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### **Student Rights and Responsibilities**

The Gillette Community College District (GCCD) is committed to high standards of personal and social behavior by its students while ensuring their rights are upheld and protected.

Student Conduct procedures apply to an individual, as a student, when an offer of admission has been extended and thereafter as long as the student has a continuing educational interest in GCCD.

GCCD identifies health and safety of students, faculty and staff as a top priority. It is the expectation that all members of GCCD exercise a commitment to adhering to policies pertaining to health and safety that includes understanding roles, responsibilities, and expectations in reporting. Federal laws and mandates such as the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Jeanne Clery Act, Section 22 of Drug Free Schools and Communities Act, Title IX, and the Violence Against Women Act/VAWA, require transparency in reporting campus crimes, statistics, timely warnings as needed, and protection from all forms of discrimination. In ongoing efforts to meet and exceed federal expectations, annual training is required for faculty and staff of the GCCD and resources and co-curricular programs are made available to students.

GCCD will work in partnership with the Northern Wyoming Community College District (NWCCD) to ensure required documentation and reports are provided to ensure accreditation standards are met.

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