

House Rules

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School/Virtual School

1

2

3

Consequences:

Chores

1

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Consequences

Attitude/Respect

1

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Values/General Rules

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Friends

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Consequences:

Tobacco, Drugs, Alcohol

1

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Other

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Family Fun/Reward Ideas

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Examples of House Rules

School

- Attend school every day
- No tardies
- Catch bus or ride on time
- Get up early enough to get ready on time
- Maintain a grade point average of C or higher
- Turn in excuses for absences on time
- Do homework every night
- Good behavior while at school

Attitude/ Respect

- Use appropriate language even when angry
- Use a good tone of voice
- No back-talking
- No arguing
- No eye-rolling

Chores

- Keep room clean (be specific: make bed, clothes in hamper, drawers closed)
- Take trash out (be specific: daily, weekly, when full, etc...)
- Do dishes (after dinner, before 8pm, wipe off tables and counters, etc...)
- Clean up after yourself (be specific: plates in dishwasher, soda cans in recycle bin)

Values/General Rules

- No "put downs" or making fun of anyone in the house
- No physical violence of any kind
- Respect the personal space of others
- Honest always
- Apologize when you have done something to someone else
- No stealing from anyone in the house or outside the home