Las Positas College

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- been prohibited by law or by regulation of the college or the District.
- Committing sexual harassment as defined by law or by District policies and procedures.
- Engaging in harassing or discriminatory behavior based on disability, gender, gender identity, gender expression, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, or any other status protected by law.
- 10. Engaging in intimidating conduct or bullying against another student through words or actions, including direct physical contact; verbal assaults, such as teasing or name-calling; social isolation or manipulation; and cyberbullying.
- 11. Willful misconduct that results in injury or death to a student or to District personnel or which results in cutting, defacing, or other injury to any real or personal property owned by the District or on campus.
- Disruptive behavior, willful disobedience, habitual profanity or vulgarity, or the open and persistent defiance of the authority of, or persistent abuse of, college personnel.
- Cheating, plagiarism (including plagiarism in a student publication), or engaging in other academic dishonesty as defined by college faculty.
- Dishonesty; forgery; alteration or misuse of District documents, records or identification; or knowingly furnishing false information to the District.
- 15. Unauthorized entry upon or use of District facilities.
- Lewd, indecent or obscene conduct or expression on Districtowned or controlled property, or at District sponsored or supervised functions.
- 17. Engaging in expression which is obscene, libelous or slanderous, or which so incites students as to create a clear and present danger of the commission of unlawful acts on District premises, or the violation of lawful District regulations, the substantial disruption of the orderly operation of the District.
- 18. Persistent, serious misconduct where other means of correction have failed to bring about proper conduct.
- 19. Unauthorized preparation, giving, selling, transfer, distribution, or publication, for any commercial purpose, of any contemporaneous recording of an academic presentation in a classroom or equivalent site of instruction, including but not limited to handwritten or typewritten class notes, except as permitted by any district policy or administrative procedure.

Student Discipline Procedures

The Chabot-Las Positas Community College District, Administrative Procedure 5520 – Student Discipline Procedures.

The purpose of this procedure is to provide a prompt and equitable means to address violations of the Standards of Student Conduct. If the student wishes to proceed beyond the informal process described in Administrative Procedure 5500, then the following procedure applies. This procedure guarantees to the student or students involved the due process rights guaranteed them by state and federal constitutional protections. This procedure will be used in a fair and equitable manner, and not for purposes of retaliation. It is not

intended to substitute for criminal or civil proceedings that may be initiated by other agencies.

These Administrative Procedures are specifically not intended to infringe in any way on the rights of students to engage in free expression as protected by the state and federal constitutions, and by Education Code Section 76120, and will not be used to punish expression that is protected.

Americans with Disabilities Act

In accordance with the 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the Chabot-Las Positas Community College District prohibits discrimination against students and employees with physical or mental disabilities that substantially limit activities such as working, walking, talking, seeing, hearing, or caring for themselves. People who have a record of such impairment, and those regarded as having impairment, are also protected.

Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act

Las Positas College is committed to providing access to its programs and services to all qualified individuals as mandated by Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act. Students who have disabilities will have access to and use of technology information and services that is comparable to the access and use available to non-disabled students according to Section 508.

Harassment and Sexual Harassment

In accordance with Title VII and Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, the Chabot-Las Positas Community College District provides a school and working environment free from all forms of harassment, including sexual harassment. The District also maintains an environment in which all students and employees model this behavior and are treated with dignity and respect.

No person shall be subjected to sexual overtures or conduct either verbal, visual or physical, which are intimidating, hostile, offensive, or unwelcome. Such conduct by employees and students is deemed unacceptable behavior and will not be tolerated by the District.

For general provisions, specific procedures, and inquiries regarding the application of Sexual Harassment Policies contact Wyman Fong, Vice Chancellor of Human Resources at (925) 485-5261 or wfong@clpccd.org.

Smoking Policy

In an effort to prevent the serious health risks associated with exposure to smoking and environmental tobacco smoke, faculty, staff, students and visitors at Las Positas College who choose to use tobacco products may do so in parking lots and designated areas only. Smoking is not permitted in any College-owned vehicle.

Drug-Free Workplace

The Chabot-Las Positas Community College District is committed to maintaining a drug-free work/learning place in accordance with the requirements of the U.S. Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988. The District certifies that it will provide a drug-free work/learning place by taking the actions required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act. For more information, please inquire with the Office of the Vice President of Student Services.