

Alcohol and Drug Policy

In compliance with the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act of 1989 and legal sanctions under Georgia Law, Clark Atlanta University prohibits the illicit or unauthorized possession, use, consumption, sale, or distribution of illegal drugs and/or alcohol by its students and employees on University owned and/or controlled property or as part of any University related activities. Violations of this policy will result in appropriate disciplinary action consistent with local, state, and federal laws and university's policies and procedures.

Reporting a Crime or Suspicious Activity

Report any crime or suspicious activity seen in the parking lots, or loitering around vehicles, inside buildings, or around residence halls, immediately to the Department of Public Safety by calling:

- 404-880-8911 (emergency)
- 404-880-8623 (non-emergency)

You may also report crimes through the downloaded Panther Safe Application for mobile devices.

Emergency Call boxes are located at the following locations:

Thayer/Kresge Hall	Parking Deck
Greensferry Ave	Beckwith Hall
Park st. Church	Brawley Lot
Dean Sage	Clement Hall
Brawley Dr at Mitchell St.	Henderson Gym

"See Something, Say Something!"



We seek to provide exemplary **SERVICE** to the Clark Atlanta University community.

Our Core Values are:

Serving with honesty, integrity and respect

Engaging with our students, faculty and staff in a positive manner to enhance our partnerships

Responding to our community by providing a safe and secure environment

Valuing the opinions of the community we serve by being inclusive and transparent

Integrity with the community we serve by building trust and legitimacy

Collaborating with our partners

Excellence in customer service as we strive to serve in a professional manner

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For additional safety information and University Policies, refer to the Student and Faculty Handbooks, University Catalog and the Clark Atlanta University website at www.cau.edu

Department of Public Safety
Tanner Turner Building #19
223 James P. Brawley Dr. SW

Your Right To Know
Campus Crime
Statistics 2021-2023



Department of Public Safety

Emergency Line:

404-880-8911

Non-Emergency Line

404-880-8623

A Message From the Chief:



Greetings CAU Panthers and Pantherettes!

This pamphlet is designed to inform students, faculty, staff, and visitors about our on-campus crime statistics. Leading the public safety efforts at such a historic institution is a great honor. We believe that knowledge is power, and with that power comes greater awareness. Prioritizing partnerships with our stakeholders

is essential to our commitment to safety.

Safety should be a shared responsibility for everyone in the Clark Atlanta University community as we work together to prevent and reduce crime. By staying aware of our surroundings, being informed of current trends, and remaining vigilant in protecting our students, faculty, staff, visitors, and the surrounding areas, we can all contribute to making CAU a safe place to learn, live, work, and play.

As a department, we are committed to professionalism, fairness, and treating everyone with respect and dignity. We strive to provide excellent, responsive police services while fostering a campus-wide culture of prevention. This approach promotes student-centered, community-oriented policing by being inclusive, engaging with students through positive dialogue, and focusing on public safety as a whole.

The campus crime statistics and crime prevention tips are published annually in the "Right to Know" pamphlet, which appears on the website (<http://www.cau.edu/public-safety/>)

OUR STUDENTS ARE OUR PURPOSE!

Debra A. Williams

Chief D. A. Williams

Associate Vice President and Chief of Police

Campus Crime Statistics

Campus Size	126 Acres		
# of Buildings	39		
# of Residence Halls	10		
2023 Demographics	Male	Female	Total
Students	994	3141	4135
Faculty	175	152	327
Staff	169	292	461
Part I Crimes	2021	2022	2023
Murder	0	0	0
Sex Offense– Force	6	5	3
Sex Offense– Non– Force	0	1	0
Robbery	1	1	5
Aggravated Assault	1	5	5
Burglary	6	4	10
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	1	3
Arson	0	0	1
Total	14	17	27
Hate Crimes	2021	2022	2023
Hate Crimes	1	0	0
Other Offenses	2021	2022	2023
Alcohol Violation	3	1	1
Drug Violation	4	10	13
Weapon Violation	3	7	14
Missing Person	0	0	0
Fires	2021	2022	2023
Unintentional	2	2	1
Intentional	0	1	2
Undetermined	0	2	2
Total	2	5	2

Crime Prevention Tips:

- Report trespassers and suspicious activity.
- Adhere to visitation rules and display your Panther Paw Card.
- Avoid walking alone and familiarize yourself with your surroundings.
- Report defective and inoperative access control devices and security equipment.
- Lock your room, vehicle doors and secure your valuables.
- Request escorts during low light periods.
- Report violators of the weapon policy.
- Report sexual harassment and any inappropriate or obscene conduct/behavior.
- Avoid carrying large sums of money or credit cards on your person or electronics in view of the public.
- Respectfully decline having your photo taken by strangers.
- Avoid dissemination of your personal information.
- Be aware of date rape drugs and avoid situations which expose you to potential threat of victimization.
- Avoid "PROPPING" the doors to residential, recreational and academic facilities open.
- Refrain from walking with ear buds in both ears, looking down at your cell phone, restricting awareness of your surroundings.

Don't Forget to download the Panther Safe APP

SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING!

