

STATEMENT ON FACULTY INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM AND FREEDOM OF SPEECH

Faculty Council supports the right of faculty, staff, and students to speak freely without fear of discipline, in accordance with their freedom of speech and academic freedom. Collin College and its administration should aim to protect faculty, staff, and students from reprisal, harassment, censorship, or interference from groups or individuals, both within and outside of the college. Faculty Council urges Collin College to publicly reaffirm its commitment to the principles of intellectual freedom and freedom of speech as already elucidated in [Collin College's Board Policies](#) and rescind the College statement of October 12, 2020.