Student Employee Rights and Responsibilities

- 1. Sierra College is a teaching organization, committed to training all employees to succeed in their position(s). However, it is important to know that student workers are employed "at will" (meaning a student worker may be dismissed for any reason without warning). All employees are protected under both federal and state employment laws, including anti-discrimination and anti-harassment laws and laws governing protected activities such as complaining about illegal activity and/or reporting health/safety violations in the workplace.
- 2. To remain eligible to work on campus as a student employee, students must be enrolled in <u>and</u> successfully complete 6 units in each of the Fall and Spring semesters. International students must be enrolled in and complete 12 units in each of the Fall and Spring semesters.
- 3. Student employees are *prohibited* from working overtime from all jobs on campus. Overtime is defined as more than 8 hours in one day, more than 40 hours in one week, or more than 5 consecutive days.

Students are limited to working only 24 hours per week – **no exceptions**. International students are limited to 20 hours per week – **no exceptions**.

- 4. Student employees are responsible for informing each supervisor of their schedule at all other on-campus jobs. Students must comply with student employment hour limitations and overtime policy.
- 5. Student employees are required to have a declared major and maintain satisfactory progress towards that major. As such, students are required to:
 - Enroll in and successfully complete 6 units in each Fall and Spring semester
 - Maintain a 2.0 **cumulative and semester** grade point average.
 - To be reinstated into the student employment program, students must complete 6 units with a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better.
- 6. Student employees are prohibited from the following while on duty:
 - Performing certificated level work
 - Working alone in a class, alone in division or department office, without immediate access to supervisor, and working from off-campus location
 - Sharing/using other employees' passwords
 - · Having access to faculty records
 - Performing personal services for faculty, staff or manager
 - District work that is not paid through district payroll
 - · Being supervised by a family member
- 7. Student employees will perform their duties as outlined by their supervisor.
- 8. Student employees may not be employed for more than 4 years from when originally hired. Taking a semester off does not constitute a pause or restart of the clock.
- 9. Student employees may not work holidays or days when campus is closed.
- 10. Student employees are required to accurately complete an online timesheet and adhere to payroll deadlines. Failure to do so may result in termination from the student employment program.

I have read and understand my responsibilities as a student employee. Failure to comply with the above responsibilities will result in my termination from the student employment program.

| Print Name | Signature | Date |
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