Class Leader Guide

Introduction

Class Leaders are a vital link between Loyalist College and students. Student Government and School Deans rely on Class Leaders to gather feedback from and relay information to students. Class Leaders play an important role in supporting Student Government in achieving their mission. Class Leaders also play an equally important role in improving the teaching and learning experience at Loyalist College.

Class Leader Roles & Responsibilities

The Class Leader role is centred around gathering feedback from and sharing information with classmates. As a Class Leader, your main responsibilities are to:

- 1. Listen: By listening to fellow classmates, you can understand their learning experience and gather feedback to present at meetings. Having a good relationship with the students you represent will help to quickly resolve any arising issues and your classmates will feel valued. Students may come to you directly or you may take note of issues raised in casual conversations. If a student approaches you with concerns about personal matters or other matters that are beyond your role as a Class Leader, it is important to direct them to the correct person or service provider for assistance. IMPORTANT: As a class leader you cannot act on behalf of other students. It is your role to advise students with appropriate resources so that they can connect.
- 2. **Represent:** It is important to raise the concerns and feedback you receive from your classmates to initiate action and change. Attending Class Leader meetings with your School Dean and/or Student Vice-President, Academic are great opportunities to be the voice of your classmates. IMPORTANT: As a class leader you cannot act on behalf of other students. It is your role to advise students with appropriate resources so that they can connect.
- 3. Communicate: As Class Leader, you have a duty to report back to your classmates on their concerns and feedback as well as share any news, events and/or opportunities that may be of interest to them. Class Leaders will receive enewsletters containing important information to pass along to classmates. Class Leaders are encouraged to ask faculty members for permission to use class time on a regular basis to provide brief updates to the class.

Class Leader Code of Conduct

Just as all Loyalist Students must abide by the <u>Loyalist College Student Code of Conduct</u>, Class Leaders, too, are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that respects the rights of employees, other students and College property. In addition, Class Leaders shall be good ambassadors by maintaining confidentiality of their classmates' information.

Loyalist College considers confidentiality as a priority. It is the responsibility of all Class Leaders to ensure that all confidential information is protected and properly secured.

Violation of the Loyalist College Student Code of Conduct will result in a review or suspension of a student's position as a Class Leader. Appeals will be referred to the School Dean and the Director, Student Experience and Engagement.

Important Processes

Academic	Step 1: Student completes the Academic Appeal Form and submits to the faculty who taught the
Appeals	course. Faculty are to respond to the student within five working days.
	Step 2: If unresolved the student may take the concern to the Dean. The student must submit the signed completed Academic Appeal Form and the faculty response (or lack of) to the relevant Dean within five working days.
	Class leaders are not able to act on behalf of other students. They can advise of what the process is and guide students to the contact lists of respective Deans, Associate Deans, and Office Coordinators.
	More details regarding the Academic Appeal Process including the Academic Appeal Form can be found here: https://loyalistcollege.com/about-loyalist/policies/aop-231-academic-appeal-process-3/
	Please also refer to form attached to your class leader guide.
Academic	Details regarding the Academic Integrity Policy and Procedure as well as the Breach of Academic
Integrity	Integrity Form can be found here: https://loyalistcollege.com/about-loyalist/policies/aop-216-
	academic-honesty/
Classroom	Please complete the <u>Classroom Improvements Request Form</u> to report any problems with your
Concerns	classroom(s) in terms of equipment, furniture, and supplies.
Faculty	Step 1: Student discusses concern with Faculty.
Concerns	Step 2: If unresolved, student meets with Program Coordinator.
	Step 3: If unresolved, student meets with School Dean.
	Step 4: If unresolved, the Senior Vice-President, Academic & Chief Learning Officer.
	Please make sure that you are communicating through email with the Office Coordinator of your Respective school to set meetings with the School Dean or Senior Vice-President, Academic & Chief Learning Officer.
	Class Leader and Student Vice-President, Academic are available throughout the process for advising on appropriate supports. Class Leaders cannot act on behalf of other Students.
Program	Step 1: Class Leader discusses concern with Faculty.
Concerns	Step 2: If unresolved, Class Leader meets with Program Coordinator.
	Step 3: If unresolved, Class Leader meets with School Dean.
	Please make sure that you are communicating through email with the Office Coordinator of your Respective school to set meetings with School Dean.
	Class Leader and Student Vice-President, Academic are available throughout the process for advising on appropriate supports. Class Leaders cannot act on behalf of other Students.
Student Code of	For non-academic concerns, please refer to the <u>Student Code of Conduct</u> which provides a
Conduct	guideline for appropriate non-academic behaviour across Loyalist College's diversified
Complaints	community.
	Students who wish to file a complaint must complete the <u>Student Code of Conduct Complaints</u> <u>Form</u> .

Loyalist College Services & Resources

Academic Centre	The Academic Centre for Testing in	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-students/student-
for Testing	located in room 3L8 and is available for	success-services/academic-centre-for-testing/loyalist-
	students who need to write a missed	day-students-page/
	test or for students who require testing	
	accommodations.	Email: act@loyalistcollege.com
		613-969-1319 ext. 2549
		Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday 8AM – 4PM
AccessAbility	Our Accessibility team is in room 2S1	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-students/student-
Services	(Health and Impact Centre) and	success-services/accessability-centre/
	provides free and confidential academic	
	supports to students with documented	Email: advising@loyalistcollege.com
	disabilities.	Voice 613-969-1913 ext. 2519
		TTY 613-962-0633
		Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday 8:30AM –
		4:30PM
Academic Calendar	Important dates and deadlines for the	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-
	following can be found on the academic	students/academic-schedule/
	calendar.	Please also see attached academic calendar
Career Services	The Career Centre is located in 2H3	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-students/student-
	room and provides variety of services	success-services/the-career-centre/
	and resources are available to support	
	students in their career exploration,	Email: careers@loyalistcollege.com
	planning, job search and career	613-969-1913 ext. 2449
	development.	Hours of Operations: Monday-Friday 8:30AM-4:30PM
Financial Assistance	Students can reach out for immediate	https://loyalistcollege.com/future-students/paying-
	financial assistance as well as apply for	for-college/awards-bursaries-and-scholarships/
	scholarships, bursaries and awards	
	offered each semester.	
Food Cupboard	The food cupboard is addressing food	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-students/student-
	insecurity and is for students in a state	food-cupboard/
	of emergency only.	haran III. a Partito and It and the control
Health Centre	Staffed by full-time registered nurses	https://loyalistlife.com/health-centre
	and a part-time attending physician, the	Casaile haalthaantus Alayalistaallaga aana
	Centre provides comprehensive, high-	Email: healthcentre@loyalistcollege.com 613-969-1913 ext. 2374
	quality, and responsive health care services and coordinates the	Hours of Operation: 8:30AM – 4:00PM (closed 12:30-
	immunization clearance for students	1:00PM)
	attending placements. Drop in, call or	Call Telehealth at 1-866-797-0000
	email to make an appointment.	Call Ciclicatti at 1-000-757-0000
Health Plan	Full-time students at the Belleville,	https://loyalistlife.com/student-health-plan
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	campuses receive prescription drug and	
	accident benefit coverage.	
Indigenous Services	Ensures appropriate support for	https://loyalistcollege.com/indigenous-services/
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	act as a liaison between College	Email: wanderson@loyalistcollege.com
	Administration, Indigenous	613-969-1913 ext. 2831
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	communities, and government	Tsi Titewaya'taró:roks is located in room 3H9
	agencies.	·
International	Provides assistance and information to	https://loyalistcollege.com/international/current-
Services	international students and students	international-students/international-centre-services/
	who are new to Canada in adapting to	
	college life.	Email: international@loyalistcollege.com
		613-969-1913 ext. 2670
Mental Wellness	In house Counselling Services: to book	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-students/student-
Support	an appointment email	success-services/counselling-mind-and-wellness/
	healthcentre@loyalistcollege.com or	
	call 613-969-1913 ext. 2374.	Email: healthcentre@loyalistcollege.com
		Health and Impact Centre: 613-969-1913 ext. 2374
	24/7 Online Support: call or text using	Crisis Intervention Centre (after hours support):
	the free Telus Health Student Support	1-888-757-7766
	app, My SSP.	
Residences	Our residence team supports both on	https://loyalistcollege.com/our-campus/residence/
	and off campus housing for registered	
	Loyalist College Students.	Email: residence@loyalistcollege.com
		613-969-1913 ext. 2169
Service Desk	The Facilities and IT Service Desk is	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-
	located in room 2L20 and services	students/technology-services/help-desk/
	include facilities, maintenance, cleaning,	
	parking, accounts/access, email,	Email: servicedesk@loyalistcollege.com
	hardware, software, AV, application	613-969-1913 ext. 2420
	development, learning technology, etc.	Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 7:30AM-4:30PM
Sexual Assault and	Loyalist College strives to foster an	https://loyalistcollege.com/about-
Sexualized Violence	atmosphere of healthy attitudes and	loyalist/policies/sexual-assault-sexual-violence/
	behaviours towards sexuality, sex, and	
	gender roles. The Sexual Assault and	Violations of the Sexual Assault and Sexual Violence
	Sexualized Violence Policy and Protocol	policy can be reported through the Student Code of
	outlines options and resources available	Conduct.
	to those who require support or who	
	wish to support others.	
Safe App	The Loyalist College Safe app offers easy	Download the "Loyalist College Safe" app for free on
	access to campus safety and emergency	Google Play or the App Store.
	services. Features include emergency	
	contacts, real-time friend tracking via a	
	Friend Walk, a safety toolbox, sexual	
	assault help, support services, online	
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Student Advisors	Student Advisors guide students to	https://loyalistcollege.com/current-
	develop educational plans which	students/equitable-learning/student-advisors/
	support their life and, in collaboration	To schodule an appointment places area!
	with other College resources, assist	To schedule an appointment, please email
	students in identifying options for	advising@loyalistcollege.com
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Tutoring Services	Free peer tutoring, drop-in support and	Email: tutoring@loyalistcollege.com
	writing support and resources are	Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 9AM-4PM
	available in Room 3H8.	

Important Contacts

School of Applied Sciences, Skills, & Technology

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	Computing & Technology	
Dawn Molyneux	Office Coordinator, School of Applied Sciences,	dmolyneux@loyalistcollege.com
	Skills & Technology	
Student Advisor	To schedule an appointment, please email advising@loyalistcollege.com	

School of Media, Business, & Access

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	Business & Access	
Student Advisor	To schedule an appointment, please email <u>advising@loyalistcollege.com</u>	

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School of Applied Sciences, Skills & Technology	School of Media, Business & Access	School of Health, Human & Justice Studies
 Architectural Technician Biotechnology Carpentry & Renovation Chemical Engineering Civil Engineering Computer Systems Technician Construction Engineering Cyber Security Electrical Environmental Technician Heating, Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Manufacturing Mechanical Techniques Mechatronics Motive Power Natural Product Technologies Survey Engineering Welding 	 Accounting Advanced Filmmaking Advertising & Marketing Communications Animation & Game Development Artificial Intelligence & Data Science Business Business Sales & Marketing Community Integration Through Cooperative Education Culinary Esthetics Filmmaking, Television & Digital Content Creation Financial Technology General Arts & Science Global Business Management Human Resources Management Journalism Logistics & Supply Chain Management Photojournalism Pre-Health Sciences Project Management Public Relations Radio Broadcasting 	 Bachelor of Sciences in Nursing Child & Youth Care Collaborative Nursing Community & Justice Services Customs Border Services Developmental Services Worker Early Childhood Education Fitness & Health Promotion Massage Therapy Occupational Therapist Assistant & Physiotherapist Assistant Paralegal Paramedic Personal Support Worker Police Foundations Practical Nursing Pre-Service Firefighter Protection, Security & Investigation Recreation, Sport & Leisure Social Service Worker

Academic Calendar

Spring Semester 2024

Monday, April 1	Deadline: Returning International Students – Spring fees
	Deadline: Domestic Spring Start Students – Seat deposit
Monday, April 8	Registration begins (dates for registration and release of schedule vary by student; please check Banner in myLoyalist for updates)
Thursday, April 18	GNED Portal opens for registration
Monday, April 29	Orientation
Tuesday, April 30	Classes begin
Tuesday, April 30	Deadline: Domestic students – balance of fees due
Monday, May 13	Deadline: Program withdrawal with refund of fees
Monday, May 20	VICTORIA DAY (no classes)
June 3 – 7	CONVOCATION: Ceremonies will be held at main campus for programs running at Belleville, Port Hope, Tyendinaga and Bancroft locations
Friday, June 14	Spring/Summer semester end dates begin
June 17–21	Study Week (no classes)
Friday, June 28 – Monday, July 1	College closed for CANADA DAY long weekend (no classes)
Monday, July 8	Deadline : Program/course withdrawals without academic penalty (Grade "W")
Monday, August 5	CIVIC HOLIDAY
Friday, August 9	All Spring/Summer semester classes completed
Tuesday, August 13	Grades entered – by 9 pm

Fall Semester 2024

Saturday, June 15	Deadline: Domestic students – new and returning: Seat deposit
Thursday, Aug. 1	Deadline: Returning international students – Fall fee payment
Wednesday, Aug. 7	All students – Registration begins (schedules subject to change)
Wednesday, Aug. 14	GNED portal opens for self-registration (myLoyalist)
Sunday, Sept. 1	RESIDENCE MOVE-IN DAY
Monday, Sept. 2	LABOUR DAY
TBD	Bursary applications open – myLoyalist portal
Tuesday, Sept. 3	Orientation Day: First-year students
Wednesday, Sept. 4	Classes begin – All students Deadline: Domestic students – balance of fees due
Tuesday, Sept. 17	Deadline : Program/course withdrawals with refund of fees (Day 10) GNED portal closes
TBD	Bursary applications close
Monday, Oct. 14	THANKSGIVING (no classes)
Oct. 21 – 27	Study week (no classes)
TBD	Fall Open House (Belleville campus)
Tuesday, Nov. 5	Deadline: Program/course withdrawals without academic penalty (Grade of W). Note: For courses that do not follow the standard semester start and end dates, withdrawal without academic penalty will be based on completion of 2/3 of the course.
Sunday, Dec. 15	Fall semester ends by (some exceptions apply)
Tuesday, Dec. 17	Grades Entered – by 9 p.m.
Dec. 21 – Jan. 1	Holiday period – College closed

Winter Semester 2025

Sunday, Dec. 1	Deadline: Domestic students – new Winter starts: Seat deposit Deadline: International students – returning: Winter fee payment			
Tuesday, Dec. 3	All students: Registration begins (schedules are subject to change)			
Wednesday, Dec. 11	GNED portal opens for self-registration (myLoyalist)			
Thursday, Jan. 2	College re-opens from holiday closure			
TBD	Bursary applications open (myLoyalist)			
Monday, Jan. 6 Orientation Day: First-year students				
Tuesday, Jan. 7	Classes begin – all students Deadline: Domestic students – balance of fees due			
Monday, Jan. 20 Deadline: Program/course withdrawals with refund of fees (Day 10) GNED portal closes				
Friday, Jan. 24 Bursary applications close				
Monday, Feb. 17 FAMILY DAY (no classes)				
Feb. 24 – Mar. 2	Study Week (no classes)			
Wednesday, Mar. 5	Deadline: Program/course withdrawals without academic penalty (Grade of W). Note: For courses that do not follow the standard semester start and end dates, withdrawal without academic penalty will be based on completion of 2/3 of the course.			
TBD	BD Winter Open House (Belleville campus)			
Friday, Apr. 18	day, Apr. 18 GOOD FRIDAY (no classes)			
Sunday, Apr. 20	Winter semester ends by (some exceptions apply)			
Tuesday, Apr. 22	Grades Entered – by 9 p.m.			

Academic Appeal Form

additional pages if necessary.

Please note – complete this section carefully. The documentation you provide here will be used at all stages of the

Appeals process, if you decide to advance your appeal beyond the initial stage

Please explain why you believe your grade in the above course/assignment should be reviewed. Add



Loyalist College Academic Appeal Request

Student #:	Name (Student):	who taught the course. Date:	Note: Any appeal reli
		e course.	ated to marks or grades must be ir
Program:		Course Code/Name:	Note: Any appeal related to marks or grades must be initiated within five working days from the issuance of final grades with the faculty
Semester:			ance of final grades with the faculty

Phone Number (Local Residence):______

Email address (Loyalist and other if used)

Phone Number (Cell)

	Course Code:	Cour		Course Name:	
	ent Other:	☐ Assignment	Final Grade	What are you appealing?	
5	Other issues which may impede a student's academic progress during his/her experience with the College	academic progress d	iay impede a student's	Other issues which m	
				property	
	organized, informal, on campus, off campus, or online, including inappropriate use of computer facilities or other College	online, including inap	impus, off campus, or	organized, informal, on ca	
4	Actions taken by the College as a result of student behaviour at any College approved activity or function, whether	tudent behaviour at a	College as a result of s	 Actions taken by the 	
			ecific course	 A failing grade in a specific course 	
	Actions taken by the College as a result of a student's failure to meet minimum program performance standard	a student's failure to r	College as a result of	 Actions taken by the 	
			of confidentially	 A penalty for breach of confidentially 	
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			d to? :	What is the appeal related to?:	

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Loyalist College Academic Appeal Request

Please state clearly the evidence you are bringing forward to support this grade appeal. Use additional pages if necessary and attach any relevant documentation. (Tests, assignments, labs, etc.) if the Professor has retained any assignments or examinations, it is his/her responsibility to provide a copy for the review process.) The supporting documentation you and your professor provide here will be used throughout the appeal process.

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					Evidence
					Relevance to Appeal

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PROTECTION OF PRIVACY ACT

Signature of Student

Date

% weight of Assignment

If you are appealing an assignment

What outcome are you expecting as the result of this review?

The personal information collected on this appeal request form (including any documentation that you have submitted as pertaining to your appeal), as well as other information/documentation relevant to the appeal hearing will be provided to the professor(s) who assigned the grade or made the decision under appeal and will be shared with the Appeals Committee to be used in making a decision on the appeal.

Personal information is collected for the administrative, investigative and decision-making purposes of the College in accordance with sections 21, 39 and 49 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy, Act and under the legal authority of the Ontario Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology Act, 2002, Regulation 34/03. If you have any questions concerning the collection and use of personal information, please contact the College's Freedom of Information and Privacy Protection Officer at 613-969-1913 extension 2331.

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