ESHA StarTalk Summer School Rules

Discipline

Discipline is most important for safety of all students and fostering a happy learning environment. Any conduct such as engaging in physical fight with other students, abusing others including teachers, or causing damage to school property can cause **immediate dismissal** from the School. **Teacher's decision is final**. The director may revoke it only with the teacher's permission.

- 1. School dress code must be followed by students and TAs.
- 2. Do NOT run in hallways.
- 3. Do NOT play in gym (auditorium) without adult supervision.
- 4. No heeling in the hallways. Children may collide with each other and get hurt.
- 5. No chewing gum in the classrooms.
- 6. No cell phones or iPODs in classrooms teachers will take away the cell phones and iPODs and return them to parents.
- 7. The following shall NOT be tolerated:
 - Screaming, Fighting, Pushing / Shoving
 - Improper touching any one
 - Breaking and/or displacing class room material
 - Any mischief to spoil the sanitation in bathrooms or cafeteria

Attendance

- 8. Early dismissal for medical emergency purposes with parent's written permission are allowed but the parent must personally come to the classroom to pick up the child.
- 9. Teachers will not dismiss students without parents.
- 10. No more than **one** absence and no more than **one** late attendance is allowed.

Consequences of breaking the rules of discipline and attendance:

Breaking of Rules #1 to 6:

- First offence: teacher will give a warning to the child.
- 2nd offence: Teacher will bring the child to the Director's Office. Director or principal will call the parent.
- Third offence: child will be dismissed from the Summer School.
 - i. Security deposit will be forfeited.
 - ii. Student will not be given the certificate of completion.

Breaking of Rule # 7: Immediate dismissal from the school Dismissed students will not be taken in future Summer School programs.

The same rules apply to TAs. In addition, they will not get the stipend and voluntary hours.