

OMSI Code of Conduct at Camp Hancock and Camp Gray

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The goal of these policies is to ensure a safe environment for everyone on site.

1. If a policy is not stated, common sense, good judgment, courtesy, respect, and safety will apply.
2. All living creatures, including people, are to be treated with dignity and respect. This precludes the use of obscenities, jokes, or slurs relating to another's race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, or physical or mental abilities. It also means that plants, and creatures—all of nature—deserve your respect and should not be damaged, injured, or harassed.
3. An OMSI staff member should be contacted immediately if someone is sick or hurt.
4. We do not allow students to use personal electronic devices during the OMSI-led activities and programs. We recognize that electronic devices may be part of a behavioral management plan or family emergency procedure, and we welcome families to reach out to discuss potential accommodations.
5. No type of firearm, explosive, or firework is allowed on site. Sharp tools will be provided as needed and are to be used in a manner that will not injure one's self or others.
6. OMSI Camps are smoke and vape-free sites. Use of alcohol, tobacco, or cannabis in any form is not allowed. The use of any illegal substance will result in immediate dismissal from the program.
7. Quiet hours are observed between 9:30 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., except under special circumstances.
8. Campers should not visit others' sleeping areas. This is to prevent problems relating to personal possessions and bullying.
9. Pets are not allowed at camp.
10. Violations of these policies, particularly those relating to an individual's physical or mental health and well-being, might include immediate removal from programs.