



## University Rules

The Chincoteague Bay Field Station is an academic institution; our philosophy of shared tolerance and respect helps uphold a professional learning environment. The rules listed below assure the health and safety of all participants. If there are questions or comments please speak with the University and Research Coordinator.

1. Individuals must be able to provide proof of a negative COVID test result prior to reporting to the Field Station. Test must be done within a 72-hour period prior to the arrival on campus. If a student has been fully vaccinated and has completed the 14-day incubation period, the student will not be required to be tested, but must provide proof of vaccination.
2. Masks are always required except when students are in their living quarters.
3. Social distancing is always required on campus.
4. Individuals residing on campus will have a daily temperature check at breakfast and upon entering the Education Center.
5. Individuals will be required to wear gloves while in the food service area. Students can remove both mask and gloves once they are seated.
6. Individuals who show symptoms of COVID-19 must get tested locally at their own expense and must follow guidelines for quarantining. Individuals must remain in quarantine until they receive a negative test result.
7. Anyone who tests positive for COVID-19 will be sent home immediately.
8. While on a vessel (Daisey's, Parker, and kayaks), individuals will be required to wear a mask and social distance to the best of their ability.
9. Possession, consumption and distribution of alcohol or illegal substances is forbidden. Individuals or groups will be dismissed without refund and students and faculty will be subject to member university rules and regulations.
10. You are responsible for the upkeep of your rooms and common areas during your stay. Dispose of trash and recycling appropriately. Full containers must be emptied at the dumpsters near the maintenance building. You are responsible for emptying containers in dorms, lounge, and labs.
11. Do not store perishable items, such as food or beach collections, in rooms.
12. This is a Smoke-Free campus, with the exception of the college patio. Cigarette butts must be put out and thrown in the trash.
13. Quiet hours are 10pm – 8am. During these hours gatherings are permitted in common areas only. Sounds should be off or contained by headphones for all electronic devices. Noises carry throughout campus; please respect others by keeping volume low.
14. Individuals are not allowed to visit any suite in which they are not assigned.
15. Students are not allowed to have visitors at CBFS.
16. Do not remove equipment from storage rooms or labs without permission. Do not use equipment you have not been authorized to use.
17. Keep doors CLOSED to keep out mosquitoes.

18. Keep mud/sand out of showers by using outside hoses or showers to rinse off.
19. Muddy/sandy people who enter the common areas commit to cleaning these areas.
20. Participants must wear shoes on all parts of field station property. Students should also respect their own well-being by drinking water, wearing sunscreen and dressing in weather appropriate clothing.
21. The campus speed limit is 20 mph. Be aware of heavy foot traffic.
22. Weapons, fireworks, and other dangerous items are not allowed.
23. University and school age participants have separate common areas. Be aware of these boundaries and treat them with respect.
24. Respect the rules and employees of all partners including CNWR and NASA.
25. Follow Check-In and Check-Out procedures at the beginning and end of your stay.
26. If you are absent from any activity, inform your group leader. Avoid unnecessary searches.
27. Treat all forms of life (human, animal and plant) with respect.

THANKS & ENJOY YOUR STAY!