National Archives Sleepover Rules

To make everyone’s evening enjoyable, we ask that guests follow these rules:

1. We require at least 1 adult (age 21+) for every 4 children. Adults are required to stay with the child(ren) they are supervising throughout the night.
2. All adults must be accompanied by a child.
3. We ask that you do not bring air mattresses, outside food or drink, electronic games or devices, cameras, weapons, or tents. Please leave your valuables at home.
4. Running and yelling are not permitted in the museum.
5. Children are not permitted to play on stairways or elevators and are expected to be courteous.
6. After bedtime, chaperones are responsible for keeping their group in the sleeping area. Neither chaperones nor children may visit areas of the museum that are off-limits.
7. Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated.
8. Alcohol is not allowed on the premises during sleepovers. Violators will be asked to leave.
9. Photography, aside from the dress-up area, is strictly prohibited throughout the Museum to protect the documents on display.
10. Cell phones should be put on “vibrate” or silent mode.
11. Respect your fellow overnighter and their belongings.