



Certified Teachers' Code of Conduct

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Professional Standard

We agree to:

- Show respect for the life, dignity and freedom of all persons regardless of gender, race, religion, age, sexual orientation, national origin.
- Pursue professional development through educational activities and studies.
- Seek out and engage in collegial relationships.
- Represent our qualifications with integrity, including educational achievements and professional affiliations.
- Provide instruction only in those areas that are within the reasonable boundaries of our competence.
- Use our knowledge to benefit those we serve.
- Cultivate an attitude of humanity and humility in our teaching.

Student relationships

We agree to:

- Respect the rights of our students, including the right to terminate classes and or consult with any other teacher as they may choose.
- Treat all communications from students with professional confidence.
- Maintain appropriate boundaries with all students at all times. We do not engage in sexual harassment in any of its forms.
- Treat all students with courtesy and respect.
- Establish a climate that encourages students to act responsibly, to respect one another, to refrain from anger and violence, and to avoid the use of inappropriate force at all times.