



# | Student Code of Conduct



## Alcohol and Drug policies

**Alcohol** ▼

**Illegal Drugs and Improper Usage of Legally Obtained Drugs** ▼

**Medical Amnesty** ▼

**Smoke-Free Policy** ▼

## General Behavior

**Abuse of Property** ▼

## Appropriate Use of Clark's Technology Systems



## Assault



## Bias Incidents



Clark University values diversity, inclusion, and an environment free from biased or discriminatory behavior. The University embraces diversity of all kinds. It is committed to providing a safe, respectful, and equitable educational and work environment free of harassment and intimidation for all members of the Clark community. Further, the University is committed to identifying and implementing anti-racist policies, procedures, and training with all members of the Clark community as part of its ongoing commitment to advance its commitment to equity and inclusion.

Bias incidents are any behavior(s) or communication(s) motivated by hatred or prejudice that demean, degrade, harm, or harass an individual or group based upon perceived or actual identification in a protected category as recognized by law or Clark University policy, including race, color, national or ethnic origin, ancestry, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, age, genetics, physical or mental disability, and veteran or other protected status. Mistreatment could also be based on nonprotected categories, including, but not limited to, creed, marital status, political or social affiliation, or socioeconomic status. View Appendix A: Reporting a Bias Incident for more information.

## Censorship of Media



## Community Values



## Creating Dangerous or Unhealthy Conditions



## Departmental Regulations



## Disorderly Conduct



## Disruption



Students may not disrupt the orderly processes of the University that involve teaching, research, administration, disciplinary proceedings, or other activities. Disruptive actions include, but are not limited to, unauthorized entry into or blocking/obstructing access to private offices, work areas, teaching areas, libraries, social facilities, or the ingress and egress of traffic on Clark and neighboring community sidewalks and roadways.

It is also a violation to deprive anyone exhibiting freedom of expression of the opportunity to speak or be heard, to physically obstruct their movement, or to otherwise interfere with academic freedom.

Disruption includes conduct that is disorderly, annoying, disruptive, lewd, overly aggressive, or obscene, or that causes alarm.

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## **Doxing**



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## **Prohibited Actions**



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## **Consequences for Doxing**



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## **Email Communication**



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## **External Community**



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## **Forgery and Unauthorized Duplication**



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## **Gambling**



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## **Harassment**



Harassment includes conduct with the intent or effect of unreasonably interfering with a person's life in the Clark community. Examples of harassment may include, but are not limited to, intimidation, threats, stalking, slurs, derogatory graffiti, internet posting, email, text, or cellphone communication, or any conduct that endangers the health, safety, or well-being of an individual or group. This behavior violates the Student Code of Conduct and will be subject to conduct sanctions.

## Clark University Harassment and Discrimination Prevention Policy

Clark University prohibits harassment and discrimination based on (but not limited to) age, race, color, national origin, religion, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, disability, and veteran status. This policy extends to all programs and activities, including admission, education, employment, and athletics.

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### Hate Crimes



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### Hazing



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### Identification



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### Illegal Dumping



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### Joint Responsibility



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### Misinformation/Spreading Falsified Information



Clark University prides itself on building a healthy community and a sense of belonging for all students, staff, and faculty. Therefore, any community member who spreads falsified information physically or electrotonically, such as on social media platforms, violates the student code of conduct and may be subject to sanctioning. These include but are not limited to sharing information on an ongoing investigation or closed investigation of a community member, bullying, and cyberbullying. A good faith reporting of information that later proves to be false would not be considered a violation of this policy if the student made the report to an appropriate staff member based on a legitimately held concern (as opposed to merely gossiping with other community members who lack the ability to investigate the concern or effectuate a remedy).

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### Mutual Combat



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### Noncompliance with University Officials



**Political activity guidelines**

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**Responsibility of Hosts**

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**Retaliation**

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**Theft**

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**REPORTING BIAS INCIDENTS**

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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