NTU Student Code of Conduct

Section 3: Student Code of Conduct

Students shall adhere to the Navajo Technical University policies and procedures set forth in this handbook. The information is provided to assist students in understanding their responsibilities as University students, it is also important that they understand what consequences may be encountered if a student violates NTU policies. Overall, the Student Code of Conduct is a guide for students while enrolled at NTU.

The principles of student conduct are based on treating others with respect and courtesy, being conscious of others, and ultimately acting responsible. As an institute of higher learning, NTU is committed as well as required to maintain a safe learning and working environment for all. As a higher learning institute, specific expectations including acting mature and responsible exemplify student empowerment while demonstrating mutual respect of others.

It is the obligation of every Navajo Technical University student to comply with the policies, guidelines, and procedures within the NTU Student Handbook as a condition of enrollment noting that some aspects of the contents refer to specific student classifications. Additional policies, guidelines and procedures may be utilized by offices, colleges, departments or programs within NTU consistent with the policies in the Student Handbook. In the event of a conflict between those policies, guidelines or procedures and the Student Handbook, the Student Handbook will apply unless otherwise noted herein.

The contents of this Handbook apply to all students who represent NTU in any capacity where University resources (human or fiscal) support a program, event, or trip (domestic or international). It is within the rights of any faculty member, club or organization advisor, or any person functioning as a University agent for a University-sponsored trip or educational experience to take prudent action when violations occur based on inappropriate choices that may place a student at risk of harming self or others. This may include ending the experience for the entire group or sending a student back to NTU at the person’s personal expense. Any violation of this Handbook will be handled according to the disciplinary sanctions outlined and set forth in this Handbook. Any student found to have committed any misconduct or violation of NTU policies is subject to the disciplinary sanctions outlined as well.

NOTE: Violations of the Navajo Nation Criminal Code such as assault, battery, theft, destruction, endangerment, fraud, harassment, sexual assault, robbery, stalking, threat, or trespassing are all prohibited and shall be referred to the appropriate law enforcement agency. NTU has the option of filing criminal charges with the Navajo Nation Prosecutor’s Office.

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