

Teen Volunteer Dress Code

Purpose Statement: The purpose of the Aldridge Gardens teen volunteer dress code is to give teen volunteers guidelines on appearance while volunteering at the Gardens. Volunteer dress should have a neat and modest appearance, allowing for personal expression of style, yet not disrupting the summer camp atmosphere for K - 3rd grade children.

1. Students' clothing must not expose skin at the waist/midriff area or excessive skin of the upper torso area; cleavage must not be exposed. Undergarments must not be visible under any circumstances at any time. No off-the-shoulder tops.
2. "Low-riders" and excessively long, large, or baggy clothes are not allowed. Examples would be oversized pants and shirts tall-tees and team jerseys with excessively long shirrtails must not be worn.
3. Students must not wear anything that could be viewed as obscene, vulgar, suggestive or offensive to anyone of any age. This includes clothes which are too tight, or too revealing, or which promote the use of drugs, or endorse alcohol or tobacco products.
4. Skirts and shorts must be no shorter than three inches above the kneecap. (no gym shorts, short shorts, or holes in jeans)
5. Teen volunteers may wear hats and sunglasses. Please use sunscreen.
6. Body piercing jewelry is allowed only in female students' ears.
7. Jewelry with spikes, including but not limited to belts and bracelets along with wallet or watch chains, may not be worn.
8. Boys must have cleanly shaven faces. A student's hair must not cover his/her eyes. Male teen volunteers may not have ponytails and hair length must be above the shoulder. Hair must not be of unnatural colors.
9. Tattoos or hair feathers must not be visible at any time while at Aldridge Gardens.
10. Teen volunteers must wear shoes.

Remember that teen volunteers have an important role in summer camps at Aldridge Gardens. The staff at Aldridge Gardens wants teen volunteers to look and act as positive role models for young children.

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ALDRIDGE GARDENS GARDEN ETIQUETTE

In order for everyone to enjoy the Gardens we ask that the following requests be observed:

Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult when visiting the Garden. – This doesn't apply for the Summer Camps.

Groups of 10 or more must notify the Aldridge Gardens' Operations Director before planning an outing in the Garden. Due to frequent events we are unable to accommodate unexpected groups. Please call 682-8019, ext. 5, M-F, 8am-5pm to determine if group can be accommodated.

Aldridge Gardens is part of a living ecosystem and as such the visitor may occasionally see a snake near the lake or woodland stream. Visitors enter the Garden at their own risk.

Please stay on paths. Do not climb on trees and shrubs. No one should venture off pathways due to plant damage and destruction (includes any photography, at any time).

For your safety and enjoyment, this is a walking garden. Special care should be exercised in areas where garden maintenance or other work is being done.

Most areas are accessible to those with handicaps.

Pets are not allowed in the Garden. Support/service animals are allowed.

Please feed ducks or geese ONLY designated food from the dispensers in the Boat House..

Only emergency vehicles and those making deliveries are allowed through the gate.

All plants and wildlife are protected. Collecting of plants or picking of any flowers is strictly prohibited.

Bicycles, skateboards, scooters, skates and other riding toys are not allowed in the Garden.

Picnic tables are located at the Boathouse and in the picnic area near the entry gate. Fires of any kind are prohibited.

Fishing or swimming is not allowed in the lake, except groups for fishing by prior approval of the Executive Director.

No sun bathing in the Gardens.

Aldridge Gardens is a non-smoking area.

Commercial Photographers (defined as a photographer who is paid for his/her services) must become members of the Photography Guild at \$75 per year.

A scheduled appointment and fee payment must be done in advance.

No wedding photographs or photographs for large groups will be allowed to be taken while a wedding event is taking place. All photographers will be required to leave the gardens at regular closing time. Weekend photo sessions must be cleared with the facility manager.

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