

# 2020 COVID-19 Rules and Guidelines

## FRC Team 5096 The Teutonic Force

We, The Teutonic Force, are committed to keeping all of our members, mentors and families happy and healthy. During this time of the global COVID-19 pandemic, our commitment has not changed. In order to stop the spread, we The Teutonic Force, will be initiating the following rules and guidelines with the ideal of a healthy world in mind.

At this time, any subteam that can meet online in a productive way is required to do so at least once a week. We encourage all subteams to meet virtually rather than in-person, and we will continue to meet virtually for the foreseeable future (this applies only to the subteams that can productively meet online).

If meeting in person is necessary:

- Always wear a mask and try to maintain proper social distancing.
  - A mask must cover both one's nose and mouth. We recommend using cotton fabrics. If a mask is deemed "unsafe" by a mentor, team leader, or the safety captain, that person will be asked to locate a mask that meets the safety requirements written by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).
  - Social distancing is defined as leaving 3 to 6 feet between another person at any given time.
- If a member, mentor, or family member feels sick in any way, or has recently attended a large social gathering, we would ask that they stay home.
  - If someone is being tested for COVID-19 or has recently come in contact with a person who is being tested, they must stay home until the test comes back negative.
- Before attending an in person meeting, every member must check their temperature and submit the google form to the team before arriving at the destination of where other team members will be meeting. If they do not qualify the COVID-19 guidelines, they cannot attend the meeting.

- Failure to pass all the requirements on the google form or failure to complete the form, will result in the team member or mentor being banned from attending the meeting.
- Wash your hands as frequently as possible. Remember to wash them for at least 20 seconds under warm water with soap.
- Use hand sanitizer as often as you can. However please recognize this is not a substitute for washing hands.
- Keep in-person meetings to as few students as possible. The less people present, the better.

If ANY team member, mentor, or family member has come into contact with a possible COVID-19 victim, student or mentor, we would please ask that they stay home and self isolate for two weeks before returning to meetings in person. If ANY member, mentor, or family member tests covid positive, the whole team will stop meeting in person for a two week period before returning to in-person meetings. During this time, that subteam is encouraged to meet online to accomplish what they can. We also recommend all team members and mentors who attended a gathering with someone with COVID-19 get tested for the virus.

Any questions or concerns about the guidelines and whether a student or mentor should attend a meeting, please contact any of the following people:

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Thank you for your cooperation!