

Student Member Code of Conduct

The aim of education is the intellectual, personal, social, and ethical development of the individual. The educational process is ideally conducted in an environment that encourages reasoned discourse, intellectual honesty, openness to constructive change, and respect for the rights of all individuals. Self-discipline and a respect for the rights of others in the university community are necessary for the fulfillment of such goals. The Student Code of Conduct is designed to promote this environment at each of the state universities. --Policy Number 5-308.

Classroom Decorum

Participants in OLLI at ASU are subject to the Student Code of Conduct, established by the Arizona Board of Regents (see students.asu.edu/srr/policies), and the University's Technology Access Policy (see uto.asu.edu/security-policies/policy). The Student Member Code of Conduct is designed to promote and protect an environment that encourages reasoned discourse, intellectual honesty, openness to constructive change, and respect for the rights of all individuals.

In Spring 2022, participants in OLLI at ASU physical classrooms via in-person will be asked to wear a mask.

In keeping with this mission, OLLI at ASU staff seeks to balance the rights and needs of the individual with responsibility of the individual to meet the needs of an engaged learning community. In addition, it reviews allegations of student misconduct, determines whether a violation has occurred and, if applicable, imposes appropriate sanctions.

Disrupting the Learning Experience

The overall goal is to create classroom environments that maximize the learning for all students. If, in the opinion of OLLI at ASU staff and administration, an instructor, activity leader, class member, or any allied participant interferes with the goals of the learning community, or creates a safety concern, they may be removed from the class or activity, and ultimately may not be able to continue their affiliation with OLLI at ASU. More typically, a written statement (warning) will be sent to the violator advising the student that a violation of the Student Code of Conduct has been committed and that further misconduct may result in more severe disciplinary action.

Examples may include threatening behaviors, disruptive classroom experiences, not adhering to social distancing and mask guidelines, sexual harassment, lack of clothing, monopolizing discussions, undermining the instructor's credibility, conversing with others, and cell phone and electronic device utilization not germane to the class experience.

Individuals must also be mindful of their participation in Zoom classes in the following ways:

- Web camera use is encouraged in classes, but members who are not engaging in class or are performing activities not acceptable within an in-person class must turn their web camera off.
- Microphones will be muted when members enter a classroom. Members are encouraged to un-mute themselves to engage, respectfully and considerately, in classroom discourse if the instructor has notified members this is acceptable. Remaining muted during class instruction is imperative to ensure all participants can hear without background noises or distractions.
- The "chat" function within Zoom is a mechanism for member engagement – members are encouraged to submit on-topic comments, questions, or thoughts. Members should consider the role their comment will play in classroom discourse.

Quiet in the Classroom

We encourage members to socialize, but please refrain from side conversations during class (Zoom: either through the microphone or in the "chat"). OLLI at ASU has many other mechanisms focused on member socialization beyond the classroom – or, members can stay in the classroom after class for a few minutes to chat about topics from class.

Respect Intellectual Property

According to the University Technology Access Policy, "the University limits access to only those individuals and entities that are actively involved in supporting the institution's mission and goals." Do not share class Zoom links with individuals who have not enrolled in the class, including individuals residing in the same household.