AP 3530   WEAPONS ON CAMPUS

Reference:
Penal Code Section 626.9, 626.9(h) and 626.10

Firearms, knives, explosives, or other dangerous objects, including but not limited to any facsimile firearm, knife, or explosive, are prohibited on all District property.

Activities involving firearms or other weapons conducted under the direction of District officials or as authorized by an official law enforcement agency shall be reported to the District Police before taking place.

Beginning January 1, 2016 and pursuant to Penal Code § 626.9(h), individuals may not possess a firearm on campus without the written approval of the Superintendent/President or designee even if in possession of a valid permit to carry a concealed weapon, with the following exceptions:

- The weapon is possessed by a peace officer carrying out official duties
- The weapon is possessed by an honorably retired peace officer authorized to carry a concealed weapon
- The weapon is possessed by an authorized security guard

Bringing or possessing any dirk, dagger, ice pick, or knife having a fixed blade longer than 2 1/2 inches upon District property, unless the person is authorized to possess such a weapon in the course of his/her employment, has been authorized by a District employee to have the knife, or is a duly appointed peace officer, who is engaged in the performance of his/her duties, is prohibited on any District campus or at any District Center, or in any facility of the District.

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