



EXPRESSIVE SPEECH ANNUAL REPORT (2024)

January 6, 2025

PURPOSE OF REPORT

Pursuant to 70 O.S. § 2120, which safeguards free expression at public institutions of higher education, Eastern Oklahoma State College (“EOSC”) submits this report to demonstrate its compliance with the statute’s requirements. EOSC remains committed to fostering an environment that values and protects the rights of free speech, assembly, and expression for all members of its campus community.

EOSC EXPRESSIVE ACTIVITY POLICY

The **EOSC Expressive Activity Policy** ensures that the rights to freedom of speech, assembly, and expression are upheld across campus. This policy outlines guidelines for expressive activities while maintaining the operational integrity of the institution.

The full policy can be accessed on the institution’s website under the “Consumer Information” section at <https://eosc.edu/righttoknow>.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES

EOSC actively communicates its expressive activity policy and expectations to students, faculty, and staff through the following:

- **Publications:** Inclusion of the policy in student and employee handbooks.
- **Electronic Communication:** Dissemination of updates to policies via email and website postings.

Throughout the year, any updates to policies are shared promptly through institution-wide emails, staff meetings, and targeted educational programming.

BARRIERS OR DISRUPTIONS OF FREE EXPRESSION

EOSC did not experience any reported barriers or disruptions to free speech during the calendar year ending December 31, 2024.

The institution remains dedicated to fostering an open and inclusive environment where diverse ideas and viewpoints are welcomed, respected, and encouraged.

CONCLUSION

Eastern Oklahoma State College is steadfast in its commitment to upholding the principles of free expression as outlined in 70 O.S. § 2120. The institution continues to prioritize educational initiatives, transparent communication, and an inclusive campus environment to ensure that expressive rights are protected for all.

For questions, concerns, or feedback regarding expressive activities, stakeholders are encouraged to contact:

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