2025 National TSA Conference CODE OF CONDUCT



NOTE: It is the responsibility of the chapter advisor to make sure there is a completed code of conduct form for each participant and to give a copy to the state advisor prior to the conference if requested by the state advisor. National TSA reserves the right to request a completed copy of this form at any time from the chapter advisor or state advisor. Do not send this form to the national TSA office.

CODE OF CONDUCT

This Code of Conduct applies to **all persons** attending the National TSA Conference, including, but not limited to, all student members, advisors, alumni/ae, parents, volunteers, and guests. All attendees are expected to conduct themselves in a polite, civil, and respectful manner towards others, and must comply with all applicable laws.

- 1. Unacceptable behavior will not be tolerated, such as the following:
 - · abusive language
 - bullying
 - discrimination
 - threatening behavior
 - sexual harassment
 - · causing physical harm
- 2. No alcoholic beverages, narcotics, firearms, or weapons, in any form, shall be possessed by attendees at any time, under any circumstances.
- 3. All student attendees must keep their advisor informed of their activities and/or whereabouts at all times.
- 4. Attendees should be prompt and prepared for all activities.
- 5. Attendees should be financially prepared for any unexpected expense.
- 6. Attendees shall vacate the conference area by curfew or immediately following the last scheduled event.
- 7. No student attendee shall leave the conference hotels unless permission has been received from the student's chapter advisor.
- 8. Attendees are required to attend all general sessions and activities assigned, including competitive events, meetings, etc.
- 9. Identification (conference name badges) must be worn on a TSA lanyard and be visible by all conference attendees during conference events.
- 10. National TSA Dress Code must be followed by all attendees.
- 11. All conference attendees must follow facility guidelines for adhering signs, notices, posters, etc. to walls, doors, or any facility surface. There shall be no defacing of public property. Any damages to the property or furnishings in the hotel rooms or buildings must be paid for by the individual(s) or chapter(s) responsible.
- 12. No helium or water balloons are permitted at the conference.
- 13. Attendees violating or ignoring any of the conduct rules will subject their entire delegation to being unseated and their candidates or competitive event participants being disqualified. Individual attendees may be sent home immediately at their own expense.
- 14. Curfews will be enforced. All student attendees will be in their assigned hotel rooms by the announced curfew times.
- 15. The TSA, Inc. Executive Committee reserves the right to dismiss any person from the conference for inappropriate actions.