

Hazing

Hazing is not permitted at Northwest University. Hazing is defined as subjecting a fellow student or fellow students to abusive or humiliating pranks (e.g., initiations, responses to engagements, "kidnappings," etc.) It is often difficult to distinguish between hazing and a "just for fun" prank among friends. Therefore, Student Development staff reserve the right to interpret the definition of hazing. Any student participating in either a "just for fun prank" or in a deliberate hazing activity will be held responsible for his or her behavior. Regardless of motive or intent, any student participating in a prank-type activity, which potentially endangers or adversely affects the physical and/or emotional wellbeing of another student may expect immediate and serious disciplinary action including the possibility of suspension or dismissal.