



Student Learning Agreement

1. Introduction

All members of the ROUC community are expected to act reasonably at all times, to show respect for the wishes and views of others, to comply with college rules, to attend classes regularly and to apply themselves appropriately to their studies.

The following are the terms under which you agree to be a student at ROUC: Attend all classes (as per timetable), there is a minimum requirement of 85%. Any exceptions will be for students who have a medical reason, or other approved reason, that has been approved by the Principal, or other Director of ROUC.

All students will conduct themselves in a manner that enhances the learning environment of ROUC. Students must treat all members of ROUC with respect.

All students will complete assessed work to the deadlines as agreed with their lecturers.

Students will inform ROUC at the earliest opportunity of any absence and the reason for that absence.

Students agree to attend lessons on time, unless there are exceptional circumstances.

1.1 Examples of Unacceptable Conduct

The following are examples of conduct that will result in some disciplinary measure being taken (see also Student Code of Conduct). It is not an exhaustive or exclusive list.

- Poor attitude to studies
- Swearing /unacceptable language
- Persistent lateness
- Unsafe behaviour
- Misuse of any college computer system or facilities
- Cheating and Plagiarism
- Refusal to comply with college rules

1.2 Examples of Gross Misconduct

Gross misconduct is generally seen as misconduct serious enough to damage working relationships and trust between the college and the student. Gross misconduct shall include, but not be limited to:

- Threatening behaviour
- Attendance at college being under the influence of alcohol or drugs
- Theft or fraud
- Deliberate damage to property
- Possession of illegal substances
- Fighting or physical assault
- Bringing the college into disrepute
- Conduct which endangers others
- Misuse of email or the internet, including downloading or transmission of material which is defamatory, offensive, obscene, malicious, sexist or racist.

ROUC aims to help and encourage students to achieve acceptable standards of behaviour.

All members of staff have the authority to bring lapses in behaviour to the attention of the student(s) concerned. ROUC supports all staff in challenging unacceptable behaviour in students when and if it occurs.

Signed by student

Student signature:

Date:

Staff signature

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