

### **CHRIST University Code of Conduct for Online Learners**

As a learner at CHRIST Online, you are expected to uphold the university's values and maintain the highest standards of integrity, respect, and academic excellence. This code outlines the expected behaviour and responsibilities of online learners to ensure a positive and inclusive learning environment.

### 1. Academic Integrity

- Submit original work for all assignments, projects, and exams.
- Avoid plagiarism, cheating, and any form of academic dishonesty.
- Acknowledge all sources and references appropriately.

### 2. Respectful Communication

- Communicate respectfully with peers, faculty, and support staff in discussion forums, emails, and virtual sessions.
- Avoid offensive, discriminatory, or inappropriate language.
- Be open to diverse perspectives and engage in constructive discussions.

### 3. Online Etiquette

- Log in regularly and actively participate in courses.
- Be punctual and prepared for live sessions.
- Use appropriate language and behaviour in video or audio communication.

# 4. Responsible Use of Technology

- Use university-provided resources (LMS, email, forums) responsibly and only for educational purposes.
- Protect your login credentials and personal data.
- Do not engage in hacking, spamming, or unauthorized sharing of course materials.

### 5. Attendance and Participation

- Follow the attendance policy set for each course.
- Notify the instructor in advance if you are unable to attend live sessions.
- Participate actively in discussions and group activities.

## 6. Data Privacy and Confidentiality

- Respect the privacy of fellow learners and instructors.
- Do not share personal information or confidential course materials without permission.

## 7. Disciplinary Actions

Violations of this Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action, including but not limited to:

- Warnings (verbal or written)
- Suspension from the course
- Permanent removal from the program

## 8. Support and Guidance

If you need assistance or clarification on this Code of Conduct, please contact the Online Learning Support Team at <a href="mail@christuniversity.in">onlineprograms.mail@christuniversity.in</a>.