

Addendum to the Student Handbook: 2024-2025

Interim Guidance on Student Activities Related to Safe Demonstrations

- All student clubs and organizations must adhere to the process set forth by the Office of Campus Life for requesting to have an event.
- All non-club related student rallies, gatherings, demonstrations, protests, and the like must be reviewed and approved by the Office of the Vice President of Students Affairs. Advance notice of at least 3 days (not including holidays and/or weekends) must be given to allow sufficient time for review and approval. Requests must be submitted [here](#).
- Campus entrances cannot be blocked at any point during a rally, gathering, demonstration, or protest. Doing so violates CUNY policy and compromises our ability to keep the campus safe for all members of the campus community, especially in the event of an emergency.
- Disruption of academic activity is not allowed during a rally, gathering, demonstration, or protest. Therefore, the organizing club or individuals must remind students that disrupting academic activity is not allowed.
- Rallies, gatherings, demonstrations, protests, and the like must take place at the quad steps across from the Shuster Hall ramp.
- Use of the amplification devices will not be permitted during rallies, gatherings, demonstrations, protests, and the like.
- Any installation of tents or other temporary structures on campus property is prohibited.
- No demonstrations during Final Exams or Final Exams reading period.
- No demonstrations are allowed inside College buildings.
- No inciting imminent lawless action.
- No harassment, physical abuse, or threats toward another person or member of the College community.
- Demonstrations are not permitted between 5PM and 10AM and should not exceed two hours in duration.
- Only authorized publicity may be posted in approved bulletin boards on campus. Note all flyers advertising rallies, gatherings, demonstrations or protests, hosted by individuals or groups (i.e., not clubs or organizations) must first be stamped by the Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs in SH 204.

- The Henderson Rules remain in effect during protests and demonstrations. Any student found in violation of any of the eleven tenets of the Henderson Rules is subject to discipline as set forth in Article XV.

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