Safety Tips

BE ALERT

Your safety depends mostly upon your own attitude and actions. Use common sense and do not place yourself in a location or situation to become a victim of crime.

 IF YOU OBSERVE ANY SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY OR WISH TO REPORT ANY CRIMINAL ACT, CALL CAMPUS POLICE IMMEDIATELY AT 336-334-7675

For police, fire or medical emergencies, you may contact University Police 336-334-7675 or call 911. You may also use any of the emergency call boxes (located on the poles that have the blue light on top) throughout the campus. Simply push the button, or follow the instructions on the phone, to be in direct contact with University Police. The campus community is encouraged to report all crimes and safety-related incidents to the University Police as quickly as possible.

• IF YOU BECOME AWARE OF A CRIME, OBSERVE A SUSPICIOUS PERSON OR SITUATION OR ARE A VICTIM YOURSELF, PROMPTLY REPORT IT TO HALL STAFF OR CAMPUS POLICE.

Timely reporting increases the likelihood of critical evidence being obtained, stolen property being recovered and the offender successfully being apprehended. A prompt report to the police will also ensure you are aware of victim support services.

AVOID WALKING ALONE AT NIGHT.

Make arrangements to walk in groups whenever possible or **call Aggie Escort at 336-285-2530.** Hours of operation for Aggie Escort are 6:00pm-2:00am Sunday – Friday. After 11:00pm all escorts will be limited to campus **ONLY**. If you must travel alone at night, stay on well-lit paths and sidewalks. Take your **Aggie One card and keys with you everywhere you go. Do not lend out your card or keys.**

• REPORT ALL SECURITY-RELATED MAINTENANCE PROBLEMS.

Locks, doors, windows, exterior lights in need of replacement, should be reported immediately.

• KEEP YOUR ROOM DOOR LOCKED AT ALL TIMES.

Locking your door with your key, wherever you reside, is an effective way to reduce theft and enhance personal safety. The vast majority of thefts occur from unlocked rooms when the occupant is gone only briefly. First floor residents, keep your windows locked at all times. Do not prop open exterior doors, and close any doors you find propped open. Propped doors are a high risk and greatly increase chances of your victimization. *Do not open your door to someone you do not know.*

No "Parties" or "Sets" are allowed in the Residence Halls.

- Be careful when attending parties off campus. Do not leave any drinks unattended.
- Reminder: There is a Zero Tolerance for Drugs and Aggressive Behavior.
- Be Safe and Smart! See Something, Say Something!

Be sure to download our campus safety app LiveSafe before you arrive to campus.