

STUDENT CONDUCT & COMMUNITY STANDARDS (SCCS)

Students are responsible for conducting themselves in a lawful manner and in compliance with the guidelines set forth in the Code. This document is meant to serve as an overview of the Student Code of Conduct; please visit studentconduct.utk.edu for more information.

STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

Students are prohibited from engaging in the following types of misconduct:

The full Standards of Conduct can be found in the Student Code of Conduct.

- 1. Academic Dishonesty
- 2. Providing False Information
- 3. Misuse of Information in Connection with University Investigation or Hearing
- 4. Misconduct Related to Records or Identification
- 5. Causing Harm to Others
- 6. Discrimination and/or Harassment
- Sexual Harassment, Sexual Assault, Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Stalking, Sexual Exploitation, and/or Retaliation.
- 8. Invasion of Privacy
- 9. Theft, Unauthorized Use, and/or Vandalism of Private or Public Property
- 10. Hazing
- 11. Disorderly Conduct
- 12. Lewd, Indecent, or Obscene Conduct
- 13. Engaging in Imminent Lawless Action
- 14. Misconduct Related to Fire Safety
- 15. Unauthorized Use or Possession of University Keys, Access Cards, and Identification
- 16. Misconduct Related to Information Technology
- 17. Weapons
- Alcohol Related Misconduct on University Property or in Connection with University Activities
- 19. Alcohol Related Conduct Prohibited by Law
- 20. Providing Alcohol to Underage Person(s)
- 21. Drugs and Drug Paraphernalia
- 22. Failure to Fulfill a University Financial Obligation
- 23. Failure to Respond, Comply, or Identify of Oneself
- 24. Failure to Appear at a University Hearing
- 25. Violation of Interim Administrative Actions, Disciplinary Sanctions, or Condition of Re-Enrollment
- 26. Obstruction or Disruption of University Activity
- 27. Violation of University Policy or Rule
- 28. Act Prohibited by Law
- 29. Attempted Violation; Accessory to Violation
- 30. Retaliation

SANCTIONS FOR VIOLATING THE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

The purposes of sanctions are to educate, promote personal and professional development, discourage violations, and protect the University community.

The full explanation of the Administrative and Developmental Sanctions may be found in the Student Code of Conduct.

ADMINISTRATIVE SANCTIONS

- 1. Warning
- 2. Disciplinary Probation
- 3. Deferred Suspension
- 4. Suspension
- 5. Expulsion
- 6. Withholding of Degree
- 7. Revocation of Degree
- 8. Student Organizations
 - Disciplinary Probation for Student Organizations
 - Social Probation for Student Organizations
 - Deferred Suspension for Student Organizations
 - Revocation or Suspension of University Registration

DEVELOPMENTAL SANCTIONS

- 1. Educational Activities
- 2. Restitution for Loss, Damage, and/or Injury
- 3. Supervised Work/Service
- 4. Loss or Restriction of Privileges
- 5. University Housing Reassignment or Removal

PARENTAL NOTIFICATIONS

If a student is found responsible for violating a Standard of Conduct involving drugs or alcohol, and is under twenty-one (21) years of age, the parent or legal guardian is notified, as required by state law. Parental notification is not considered a disciplinary sanction.