

# Possession and use of Firearms or other Weapons

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The possession of all firearms, live ammunition, explosive devices, pellet or BB guns (including air-soft guns), paint ball guns, bows and arrows, knives with blades over 3 1/2 inches, wrist-rocket type slingshots, etc. are not permitted on campus or in the residence halls at any time. Should any of these items be found, they will be confiscated and stored by Campus Safety & Security until the end of the school year or semester. Any student found in violation of this regulation is subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal and may be in violation of State and Federal law. Special accommodations are made for paintball and hunting enthusiasts. Their hunting or paintball equipment may be brought to campus and stored with Campus Security, where they are allowed to check it out when needed for appropriate use. Assault rifles are not considered hunting guns and are not to be brought to campus.

## Federal law reads:

**Weapon law violations:** The violation of laws or ordinances dealing with weapon offenses, regulatory in nature, such as: manufacture, sale, or possession of deadly weapons; carrying deadly weapons, concealed or openly; furnishing deadly weapons to minors; aliens possessing deadly weapons; and all attempts to commit any of the aforementioned.