Student Conduct Process

This is not an official statement of The University of Texas at Austin’s discipline policies and procedures. The official policies are stated in the General Information catalog, Appendix C, Chapter 11, available online at deanofstudents.utexas.edu/conduct.

Faculty Member suspects student of academic dishonesty

Faculty Member meets with student

Student accepts responsibility and signs Faculty Disposition

Student Conduct and Academic Integrity receives referral of suspected violation

The Office of the Dean of Students staff meets with student

The Office of the Dean of Students may determine that evidence supports a finding of violation and proposes an appropriate sanction. Student is presented with an Administrative Disposition Form

Student disputes allegations and Faculty Member submits a Faculty Referral

Student disputes findings and/or sanctions.

Student accepts findings and sanction. The Administrative Disposition is final.

Student Conduct Process is forwarded to The Office of the Dean of Students where it is reviewed and determined if additional sanctions are warranted, and if so, assess an additional sanction.

Within 10 days of accepting the Disposition, student may appeal only the sanction to the appellate officer based on section 11-801(f). By accepting an Administrative Disposition, a student waives his or her rights to a hearing. (academic or suspension/expulsion cases only)

Appellate officer may approve, reject, or modify the findings and/or sanction of the Administrative Disposition.

Within 10 days, student may appeal the decision to the appellate officer, based on section 11-801(f). Appellate officer may approve, reject or modify the findings and/or sanctions of the hearing officer’s decision.

Hearing officer either dismisses the case or finds student in violation of the Institutional Rules and imposes an appropriate sanction.

Our office will maintain a disciplinary record for seven years.