



Charles Sturt University Student Charter

The **purpose** of the **CSU Student Charter** is to help students understand what it means to be a student member of the CSU community, including the expectations students and the University may have of each other.

The Student Charter aims to encourage active partnership between CSU and its students in learning and teaching, professional practice, research and the life of the University community.

All members of the CSU community are expected to value:

- Intellectual independence and freedom of inquiry
- The discovery, refinement, preservation and dissemination of knowledge
- Engagement with professions and communities through responsiveness, partnerships and inclusiveness
- Social justice including ethical practice and global citizenship
- Economic, social and environmental sustainability, including the responsible stewardship of resources and
- The well being and development of staff and students

Students can expect:

- to be treated with respect and tolerance and to pursue academic goals without fear or intimidation
- access to information about University regulations, policies and procedures including research and study requirements and that they will be applied appropriately
- the opportunity to engage with accessible and effective teaching and professional practice and to interact with researchers and research outcomes.
- University staff to interact with students with honesty, integrity and in a timely manner
- recognition of the intellectual property rights of students to their work
- opportunities to contribute to the organisational and cultural life of the University and to be represented and actively involved in relevant University committees
- opportunities to provide feedback for the improvement of the University
- a student centered approach to the provision of services including information technology, library and student support a safe and healthy University environment