Syllabus Statements

A syllabus can be used to communicate your values, describe your commitment to a respectful learning environment, and provide information about accessible resources for students who may need support relating to sexual violence. A simple message added to your course outline can communicate to students that you support their well-being and are committed to a safe campus experience for everyone. This may be especially helpful if your course includes content relating to sexual or gender-based violence

Please feel welcome to use or adapt the statements below for your syllabi. If you'd like support in crafting a statement for your course, please contact osvper@macewan.ca

Syllabi Statement 1

MacEwan University is committed to fostering a safe and respectful learning environment, free from sexual violence. The university's Sexual Violence Policy demonstrates that all forms of sexual violence, including sexual assault, sexual harassment, stalking, and technology-facilitated sexual violence, are not tolerated in our community. We understand that experiences of sexual violence can undermine students' academic success, and we encourage students who have been impacted by sexual violence to connect with Office of Sexual Violence Prevention, Education and Response for support and information. They can assist you in exploring your options, including academic accommodations and reporting options. You can learn more about the university's sexual violence policies, procedures, and resources by visiting MacEwan.ca/OSVPER or by contacting osvper@macewan.ca.

Syllabi Statement 2

MacEwan University is committed to fostering a learning environment free from all forms of sexual violence. We understand that experiences of sexual violence can undermine students' academic success and encourage individuals who have been impacted by sexual violence to connect with Office of Sexual Violence Prevention, Education and Response for information and support. You can learn more about the university's Sexual Violence Policy and relevant resources by visiting MacEwan.ca/OSVPER or contacting osvper@macewan.ca.