

STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

The President of the College and the Vice President for Student Affairs recognizes the rights of designees including University Police, to enforce all regulations, policies, license agreements, laws and codes on campus. , I D Q \ L Q G L Y L G X D O D O O H J H G O \ Y L R O D W H V W K H O D Z V 6 W X G H Q W will institute proceeding against the offender(s).

Alleged violations of the law or campus policies may result in EXPULSION/SUSPENSION from the College and/or other disciplinary action.

Alleged violation of the Student Code of Conduct is listed under two (2) categories: Level I and II. Any violation is strictly prohibited and may result in a disciplinary action ranging from a warning letter to probation, suspension or dismissal from the College.

PREAMBLE

ARTICLE I

1. Farmingdale State College is committed to providing an environment in which living and learning can occur. In order to function effectively and to provide an educational climate in which members can fulfill their academic pursuits and the educational objectives of the campus community, guidelines for defining individual rights and responsibilities are outlined in this Student Code of Conduct. The Student Code of Conduct has been adopted for the purpose of maintaining a quality of life that shares rights, privileges and responsibilities among its citizens, not for the purpose of duplicating public statutes and respect for the dignity and rights of students, staff, and groups in the campus community. Alleged violations of the Student Code of Conduct, local, state or federal statutes on campus will not be tolerated and are subject to the campus judicial processes. Each student, as a representative of the College, is expected to uphold the good name of the College and respect the rights and privileges of the College community. As such, incidents which occur off campus, the DUH DOOHJHG YLRDOWLRQV RI ORFDO RUGLQDQFHV 6WDWH) sponsored or supervised activities where said alleged violations pose a possible threat and/or danger to the safety of the campus community are prohibited.

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Disciplinary action by the College shall be independent of any criminal or civil proceedings. The campus judicial procedures, established to respond to these alleged violations, do not duplicate public court procedures, but protect the campus. F R P P X Q L W \ ¶ V L Q W H U H V W V

In cases pending court action, the College may postpone judicial action and establish a student status appropriate to pending off campus actions.

VIOLATIONS OF THE FARMINGDALE STATE STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

Alleged violation of the Student Code of Conduct is listed under two (2) categories: Level I and Level II. Any violation is strictly prohibited and may result in a disciplinary action ranging from a warning letter to probation, suspension, dismissal, or expulsion from the college via permanent transcript notation.

ARTICLE II

Level I Violations

1. Acts or expression of racial, ethnic, sexual, gender, disability, or religious discrimination.
2. Harassment of any kind, including but not limited to electronic harassment (e.g. messaging, social network communication).
3. Sexual misconduct, including but not limited to stalking, harassment, or lewd and obscene behavior.

4. Acts or expressions of bias conduct which could result in criminal acts.
5. Assault, physical attack, intimidation, or attempted assault of any person on College owned or controlled or shared property or at any College sponsored, affiliated, or supervised functions (Note: this may apply to actions off campus). No person either alone or in concert with others willfully cause physical injury to any other person or threaten to do so.
6. Disorderly conduct, including but not limited to indecent or inappropriate verbal/nonverbal behavior that destabilizes a particular campus setting or its academic and/or social atmosphere (e.g., obscene language or offensive gesture).
7. Verbal, nonverbal, or electronic threats against another Farmingdale State College community member.
8. Conduct that threatens or endangers the health or safety of any person. This includes the operation of a vehicle recklessly or while impaired.
9. Possession and/or use of weapons or firearms (pursuant to Item 080.1 of the Board of Trustees Administrative Policies) of any kind, including, but not limited to, explosives, knives, billy clubs, dangerous use of tools, etc.
10. Acts of arson or related fire violations. Falsely reporting or threatening a fire. Tampering with fire safety equipment, including fire alarms. Tampering or causing damage to College lights, lighting systems, alarm

activities.

25. Obstruction or disruption of teaching, research, administration, disciplinary procedures, or other College authorized activities/properties/operations.
26. Deliberate or careless damage to property.
27. Tampering with United States or campus mail, mailboxes, packages, or other federally or campus regulated package or mail services.
28. Theft, unauthorized use, or misuse of computer systems, telephone systems and telephone codes. Misuse of Student ID cards, meal cards, parking permits, computer access codes or misrepresentation in the sale of textbooks/academic related materials.
29. Violation of Campus Traffic Regulations times.
30. Violation of College procedures affecting the function or operation of College services departments.
31. Violation of any College initiated contract excluding the Residence License Agreement.
32. Violation of the Campus Housing Residence License Agreement.
33. Issuance of a false statement to College officials.
34. Failure to answer a summons letter issued by a Court official.
35. Violation of College smoking policies. Please refer to the New York State and local smoking policies.
36. Other violations of expected and appropriate behavior as prescribed by the Maintenance Order or Public Safety.
37. Failure to produce a valid RAM ID (which must be carried at all times) while on campus

5. Disciplinary Expulsion-

JUDICIAL APPEALS

Judicial Appeals are considered by the Judicial Appeals Officer who receives, reviews and may hear appeals of disciplinary decisions made by the Dean of Students/designee/Hearing Officer. The responsibility is to recommend to the Vice President for Student Affairs/designee to accept, reduce, modify or remove the sanctions imposed by the Dean of Students/designee/Hearing Officer after review of all evidence and inform the Vice President for Student Affairs.

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