

## Curfew Hours for Children

The policy below is applicable to all children below the age of 18 who are not married or otherwise legally emancipated. This policy does not apply to active duty military personnel under the age of 18.

### Required Time to be Indoors

Age Group	Winter	Summer
0-5	Never unsupervised	
6-9	2000 hours	2000 hours
10-11	2000 hours	2100 hours
12-14	2200 hours*	2200 hours*
15-17	2200 hours*	2400 hours*

\* In the event that a movie releases shortly after 2200, children shall be permitted to walk directly from Andrews Theater to their homes.

\*\*Teen Center closes at midnight and children shall be permitted to walk directly from the Teen Center to their homes.

Winter hours apply from 1 September to 1 May, and summer hours apply from 1 May to 1 September of each year.

All curfew hours last from time indicated for each age group until 0600 hours the following morning. Curfews have been established in accordance with Icelandic law for the safety and protection of all children and will be strictly enforced.

**As a condition of residency on the installation, all parents and caregivers shall comply with and are expected to enforce children's compliance with this instruction.**

**Violations may provide a basis for revocation of command sponsorship for the family.**

**The intent of this brochure is not meant to absolve parental authority and prerogative. Parents have the immediate responsibility for the health, safety and welfare of their children.**

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## Curfew Guidelines



**This brochure outlines rules and regulations for parents and guardians of children living on base as per NASKEFINST 1754.3D CH-1 of 01 April 2004**

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# Curfew Guidelines for Parents and Guardians at NAS Keflavik

This table summarizes the policy for leaving children unattended:

Age	Quarters/dayroom	Overnight	Playground	In Vehicle
0-5	No	No	No	No
6-7	No	No	Yes*	No
8-9	Yes**	No	Yes**	No
10-11	Yes***	No	Yes	Yes
12-17	Yes	No	Yes	Yes

\* Parent, guardian or caregiver within hearing distance and visual contact

\*\*\* No more than 3 hours and not after 2100 hours

\*\* Parent, guardian or caregiver within hearing distance

## Supervision Policy

Parents and caregivers shall provide appropriate supervision. Children less than 10 years old must be supervised. The exceptions are:

- Children 6 to 7 years of age may play on playgrounds unattended as long as an adult is within hearing distance and visual contact.
- Children 8 to 9 years of age may play in day rooms and playgrounds unattended as long as an adult is within hearing distance.
- Children 10 or 11 years of age may not be left unattended by their parent, caregiver or baby-sitter for more than three hours, and not after 2100 hours.
- Children 17 years of age and under may not be left alone overnight.
- Children less than 12 years of age will not baby-sit other children (including their siblings).

## Vacation Guidelines

When parents intend to be absent from the installation overnight or longer, appropriate full-time arrangements must be made. The caregiver must be at least 18 years of age and must be present during the entire period of the parents' absence.

- Care may be provided in the children's home or in the home of the caregiver.
- Prior to departing the base, the parents shall inform their chain of command of the dates of absence, the location of the children and the name and phone number of the caregiver.
- Parents are directed to execute any and all appropriate documents at the NASKEF Legal Office, providing the temporary childcare provider with a power of attorney.

## Trip/Special Event Guidelines

When children are attending trips or functions arranged by a base-sponsored organization (i.e., Boy Scouts of America or DODDS), the temporary care, custody, and supervision of the children is the responsibility of that organization's authorized adult.

- Organizers of special events that may result in children returning home unescorted by a parent during restricted hours should inform NASKEF Security of such events.
- Children may remain outdoors after prescribed curfew hours if a parent or guardian accompanies them.