

## Off-Campus Student Organizations

Cabrillo College contracts with the Santa Cruz County Sheriff's Office for campus safety, thus the Sheriff's Office has jurisdiction both on-campus and off-campus to investigate all incidents.

When a student is involved in an off-campus offense, sheriff officers may assist with the investigation in cooperation with other local, state, or federal law enforcement. Cabrillo sheriff's officers routinely work and communicate with campus officials on any serious incidents occurring on-campus or in the immediate neighborhood and business areas surrounding campus. Students may live in the neighborhoods surrounding the campus. Although *local law enforcement authority* has primary jurisdiction in all areas off campus, campus officers can and do respond to student-related incidents that occur in close proximity to campus. Campus officers have direct radio communications with the city police, fire department, and ambulance services to facilitate rapid response in any emergency situation.

*References: 34 Code of Federal Regulations Section 668.46(b)(7)*

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