

Student Code of Conduct

Flinders University is committed to providing a safe, and respectful study environment and workplace for all members of the University community. This Code has the status of a policy and sets out the University's expectations of students.

The Code applies to all students when they are on the University grounds or premises, or are engaged in any university related activities, at any location or online. It summarises the standards of behaviour and conduct expected of students that are defined in more detail in <u>University statutes</u> and policies.

Where a student breaches this Code, they may be contacted by a staff member of the University to discuss any instances of inappropriate behaviour. Serious or repeated breaches of this Code may lead to a report under Statute 6.4: Student Conduct and may lead to a finding of misconduct and disciplinary action.

All Flinders University students are expected to:

- 1. Conduct themselves in a manner that is consistent with the <u>values</u> of the University.
- Comply with all applicable laws, statutes, by-laws, policies, procedures and other rules or lawful directions of the University.
- 3. Respect the rights, welfare and reasonable freedom of all members of the University community to pursue their studies, research and other University related activities.

This includes, but is not limited to:

- respecting staff and other students' privacy and personal information,
- treating all members of the University community with courtesy,
- communicating in a respectful manner, and
- not acting in a manner which unreasonably interferes or disrupts University activities.
- Respect and uphold the principles of equity, inclusivity and diversity and act to ensure a study environment and workplace free of discrimination, bullying and harassment.
- Promote and maintain Flinders University as an environment where there is no place for sexual harassment or sexual assault.
- Behave ethically, honestly, and with integrity in all interactions and dealings with the University, including in their academic and research work.
- 7. Use the University's property, facilities and resources, including IT resources, responsibly and appropriately.
- 8. Value and uphold the exercise of freedom of speech and academic and intellectual freedom.
- 9. Respect, uphold and acknowledge the intellectual property rights of others.