

CONDUCT & DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

Disorderly conduct cannot and will not be tolerated as this is viewed as an infringement upon the rights of others. Residents and guests of College Student Housing are expected to conduct themselves in a manner which shows respect for the rights of others, the College, personal property, local, state and federal laws. Residents are responsible for adherence to the Student Code of Conduct, all College policies, and all applicable local, state and federal laws, and are responsible to ensure their visitors do the same.

The Student Code of Conduct

The Student Code of Conduct can be found online at: <http://docs.bartonccc.edu/procedures/2611-studentcodeofconduct.pdf>.

This policy applies to behaviors that take place on the campus, at College-sponsored events and may also apply off-campus and to actions online when the Barton personnel determine that the off-campus conduct affects a substantial College interest. A substantial College interest is defined to include:

- Any action that constitutes criminal offense as defined by federal or Kansas state law. These offenses include, but are not limited to, single or repeat violations of any local, state or federal law committed in the municipality where the College is located;
- Any situation where it appears that the accused individual may present a danger or threat to the health or safety of self or others;
- Any situation that significantly impinges upon the rights, property or achievements of self or others or significantly breaches the peace and/or causes social disorder; and/or
- Any situation that is detrimental to the educational interests of the College.
- Any online postings or other electronic communication by students, including cyber-bullying, cyber-stalking, cyber-harassment, etc. occurring completely outside of the College's control (e.g. not on Barton Community College networks, websites or between college email accounts) will only be subject to this policy when those online behaviors can be shown to cause a substantial on-campus disruption. Otherwise, such communications are considered speech protected by the 1st Amendment.

Immediate Dismissal

The College reserves the right to dismiss a student from College Student Housing without any previous warnings. This type of dismissal would occur in the event of malicious violations of any College policy as described in the Contract, Student Housing Handbook or other College publication and/or to provide for the immediate safety of the housing community.

Other

The College may elect to address conduct violations with a variety of other responses such as community service or required educational programming.

The following chart identifies a sample of conduct violations and related sanctions. The chart is not intended to be an exhaustive list of all possible violations. The sanctions noted could result from any type of policy violations. Any disciplinary action may be taken and does not depend on the issuance of a lesser action.

VIOLATIONS AND RELATED SANCTIONS			
CODE OF CONDUCT VIOLATION	OFFENSES	FINE	ADDITIONAL SANCTIONS
Alcohol - Drugs - Paraphernalia Tobacco - Weapons			
Alcohol Possession* (During your complete educational experience at Barton)	1st Offense 2nd Offense Hosting Late Fee	\$250 \$250 \$ 50 \$ 10	Confiscation + Alcohol & Other Drug Education. Immediate removal from housing & payment of housing contract. Additional fine for hosting**. Alcohol education is not scheduled by due date, an additional \$10 daily fine until education is complete.
Alcohol (Display of empty bottles or wrappers/covers)		Fine to Be Determined	Situation will be reviewed.
Drug/Paraphernalia Possession* (During your complete educational experience at Barton)	1st Offense 2nd Offense	\$500 \$500	Confiscation + Alcohol & Other Drug Education. Zero tolerance probationary status. Immediate removal from housing & responsible for payment of the housing contract.
Tobacco Use (Including smokeless & vaping)	Each Time	\$250	
Weapons Policy Violations	Zero Tolerance	\$500	Subject to termination, expulsion, immediate removal from the campus/housing, and/or arrest. Responsible for payment of housing contract.
Possession/Use of Air Soft Guns, BB Guns, Pellet Guns, Gater Guns, Tattoo Machine, Archery Equip, Knives, etc.		\$100/\$300	Each situation will be reviewed. Serious situation may result in removal from housing and payment of housing contract.
Behavior			
Abusive/Disrespectful Behavior Towards a College Official (Including failure to comply/run)	1st Offense 2nd Offense	\$250 \$250	Removal from housing.
Acts of Physical Violence			Situation will be reviewed, fine amounts apply relative to severity. Possible removal from housing and payment of housing contract.
Threatening Behavior		\$50	Situation will be reviewed, additional fine amounts apply relative to severity of threat.
Buildings			
Candles & Incense		\$100	Repeat offenses removal from housing.
Fireworks, Gasoline, Combustible/Flammable Materials	1st Offense	\$250	Removal from housing & payment of housing contract.
Hallways & Indecent Exposure		\$100	Situation will be reviewed.
Keys: Room & Mailbox Lockouts	Each	\$ 75 \$ 3	Replacement cost. Optional charge.
Unauthorized Pets	Each Time + 24 hours	\$100 \$100	+ Damage/cleaning costs & removal from housing.
Skateboard/Scooter/Bicycle/ Hoverboard in Buildings	Each Time	\$100	
Tampering with Security & Emergency Equipment (Including exit doors & setting false fire alarms)	Each Time	\$100 \$500	+ Maintenance Fee when applicable. Removal from housing.
Solicitation & Unapproved Flyers	Review	\$50-\$75	Situation will be reviewed.
Unauthorized Access		Fine to Be Determined	Situation will be reviewed.
Cafeteria			
Cafeteria: Meal Service Guidelines	Each Time	\$ 25-\$50	Situation will be reviewed and possible fine for all involved. Penalty will be decided after review.
Disrespect, Disorderly Conduct, Fighting (See Behavior)		Higher Penalty	