# 000.240 TOBACCO FREE CAMPUS POLICY

Wenatchee Valley College prohibits smoking or other tobacco use, distribution or sale of tobacco, including any smoking device, or carrying of any lighted smoking instrument within the perimeter of college property. This includes all college sidewalks, parking lots, landscaped areas, sports fields and college buildings. Use of tobacco is also prohibited at events on college premises, or in college-owned, rented or leased vehicles.

For the purpose of this policy, "tobacco" is defined to include any lighted or unlighted cigarette, e-cigarette, cigar, pipe, clove cigarette, and any other smoking product; and smokeless or spit tobacco, also known as dip, chew or snuff, in any form.

Smoking materials must be extinguished and properly disposed of prior to entering college property or exiting a vehicle. Improper disposal includes but is not limited to spitting smokeless tobacco product, littering (e.g., discarding cigarette butts, throwing cigarette butts out of windows, leaving spit container).

All college employees, students and visitors are required to comply with this policy, which shall remain in force at all times.

Procedures will be developed, as necessary, to implement this policy

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Related policies, procedures and related resources

1000.240 [Tobacco Free Campus Procedure](https://www.wvc.edu/humanresources/policies-procedures/000-general/000.240-tobacco-free-campus.html)

[Tobacco Free Campus Resources](https://www.wvc.edu/humanresources/policies-procedures/tobacco-free-campus/index.html)