

## **STANDARDS OF STUDENT CONDUCT**

A student enrolling in one of the Los Angeles Community Colleges may rightfully expect that the faculty and administrators will maintain an environment in which there is freedom to learn. This requires that there be appropriate conditions and opportunities in the classroom and on the campus. As members of the College community, students should be encouraged to develop the capacity for critical judgment; to engage in sustained and independent search for truth; and to exercise their rights to free inquiry and free speech in a responsible, nonviolent manner.

Students shall respect and obey civil and criminal, and shall be subject to legal penalties for violation of laws of the City, County, State and Nation. Student conduct in all of the Los Angeles Community Colleges must conform to District and College rules and regulation. Violations of such rules and regulation, for which students are subject to disciplinary action, include, but are not limited to the following:

### **BOARD RULE 9803.10**

Willful disobedience to directions of college officials acting in the performance of their duties.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.11**

Violation of college rules and regulations, including those concerning student organizations, the use of college facilities, or the time, place and manner of public expressions or distribution of materials.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.12**

Dishonesty, such as cheating, or knowingly furnishing false information to colleges.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.13**

Unauthorized entry to or use of the college facilities.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.14**

Forgery, alteration, or misuse of college documents, records, or identification.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.15**

Obstruction or disruption of classes, administration, disciplinary procedures, or authorized college activities.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.16**

Theft of or damage to property belonging to the college, a member of the college community, or a campus visitor.

### **BOARD RULE 9803.17**

Disorderly, lewd, indecent, obscene, or offensive conduct or expression which interferes with the College's primary educational responsibility or adversely affects a student's standing as a responsible member of the College community

**BOARD RULE 9803.18**

Assault or battery, abuse or any threat of force or violence directed toward any member of the College Community or campus visitor engaged in authorized activities.

**BOARD RULE 9803.19**

Use, possession distribution, or presence on a campus or at any college sponsored function, of any object that might be used as a lethal weapon is forbidden all persons except members of faculty sponsored, National Rifle Association-affiliated clubs while participating in sanctioned club activities, sworn peace officers, police officers, and other governmental employees charged with policing responsibilities.