

Title: Smoking	Number: 5.28.0709.1
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Rationale

To provide a healthy environment in which to work and study, and in compliance with the laws of the British Virgin Islands, the College prohibits smoking in all campus facilities.

Policy

The College has in place a no smoking policy in compliance with the *Tobacco Products Control Act of the British Virgin Islands, 2006*, which prohibits smoking in public places, as well as within 50 feet of public spaces. Anyone wishing to smoke on the College's campuses must therefore do so at least fifty (50) feet from campus buildings or other structures where visitors, students, faculty and staff gather. If found violating this policy, smokers will be asked to stop in compliance with the law, which carries a fine of not more than \$1,000 for the first offence and \$2,000 for any subsequent offence and conviction.