



ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Policy for Illinois Wesleyan Student Overnight Hosts

Thank you for volunteering to host prospective students during their overnight visit to Illinois Wesleyan University! The overnight visit is crucial to many students' college decision process. We rely on you to portray IWU in the most positive and honest way possible during their visit.

Please complete all information clearly:

Name: _____ Residence Hall and Room: _____

Cell phone number:(____)_____ Email Address: _____

As a current Illinois Wesleyan student, you are required to abide by the rules and guidelines that govern the conduct of such students. (Please visit the IWU handbook or website to review the *University Policy and Regulations*.)

Be aware that the following conditions apply:

- You will be serving as a guide to your prospective student. We are aware that your main priority is academic work, but try to spend as much quality time with your guest as possible.
- Please respect your guest's background, belief system, interests and property during their stay.
- Do not take your guest off the Illinois Wesleyan University campus, unless instructed and approved by the Admissions Office.
- Your guest may come prepared with ideas of things he/she would enjoy doing during their visit, but might need some prompting or encouragement. Please give your guest ideas of things to do, and only take your guest to places and activities with which they have agreed. Be aware of any signs of discomfort and discontinue any activity that may be causing these feelings.
- Please be aware that Illinois law prohibits the consumption of alcohol by persons under 21 years of age, as well as illegal drugs or controlled substances. Do not consume alcohol, provide alcohol or take your guest to environments where alcohol is served during the visit.
- Please note: All academic institutions are required to inform all individuals associated with the institution that the state of Illinois requires mandatory reporting of any abuse to a minor, or a person under the age of 18. If you become aware of any such abuse, you are required by law to contact and report the abuse to Child Welfare (1-800-25A-BUSE) and you should also contact Donna Haas (309-310-9152) of the Admissions Office.
- Please understand that any inappropriate or illegal behavior on your part during your guest's campus visit will be reported to and reviewed by the Dean of Student's Office and may prohibit you from hosting future prospective students.

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Acknowledgement:

I have read this policy and I understand and accept the conditions associated with being an Illinois Wesleyan volunteer host.

Printed Name

Signature

Date

I understand the expectations for hosting a student in my room. I agree to allow my roommate to host prospective students as long as we talk about it in advance of each scheduled guest. If there are hosting concerns, I will talk with my roommate and my resident assistant, as needed.

Roommate's Printed Name

Roommate's Signature

Date