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Policy Name: Religious Freedom

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Functional Area(s) Responsible: Academic & Student Affairs

Owner(s) of Policy: Academic & Student Affairs

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Policy Statement:

Finger Lakes Community College shall comply with applicable New York State Education law with regard to religious absences. No person shall be expelled from or be refused admission as a student to Finger Lakes Community College because s/he is unable to attend classes or to participate in any examination, study, or work requirements on a particular day or days due to religious practice.

Persons absent for reasons of religious observance based on a recognized, established religion shall be excused from any examination, study, or work requirements and shall be provided with an equivalent opportunity to make up any examination, study, or work requirements which s/he may have missed because of such absence

Reason(s) for Policy:

This policy has been created to protect students from religious discrimination.

Applicability of Policy:

All full-time and part-time students and Academic & Student Affairs division personnel should be familiar with this policy.

Definitions:

None

Related Documents:

- FLCC College Catalog
- NYS Education Law
- Student Code of Conduct and Grievance Procedures Policy

Procedures:

None

Forms/Online Processes:

None

Appendix:

None