Marist College-Student Bill of Rights

Section 129(B) of the NY Education Law, "Enough is Enough"

All students have the right to:

- 1. Make a report to local law enforcement and/or state police;
- 2. Have disclosures of domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, and sexual assault treated seriously;
- 3. Make a decision about whether or not to disclose a crime or violation and participate in the judicial or conduct process and/or criminal justice process free from pressure by the intuition;
- 4. Participate in a process that is fair, impartial, and provides adequate notice and a meaningful opportunity to be heard;
- 5. Be treated with dignity and to receive from the institution courteous, fair, and respectful health care and counseling services, where available;
- 6. Be free from any suggestion that the reporting individual is at fault when these crimes and violations are committed, or should have acted in a different manner to avoid such crimes or violations;
- 7. Describe the incident to as few institution representatives as practicable and not be required to unnecessarily repeat a description of the incident;
- 8. Be protected from retaliation by the institution, any student, the accused and/or the respondent and/or their friends, family and acquaintances within the jurisdiction of the institution;
- 9. Access to at least one level of appeal of a determination;
- 10. Be accompanied by an advisor of choice who may assist and advise a reporting individual, accused, or respondent throughout the judicial or conduct process including during all meetings and hearings related to such a process; and,
- 11. Exercise civil rights and practice of religion without interference by the investigative, criminal justice, or judicial or conduct process of the institution.

Reporting Options

Reports of sexual misconduct, dating/domestic violence, and stalking can be made to the Marist College Title IX Office through the various methods listed below:

• In person: 1202 Student Center

• Phone: 845-575-3799

• Email: <u>titleix@marist.edu</u>

• Online reporting form:

Click "Report an Incident" at https://www.marist.edu/title-ix

The Bill of Rights has been translated into more than 100 languages, including American Sign Language. You can access the complete list of languages by visiting:

SUNY Sexual Assault & Violence Response (SAVR) Resources page: https://www.suny.edu/violence-response/

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