CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE

International students who are applying to attend Midland College with a student visa must abide by the Midland College policies and U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) rules. It is the student’s responsibility to know and obey these regulations or face possible removal from the U.S. Some of the rules are presented below.

International Students wishing to attend Midland College must read each sentence and check the box that they agree to abide by these conditions.

I agree to the following conditions:

1. Upon entering the U.S., the student must report to the Director of Counseling within 7 days of the beginning date on the I-20. (   ) I agree
2. A student must report to the Director of Counseling within 10 days of registering for classes each semester. A student must report to Student Services to verify status between the first and fifth of every month. (   ) I agree
3. A student must maintain full time enrollment. For the fall and spring semesters, full time is 12 semester hours. (   ) I agree
4. Should an emergency occur and the student wishes to drop below full time, he or she must notify the Director of Counseling before they drop. (   ) I agree
5. Only one online course per semester may be counted towards being full time. (   ) I agree
6. A student may not work unless they have permission of USCIS and the Director of Counseling. (   ) I agree
7. A student must notify the Director of Counseling within 10 days of a name change of themself or their dependent. (   ) I agree
8. A student must notify the Director of Counseling within 10 days of their change of address of themself or their dependent. (   ) I agree
9. A student must notify the Director of Counseling within 10 days of changing their major. (   ) I agree
10. If a student travels outside the U.S. and they plan to reenter, they must have their I-20 signed by the Director of Counseling before leaving the U.S. (   ) I agree
11. If a student requests to extend their expiration date on their I-20, they must see the Director of Counseling 30 days prior to that date. ( ) I agree

12. A student who graduates must depart the country within 60 days of completing their course of study. (If the student has an M-1 visa they have 30 days to depart.) ( ) I agree

13. If a student transfers to another college or university, they must inform the Director of Counseling at least 30 days prior to the transfer and before they complete their course of study at Midland College. They must also tell the Director of Counseling the name of the school to which they are transferring in writing and provide an acceptance letter. ( ) I agree

14. A student needs to keep their passport valid at all times and carry their passport, I-94 and I-20 with them. ( ) I agree

15. A student is required to carry health insurance. Coverage must include a minimum of medical evacuation back to the home country and repatriation of remains back to the home country. In order to register, a student must show proof of this insurance. ( ) I agree

16. It is the student's responsibility to know federal regulations. Most of them may be found online at http://uscis.gov. ( ) I agree

17. S.E.V.I.S. (Student & Exchange Visitor Information System) is a government tracking system. It requires that students stay in touch with Student Services and the Director of Counseling to report any of the above information. This will prevent the student from avoiding unintentional violations and having to depart the U.S. ( ) I agree

By signing this, I acknowledge that I understand the above statements and agree to their conditions. I further understand that any deviation from this agreement will be cause for reporting the student to USCIS for appropriate action.

Name_________________________Signature__________________________Date__________

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