

5.6.4 – Student Code of Conduct (Academic) Policy

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Policy Statement

Carlton Trail College is committed to upholding the highest standards of academic integrity. All students are expected to act ethically, honestly, and responsibly in all academic matters. The Student Code of Conduct (Academic) establishes expectations for academic behavior and provides a clear framework for addressing incidents of academic misconduct in a fair, consistent, and transparent manner.

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to

- define expectations for ethical and honest academic conduct,
- promote a culture of academic integrity and fairness in all learning activities,
- provide a framework for identifying, reporting, and addressing academic misconduct, and
- ensure that violations of academic integrity are addressed consistently, protecting the value and credibility of Carlton Trail College credentials.

Scope

This policy applies to all students enrolled at Carlton Trail College in any program, at any location, or in any mode of study. It covers all forms of academic work, including assignments, examinations, projects, research, and other assessments. This policy specifically addresses conduct that undermines academic integrity, such as plagiarism, cheating, falsification of documents, impersonation, misrepresentation, and procurement. For non-academic conduct, students are referred to 5.6.5 *Student Code of Conduct (Non-Academic) Policy*.