LIST OF TERMS

DEFINITIONS

1. **Children** – individuals under the age of 18; when used herein refers to both the singular and the plural, i.e., child or children.

2. **Participants** – children participating in a program covered by the aforementioned Pre-Collegiate Programs (or Youth Programs) Policies and Procedures; when used herein refers to both the singular and the plural, i.e., participant or participants.

3. **Youth Program** – a program covered by the aforementioned Pre-Collegiate Programs (or Youth Programs) Policies and Procedures; when used herein refers to both the singular and the plural, i.e., youth program or youth programs.

4. **Florida Atlantic University Affiliate** – any individual, **volunteer**, or other non-employee actually or ostensibly acting on the behalf of Florida Atlantic University.

5. **Florida Atlantic University Operating Standards for Youth Programs** (hereinafter “Operating Standards”) – standards to which any Florida Atlantic University employee or affiliate who is or may be undertaking the custodial care of children must adhere.

6. **Custodial Care** – the responsibility for the supervision of children on a temporary basis for the purpose of the children engaging in the youth program.

7. **Program Staff** – any Florida Atlantic University employee or affiliate who *has* independent unsupervised access to children in a Youth Program or who *could have* independent unsupervised access to children in a Youth Program.

8. **Visitors** - any Florida Atlantic University employee or affiliate who *does not have* and who *will not have* independent unsupervised access to children in a youth program.

9. **Emergency** - A sudden and unforeseen situation **demanding** immediate remedy or action to preserve the imminent safety of the children in program staff’s custodial care.