Student Suggestions and Complaints

To view the Board policies associated with this section, go to https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=FLD.

Suggestions

Students who have suggestions can contact the district dean of students or designee at 972.881.5604 or dos@collin.edu. Students must provide either a Collin College email address or a phone number if they would like to be contacted regarding their suggestions.

Complaints

In this policy, the terms "complaint" and "grievance" will have the same meaning. The student (grievant) making the complaint must be personally affected by the action.

Student complaints that are unable to be resolved informally will be resolved through the appropriate Collin College policy, as provided below:

- For complaints alleging discrimination, harassment, and retaliation based on race, color, national origin, religion, or disability targeting students, see Board policy FFDB (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=FFDB and Chapter 4: Discrimination, Harassment, and Retaliation Prohibited in the Student Code of Conduct.
- For complaints alleging dating violence, domestic violence, gender-based harassment, retaliation, sex discrimination, sexual assault, sexual harassment, and stalking, see Board policy FFDA (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=FFDA and Chapter 3: Dating Violence, Domestic Violence, Gender-Based Harassment, Retaliation, Sex Discrimination, Sexual Assault, Sexual Harassment, and Stalking Prohibited in the Student Code of Conduct.
- For complaints alleging a violation of the <u>Student Code of Conduct</u>, see Board policies FM (LOCAL) and FMA
 (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/Policy Online/SearchResults/?key=304&query=fm and the student disciplinary procedures sections in the <u>Student Code of Conduct</u>.
- 4. For complaints concerning student disciplinary decisions, see Board policy FMA (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=FMA and the student disciplinary appeals procedures sections in the *Student Code of Conduct*.
- For complaints concerning an employee of Collin College who is not a commissioned peace officer, see Board policy DGBA (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=DGBA.
- For complaints concerning a commissioned peace officer who is an employee of Collin College, see Board
 policies CHA (LEGAL) and CHA (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=CHA and Board policy DGBA (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=DGBA.
- 7. For complaints concerning the withdrawal of consent to remain on campus, see Board policies GDA (LEGAL) and GDA (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=GDA.
- 8. For appeals of academic suspension for a grade point average (GPA) below the required 2.0, see the current <u>Collin College Catalog</u> or meet with a Student and Enrollment Services team member at any campus location.
- 9. For appeals regarding financial aid, see the *Financial Aid and Veterans Services* section in this student handbook.
- 10. For appeals regarding academic grades, see Board policy FLDB (LOCAL) located at https://pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails?key=304&code=FLDB and the Grade Appeal Process section in this student handbook.