RESIDENT STUDENT GUEST POLICY

PURPOSE

To establish guidelines for permitting guests in Long Island University residence halls while safeguarding the University community.

STATEMENT OF POLICY

Resident students in good standing may host guests in their residence hall room if they remain in compliance with the following guidelines:

- Guests must sign the visitor log at the residence hall lobby desk with their host present. The guest will be required to provide their name and present a valid ID to security staff. A guest may not enter the residence hall unless their host is physically present in the lobby.
- Non-overnight guests may remain in the residence hall until 3 a.m. After 3 a.m., visitors are considered overnight guests.
- Guests must be accompanied by their host at all times while on University premises, including outside of the residence halls.
- Guests may not access the residence hall without their host present and hosts may not give their LIU ID or room key to their guest.
- Resident students may have an overnight guest for no more than three (3) consecutive nights and no more than three (3) times per semester. Students must notify their roommate at least 48 hours in advance of an overnight guest. It is expected roommates work collaboratively to provide reasonable accommodations that foster a comfortable and respectful living environment.
- Overnight guests must be accompanied in the resident student’s room and may not sleep in empty rooms, lounges, or public spaces.
- Hosts may not accept any payment or remuneration from a guest as compensation for their stay in the residence hall.
- Hosts are responsible for the actions of their guests at all times and may be held responsible for violations of University and residence hall policy.

The University reserves the right to ask a guest to leave the campus for failure to abide by University policy and/or refusal to follow official directive of University personnel. Violations of this policy may result in disciplinary action against the student or the loss of the student’s guest privileges.

Long Island University reserves the right to suspend, alter, or limit guest policies as necessary.

POLICY TYPE: STUDENT AFFAIRS