

Student Rights and Responsibilities

Kellogg Community College operates within the framework of a stated mission and the expectation of the community in which it is located. The College expects that students, while attending, will conduct themselves as responsible citizens of the community in which they live.

Students at Kellogg Community College have the same rights and protection under the Constitution of the United States and the State of Michigan as other citizens. These rights include freedom of speech, press, religion, and assembly. Students, as well as the College, are responsible for upholding the law and regulations governing the country, state, and local community. Enforcement of these laws is the responsibility of local, state, or federal law enforcement officials.

The rights of each person in a college environment carry with them a related responsibility—the responsibility to allow others to exercise their rights. A student’s fundamental right is the right to learn, and the College has a responsibility to provide those protections, opportunities, and environments which promote learning. The student, in turn, has responsibilities to other members of the KCC community to refrain from interfering with the rights of others to learn and teach. If a student’s conduct on campus is improper and deemed a potential threat to the College or the College community (employees, students, or visitors), the College reserves the right to take any action that is appropriate.