

Staying Safe on Campus

Propped Doors

Don't prop dorm doors open. This leaves the opportunity for the wrong person to slip through the door.

Strangers

Always report strangers whether they are hanging around, exhibiting questionable behavior, or gained access to residence hall. Don't let strangers into your building even if they tell you they are visiting. Offer to call their friend(s) for them instead.

Hate Related Incidents

If you are threatened notify security right away. No one should have to deal with the discomfort of fear or intimidation.

Your Room

- Keep your door locked, especially when you are out or sleeping.
- Don't let strangers inside your room. Ask for ID or meet in lobby.
- Keep valuables safe and out of sight.
- Don't give out your room key.
- Don't keep large amounts of cash.

Illegal Downloading

Illegal downloading is against the law. An increasing number of students are being charged for downloading material that's not theirs.

Tech Theft

Technology is portable and it's easy for someone to walk away with an iPod, iPad, cell phone or laptop. Keep these items in your possession or behind a locked door. Don't leave them in an unattended backpack or on a table where you have walked away for a few minutes. These items can disappear in one turn of the head.

Online Relationships

Be safe by not trading phone numbers or addresses with someone you have met online. If you choose to meet someone

that you've been talking to online, tell a friend, make sure it is in a public area and don't be alone with someone you don't know.

Valuables

- Leave expensive jewelry, bikes, cameras or other items at home.
- Record the model & serial number of any expensive items & engrave identifying marks.
- Personal items brought from home are at your own risk.
- Barton Community College is not responsible for lost or stolen personal items.
- Write your name along the binding on the same page of each textbook. If your books are stolen, you can say look at page #__ to identify and show proof they belong to you.

Under the Influence: Alcohol or Other

- When abusing prescription drugs by giving/selling them to others can lead to unintentional overdoses and bodily harm. They can be especially dangerous if alcohol is added to the mix.
- You have heard it before, "don't accept a ride with someone under the influence!" And don't get behind that wheel if you have been drinking.
- Never leave a drink unattended –especially at parties/bars
- Never drink from common sources –like punch bowls
- Never accept drinks from strangers

Many victims and perpetrators of sexual assault are under the influence when an incident occurs.

- Think about your choices

Campus Safety Helps Protect YOU

- Safety Officers on duty 24/7
- Makes periodic building checks & patrols housing area & parking lots
- Listing of emergency phones
- Well-lit areas
- Secure locks on residence hall
- Campus Safety 620.792.9271 or 217 from a campus phone