



Ohio Administrative Code Rule 3364-30-08 Amplified sound on campus.

Effective: March 11, 2019

(A) Policy statement

It is the intent of the university of Toledo to affirm that while outdoor music, speakers, fairs, festivals, celebrations and other activities serve to reinforce our commitment to diversity, contributing to the quality of campus life, the use of outdoor amplified sound must minimize any disruption of the central academic mission of the university.

(B) Purpose of policy

The objective of this policy is to minimize disruption to classes and other normal university operations.

(C) Scope

This policy applies to anyone who regulates sound levels and amplification at outdoor events employing public address systems, loudspeakers, bullhorns, or musical amplifiers.

(D) Guidelines

Sound levels and amplification at outdoor events employing public address systems, loudspeakers, bullhorns, or musical amplifiers will be regulated by the following guidelines:

(1) Sound levels and amplification must not interfere with regular functioning of the university or the welfare of residential neighbors. The office of the vice president of student affairs and dean of students will respond to sound level complaints. If an unacceptable sound level persists, the office of the vice president of student affairs and associate vice president for student affairs and dean of students will terminate the offending activity and may refer the case to the office of student conduct and community standards and/or the university of Toledo police department.



(2) Amplification of sound during the university's normal working hours or sound amplification affecting the greater campus community must obtain prior approval and be properly documented through the office of the vice president for student affairs and associate vice president for student affairs and dean of students.