



Code of Conduct for Parents & Cast-members- (July, 2026)

Within the grand tradition of theatre, it begins with an attitude of respect for others. Our code of conduct is not only requested, but required, to continue the high quality and the integrity of an ESCAPE production. 😊

****Parents please read this with your child or teen before rehearsals begin.**

- We will be **respectful** to others at all times. (ESCAPE staff, kids, parents, and volunteers at the theatre)
- We will turn in all paperwork and payments by the stated due dates.
- We will turn in the Production week agreement/Conflicts at the 1st rehearsal, on Mon. July 6.
- I am aware of Monday morning emails, and will make time to read it on Mondays before rehearsals.
- We understand that ESCAPE is an alcohol & drug free rehearsal space, and complies with federal and state regulations. ESCAPE prohibits the consumption of alcohol and drugs at the Rehearsal Studio. Violation of this policy will result in immediate removal from the show.
- Our family will meet Costume Check deadlines, and attend Costume Check night on July 20. Communication is the key!
- We understand that each family is required to have one parent volunteer during Production Week.
- We will sign up for one Parent committee on July 20, in the front lobby when tickets go on sale.
- We will practice our songs and dances with the website regularly. If I do NOT know everything 10 days before show time- I will understand why my cast-member may be pulled from a specific dance.
- **We will unplug at ESCAPE and put cell phones away during all rehearsals, AND performances.**
- We will do our part to protect the copyright of the show, and understand that *No videotaping or photos are allowed at the performances. I will also communicate this to our guests in the audience, and tell them to put their phones away and "unplug and ENJOY" during the performances as well.*
- We will **Respect the Casting decisions** of the ESCAPE Directors and Choreographers.
- We will help my child or teen to accept casting decisions in a positive manner. 😊

*Please, BE KIND to others at all times. Disappointment in not being placed in a lead role should be acknowledged, and used as a learning experience to discover what can be done to help achieve different results in the future.

*The Directors care about ALL of these kids, and that is why the audition process takes a few weeks. It takes time to make decisions as a TEAM for the best possible show. The Directors may have a different VISION than you have. Thank you for being respectful of that.

***Parents** are asked to refrain from calling or emailing the Directors about casting decisions right away. Always give your feelings 48 hours before you send an email or make a phone call.

- We will thoroughly review any possible Conflicts in the next 6 weeks, & understand that **we cannot ADD conflicts after** a role has been given. Please be honest & up front with ANY possible conflicts. Being a LEAD role is a **BIG responsibility**, and many others in ESCAPE are counting on YOU as well.
- We understand that ENSEMBLE rehearsals are just as important as LEAD rehearsals. **Leads are leaders!**
- We will follow the guidelines established by ESCAPE.

Thank you for reading this WITH your child or teen before rehearsals begin. 😊

Cast-member Name (print) _____

Cast-member Signature _____

Parent Name (print) _____

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