

STOCKTON UNIVERSITY



POLICY

Smoking Policy

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Smoking poses a significant risk to the health of both the smoker and the non-smoker. State law prohibits smoking of tobacco products and the use of electronic smoking devices in all enclosed indoor places of public access and workplaces, with few exceptions (N.J.S.A. 26:3D-56). Smoking and use of electronic smoking devices are prohibited in all facilities, including University owned and rented vehicles, breezeways, vestibules, walkways and parking lots. Smoking is permitted on the Galloway campus only within designated smoking areas. Stockton's Atlantic City, Hammonton, Manahawkin, and Woodbine locations are 100% smoke free.

All buildings in the residential hall complexes are designated as smoke-free; therefore, all residents and guests are prohibited from smoking in any residence hall or apartment-style building. Smoking is also prohibited within 50 feet of the entrances to all residential buildings. In addition, no candles, ignitable lanterns, incense, flammable accelerants or similar products are permitted in any buildings.

All Stockton employees, students and visitors are required to comply with this policy. Normal administrative disciplinary procedures or the appropriate negotiated agreement grievance procedure will prevail for employee violators. Student violators may be called before the Campus Hearing Board. Violators may also be criminally charged in accordance with New Jersey statutes (N.J.S.A. 2C:33-13).

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