

**Western Technology Center VO-12
P. O. Box 1469, Burns Flat, OK 73624**

(Burns Flat, Weatherford, Sayre, Hobart and Elk City)

**Annual Report on
Free Expression on Campus
December 2022**

To address legislation addressing free expression on campuses, Western Technology Center (WTC) submits the following report per 70 O.S. § 2120 (2019 SB 361).

As of December 2022, WTC's website includes this report which shall be accessible from the institution's website home page by use of not more than three links, be searchable by key words and phrases, and be accessible to the public without requiring registration or use of a username, password, or another user identification.

Barriers to or Incidents of Disruption of Free Expression:

For the time period of January to December 2022, WTC is unaware of and received no reports of any barriers or incidents of disruption of free expression on any of its five campuses. WTC has not established any zones that limit free speech.

Other Information Concerning Free Expression Rights:

To ensure that both students and those staff members responsible for discipline and education of students understand WTC's policies regarding free expression on campus, the following measures have been implemented:

1. policies, regulations and expectations of students regarding free expression will be made public through inclusion in the student handbook, posted on the district website, and will be discussed in student orientation sessions throughout enrollment times during the school year, and;
2. administrative personnel and instructors have received the school's policies and procedures regarding free expression on campus and will receive continued training concerning the school's regulations, expectations, and duties regarding freedom of expression so that they may understand the expressive activity that is allowed on campus at each August in-service meeting for all staff and other professional days as needed; and
3. each campus may designate a table or counter where passive distribution of materials may be placed for distribution by students or members of the campus community that includes a sign describing the purpose of the table.

For more information concerning Western Technology Center's policy or procedures concerning free expression on campus, or to report an incident or disruption involving free speech issues, please contact: Assistant Superintendent, Western Technology Center, P. O. Box 1469, 621 Sooner Drive, Burns Flat, OK 73624 or call (580) 562-3181.