Summer Science Splash Camp Rules

Summer Science Splash Camps runs on a point system. This means you can earn and lose points for your team depending on your behavior in class and out of class. The team with the most points at the end of the week will get to pick from the grand prizes first. You can also win daily individual prizes.

This is your camp experience. Please participate; contribute questions and ideas to make the program more enjoyable and useful to you and your classmates.

Safety and Courtesy

1. Please respect others, as well as their rights and property. Campers: you will be representing your family and your school, and you will be expected to be mature and respectful during your stay at Westminster College.
2. Please follow all safety rules and make a special effort to be safety conscious.
3. Report any illness, accident, etc., immediately to your camp counselor or teacher so that appropriate action may be taken.
4. Camp staff cannot keep, administer, or provide medicine for campers. Campers must be capable of managing their own prescription or OTC medicine needs. We recommend that parents send common OTC medications with their campers. Any medical crisis beyond basic first aid will be referred to a local emergency room for treatment.
5. No use of illegal drugs, alcoholic beverages, or smoking is permitted at any time. Violation will result in dismissal from the program without refund, and police and parents will be notified.
6. Inappropriate language and bullying are not acceptable, and disciplinary action will be taken (loss of team competition points, loss of privileges, etc.) In extreme cases, violators may be dismissed from the program without refund.
7. No inter-visitation between boys' and girls' dorm rooms is permitted. Fraternization with college students or campers from other camps is prohibited. Violations of this rule cannot be tolerated, and violators are subject to dismissal from the program without refund.
8. Avoid all excessive noise. All students must be in their dorm rooms by 10:00 PM. Quiet hours are from 10:00 PM to 7:00 AM.
9. Cell phone use is limited to free time, meal times, and breaks; they should be turned off during class and competitions. Parents have an emergency number to call if they need to reach a camper. Failure to comply with this policy will result in losing team points and/or phone confiscation.
10. Westminster College is not responsible for lost or stolen personal items.
Facilities

1. Students are NOT ALLOWED to leave campus and are only permitted in the following designated buildings: assigned dorm units and labs, cafeteria during meal hours, recreational buildings during assigned times. Students are not allowed in any buildings without supervision.
2. Campers may not walk around campus alone; walk with a staff member. Camp staff must know where campers are at all times.
3. Campers will not be allowed to return to their rooms during the day, except in the event of an emergency. All materials needed for the day must be taken to breakfast including lab attire, notebooks, pens, and any necessary medications. Students will meet their counselors each morning to go to breakfast.
4. Students are responsible for damages to the dorm or facilities; make sure all electrical appliances are turned-off before you leave your room in the morning, including lights.
5. Please do not remove any equipment or materials from the lab without permission from your teacher or counselor.

Attire

1. No short shirts, spaghetti strap tank tops, or super-short shorts; undergarments must be covered. Please wear no inappropriate logos or designs. If you are in doubt as to whether a particular item of clothing would be proper, just don’t even pack it!
2. Students must wear long pants and closed-toe shoes to all lab activities; long hair must be tied back for labs. For some labs, goggles must be worn. (Goggles will be provided.)
3. Swimsuits should only be worn to and from the pool facility. Swimsuits should be covered on the way to and from the pool (e.g. shirts and shorts).
4. Shoes should be worn at all times on campus and are required for admittance into the cafeteria along with proper attire.