



Real Life Volunteer Code of Conduct

VOLUNTEER WILL

- Commit to a regular day to attend your Real Life site
 - If there is a valid reason for absence or tardiness, please inform your site intern as soon as possible so that your responsibilities are covered
- Attend all training sessions throughout the Real Life year
- Arrive at your assigned site on time.
- Support the Intern and Supervisory Site Staff by helping Real Life start promptly and fill the two-hour slot.
- Help clean up the last 5-10 minutes of the day.
- Work with Intern to make sure service hours are recorded and verified, as needed.
- Dress appropriately (shorts must go to fingertips, shoulders covered, not tight, etc.) This goes for men and women.
- Not use phone for social media, texting, phone calls, etc., while at Real Life.
- Not post pictures of local teens on personal social media accounts or befriend local teens on social media accounts during the Real Life Service Year.

WORK WITH THE REAL LIFE INTERN

You will be trained by the Real Life Intern, who is overseen by the Program Director(s), to prepare for the task of mentoring and empowering the teens at Real Life. You will learn leadership skills, teaching strategies, and lesson planning skills.

With the support of the site Intern, you will facilitate lesson plans based on the Real Life curriculum map throughout the year to teach at your site. Occasionally, this will be in collaboration with some of the teens at your site so that they can offer their insight and perspectives.

WORK WITH PARTNER SUPERVISORY SITE STAFF

Each site has a site supervisor who is an employee of one of our partner organizations. You will work with them to help the site Intern keep things running smoothly at your site.

REAL LIFE VOLUNTEERS

Real Life volunteers will proactively engage with the other teens at your site. You will work with, connect to, and support them. You will make sure that any teens at your site feel safe and included. Be their friend, learn from them about their life experiences, and have a great time!

SIGNATURES

Name of student

Signature of student

Name of parent/guardian if volunteer is under 18

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Date: _____