Know Your Rights

Protocols for On-Campus and Off-Campus Encounters



On Campus Encounters

- Call Campus Safety Immediately
 - -(805)493-3911
- They will call Dr. Matt Ward, VP of Enrollment Management & Student Success
 - As per California Law AB 21
- Refrain from verifying any documentation provided by Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE)
- As per California Law AB21, no one is able to very federal warrants or ICE documentation



Key Phrases

- "Am I being detained?"
 - You do not have to answer any questions, even if you are being detained
 - You have the right to speak to an attorney first
- "Am I free to go?"
 - Always get the officer's permission to leave
 - If they say yes, walk away
 - Never run away
- "I have the right to speak to an attorney. I have the right to remain silent."
 - Once you invoke your right to remain silent, it's important to remain silent
 - Even saying "ow!" will break your silence and you'll need to re-invoke your right to remain silence



Helpful Reminders

- While an officer cannot make you tell them your phone unlock code, they can have you unlock your phone using your thumbprint or face recognition feature
 - Consider removing face reorganization or fingerprint unlocking features
- Have your attorney's phone number memorized
- Do not open the door unless the officer has a warrant signed by a federal judge and all of the information is correct
- Carry a "Know your Right" card
 - Immigrant Legal Resource Center has printable copies in different languages



Resources & Useful Information

- United We Dream
 - The largest immigrant youth-led community in the country
 - They create welcoming spaces for young people regardless of immigration status
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