

ETERNAL CITY EDUCATION AGREEMENT

PROGRAM RULES AND REGULATIONS

I accept my admission to the program and agree to abide by the following statement of responsibilities:

1. Alcohol and Drugs.

I will not possess, consume, furnish, or distribute any alcoholic beverages. Further, I understand that Eternal City Education has a zero-tolerance policy with respect to the possession, use, manufacture, production, sale, exchange, or distribution of illegal drugs.

I am responsible for knowing and obeying the laws of the host country, as well as all local institutional regulations, regarding alcohol and other drugs. I understand that violations of law or policy may result in (i) immediate dismissal from the program.

2. Dismissal or Terms of expulsion.

If I seriously disrupt the group learning process, or if my behaviour gives the program director reasonable cause to believe that my continued presence in the program poses a danger to the health or safety of persons or property, or impedes, disrupts or obstructs the program in any way, I will face immediate dismissal. Alcohol, drug and weapons related violations, assault, and sexual or racial harassment are not tolerated in any and will result in immediate expulsion. For lesser infractions, the disciplinary action will be followed. Before I may be removed from the program, I will have an opportunity to explain my conduct to the program director(s). A decision to dismiss me from the program would be final and no refund would be made. Transportation back to the host country would be at my own expense.

3. Travel Arrangements.

- Eternal City Education is not responsible for penalties assessed by air carriers or any other associated costs based on operational and/or itinerary changes.
- If I travel independently and arrive after the start of the program, I will notify my program leader or Office of Study Abroad personnel and am responsible for all academic consequences such as lost class time and assignments.
- I must confirm departure and arrival times and locations with Eternal City Education.
- My property is transported at my risk.
- Eternal City Education is not responsible for travel delays and hassles.
- I will notify my program leader or on-site personnel of my itinerary whenever I leave the site for longer than one day.
- Eternal City Education is not responsible for any injury or loss I may suffer when I am traveling independently or am otherwise separated from any University-sponsored activities.
- If I become separated from the program group, for any reason, I will rejoin, at my own expense, the group at the first opportunity.
- Eternal City Education may substitute hotel accommodations or housing at any time. Specific room and housing assignments are within ECE's sole discretion.

4. Health.

I will be responsible for my own health maintenance. In the event of serious illness, accident or emergency, I will inform the appropriate program official so that assistance may be secured and so that my designated emergency contact may be notified.

5. Waiver.

In the case of an emergency in which I cannot be reached, I authorize U.S. Embassies and Consulates to release information concerning my welfare and whereabouts to Eternal City Education. In authorizing this release of information, I hereby waive 5 USC Section 522 (b) (8).

6. Governing Law.

Any dispute arising from this Statement will be determined according to Colorado law.

7. Changes to Program Itinerary

Eternal City Education reserves the right to make any changes to program itinerary it deems necessary for the safety and educational benefit of its students.

In signing this document I acknowledge that I have had an opportunity to ask any questions I have about it, that I have read and understand it, that I accept its terms, and that I have signed it knowingly and voluntarily.

Signature:

Parent/Guardian Signature (if participant is under age 18):

Date: