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Honor Code—St. Petersburg College expects students to be honest in all of their academic work. By enrolling at the College, students agree to adhere to the College's standards of academic honesty and integrity. Failure to comply with this pledge may result in academic and disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion from the College. As members of the College community, students also have an ethical obligation to report violations of the SPC academic honesty policies they may witness.

All students have an ethical obligation to adhere to the Honor Code and are required to abide by the following Academic Honesty Policies:

- I. Each student is required to subscribe to the Policies upon registration each semester by signing the following pledge, which is contained on the Registration and Drop/Add Form:

I understand that SPC expects its students to be honest in all of their academic work. I agree to adhere to this commitment to academic honesty and understand that my failure to comply with this commitment may result in disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion from the College.

- II. Students admitted into certain professional programs of the College may be subject to a code of ethics in accordance with the rules and policies of that program and, therefore, subject to such policies as they may relate to sanctions and discipline for infractions involving unethical behavior and matters of academic honesty.
- III. The College has developed policies in regard to conduct which constitutes a violation of Academic Honesty. Those adjudged to have committed such conduct shall be subject to discipline up to expulsion in accordance with the college's established process and procedures.

Specific Authority: 1001.64(2) & (4), F.S.

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