

# STUDENT PLEDGE

While on this trip, I will posture myself so that God can TEACH me more than I expect to learn, STRETCH me in ways that make me uncomfortable, BLESS me in ways I can not imagine.

## I will go with an open heart

1. I understand that when I am traveling, I represent my home, my school, and Jesus Christ. I will conduct myself in a manner that brings honor to all of them.
2. I will be open and receptive to all that God has for me to learn while on the trip..
3. I will be an encouragement to my teammates in an effort to impact their lives & allow them to impact mine.
4. I will participate in sharing with my team what the Lord is teaching me each day, for our good and His glory.

## I will go with ready hands

5. I understand that a key purpose of the trip is to serve others, both in the hosting community and on my team.
6. I will be flexible and pivot when necessary. I know plans and needs can change so I will hold them loosely in order to meet the needs of others.
7. I will be aware of the daily schedule, attempting to always be on time, not making others wait for me.
8. I will push myself to work hard even when I am tired.
9. I will participate in all activities, projects, and tasks. Not participating is not an option.

## I will go with a steady mind

10. I will listen to the leader's insight and instruction without being a distraction to or distracted by anyone else.
11. I will follow all instructions regarding the safety of myself and my team and not do anything that could cause them risk or harm.
12. I will honor the values and directives that I know are expected at any school event including:

- ★ No student or adults may consume or purchase any tobacco, drugs, or alcohol while on the trip.
- ★ Profanity may not be used at any time by students or adults.
- ★ Boys and girls, men and women, are not allowed in the rooms of the opposite sex at any time.
- ★ Students must be in groups of three or more during free time.
- ★ Students and adults must stay within the school dress code. If swimming, one-piece, modest bathing suits may be worn.
- ★ While on this trip, boyfriend/girlfriend relationships are discouraged.
- ★ Students must adhere to nightly curfews and remain in their assigned rooms after stated curfew.

Honoring the above expectations is a reflection of my heart. Intentional disregard of these expectations or any other directives of my leaders may result in me being sent home along with an adult chaperone. I will be responsible for all costs associated with hotel changes, fees and airline expenses for both myself and the chaperone. I have read, understood and agree to follow WCS international trip policies.

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Student signature and date

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Parent signature and date