MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY POLICY					
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1.0 PURPOSE

The University believes that students living in residence halls should on occasion be permitted to have guests in the residence halls.

2.0 SCOPE

This Policy applies to all students of the University.

3.0 POLICY

Weekend guests of the same sex or non-partner guests are permitted on Friday and Saturday nights only if advance arrangements are made with professional Residence Life staff and if approval is obtained from roommate(s).

No overnight guests under the age of seventeen (17) are permitted in residence halls at any time.

Residents are responsible for all activities and behavior of the guest(s) and must assume any penalties which may be incurred by the guest(s).

A charge of \$5 per night per guest will be charged to resident responsible for a guest.

Guests are expected to follow all University policies and rules. The University reserves the right to prohibit guests in the residence halls at its discretion.

4.0 HISTORY

This policy may be revised, edited, changed or removed at any time with or without notice to applicable individuals.

January 2024 – updated to new format.

5.0 RELATED DOCUMENTS

None