



Chaperone Expectations

Dear Chaperones,
Welcome to the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows and our youth event! To make sure that the day goes well for everyone, here are a few simple expectations.

- We expect that there is a minimum of one adult chaperone for every seven youth in your group. This provides them with adequate adult supervision and sends a positive message to them that they are valued by your faith community.
- We expect that all chaperones are in compliance with their own diocesan child protection policies.
- Because youth ministry is first and foremost a ministry of presence, we expect you to be physically present to your youth at all times, which includes sessions, breaks and meal times, and to provide your youth with a model of good behavior and participation.
- We expect that you will keep your youth focused on the activity at hand and will encourage them to remain respectful and to participate at all times.

We want to thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to spend time with the young Church of today.