Kids Konnect Guidelines 2026-2027

We are very excited to have your child participate in Lifeway's Kids Konnect this school year. We, at Lifeway Wesleyan Church want to foster an atmosphere of fun, learning, safety and respect for your child while attending our Wednesday evening Kids Konnect. In order for this to happen, certain guidelines of conduct need to be observed by all in attendance.

1. Kids Konnect kicks off for the 2026-2027 school year on Wednesday, August 19, 2026.
2. Kids Konnect begins with a weekly dinner provided at 6:00pm. There is no cost to you for this dinner, but we do ask that the children take only what they will eat and not be wasteful with food.
3. If you are providing transportation for your child(ren), they are ***not*** to be dropped off at the church **before 5:50pm** and need to be **picked up by 7:45pm**.
4. Konnect kids will be expected to show respect to all leaders and church property at all times. Loud, boisterous or profane language and indecent or aggressive conduct will NOT be tolerated. Intentional destruction of any property, use of foul language, or bullying will bring about immediate, early dismissal of that child for the evening and ***the parent*** will be required to pick up the child from Konnect early.
5. If a child is sent home early, that child will need to skip the following 2 weeks that Kids Konnect *meets* before returning. The bus drivers will be notified not to pick up the child (if applicable).
6. Any child sent home early after the second time, may be asked to wait until autumn of the next school year to return to Kids Konnect.
7. Children need to come to Konnect dressed modestly and appropriately. If your daughter wears a dress, please make sure she wears a pair of shorts underneath for game time. Also, for their safety, please make sure your child is wearing shoes as recreational games are played both inside and outside.
8. No child is allowed to leave early without **ADVANCE parental permission** either in written form or with personal parental contact with the Kids Konnect director or assistant director.
9. We ask that the children **LEAVE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES and cell phones AT HOME**. Lifeway Church is not responsible for the loss or damage of any electronic devices brought by children, and any found being used during Konnect activities will be removed from the child and held onto by a staff member until they leave at the end of the evening.
10. Completion and submission of the registration/waiver form is **required** for your child(ren)'s participation in Kids Konnect. Without this completed form, your child(ren) will be unable to attend Konnect. This is for everyone's protection.
11. There is no Kids Konnect on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving, during the two weeks of Christmas break and during Spring Break (based on the East Allen County school calendar). There is also no Konnect on any Wednesday nights when EACS cancels school and/or their evening activities due to weather. If school is cancelled *during the day* for fog, Konnect will meet as usual provided the fog has cleared.

We are looking forward to having a wonderful year in Kids Konnect & are grateful to you for allowing your child to be a part of this ministry in 2026https://drive.google.com/file/d/11XomOYHxH9p-vMPZl-HO2wA_U54tB1fN/view-2027. Should you have any questions, please contact us through the church office at 260-749-9758.

Sincerely, The Kids Konnect staff & volunteers