religious Education Code of Conduct

It is a wonderful privilege for our religious education faculty to teach your children in St. John's CCD program. Both students and parents have important roles to play in ensuring our young people grow in our Catholic Faith and achieve their very best in Christ. This document describes our expectations of families and details guidelines of appropriate behavior during religious education classes.

Parent Responsibilities

As a parent, we ask that you will:

- Ensure that your children attend classes regularly and on time.
- Inform teachers of any special needs or circumstances that may affect your children's ability to participate in class.
- Discuss with your children what they are learning about.
- Encourage your children to pray daily at home.
- Attend Sunday Mass with your children as often as possible.
- Consider volunteering to help on an as needed basis.

Student Responsibilities

As a student in the Religious Education Program, it is expected that you will:

- Be respectful of your teachers.
- Be respectful of other students.
- Treat others with compassion, patience, and kindness.
- Participate in class activities and discussions.
- Attend class regularly and on time.
- Use appropriate language.
- Practice the prayers that you are learning.
- Make an effort to attend Sunday Mass as often as possible.

Consequences of Inappropriate Student Behavior

If a student's behavior disrupts the learning process in the classroom, the following will take place.

- Minor Incidents - The student will be verbally reminded of expected behavior.
- Repeat Incidents - The student will be referred to the Director of Religious Education where they will receive verbal reminders of behavior expectations. The Director will also work with the teacher and student to make plans to help improve future behavior.

Should the above steps be ineffective, the Director of Religious Education will set up a phone or in-person meeting with parents to discuss the situation and develop a plan to help the child achieve success.

Please return this page on the next night of class.

My children and I have read the Religious Education Code of Conduct for St. John the Baptist and agree to comply to these expectations.

School Year _____

Parent's Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Please have your child(ren) sign below.

Child's Name _____

Signature _____

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Signature _____

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Signature _____