

# California Institute of Integral Studies

## Policy on Children in the Classroom, Campus, and/or at Intensives, Residencies, or Retreats

Responsible Office	Student Affairs
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California Institute of Integral Studies, CIIS, aims to provide access to, and participation in, an equitable learning experience. CIIS has an obligation to its students, faculty, staff, and visitors to conduct its operations and maintain its facilities in a manner consistent with its mission as an institution of higher education. CIIS is welcoming and respectful of all forms of diversity, including diversity in parenting status; however, for reasons that include safety of minors, and assuring professional and efficient performance of academic pursuits and campus operations, the University cannot routinely accommodate minors in campus workplaces or classrooms. Exceptions can be granted in extraordinary circumstances as determined by the Dean of Students.

Physical presence in classrooms and other educational areas is restricted to enrolled students and to approved persons who are present for educational purposes.

Minors are not permitted at CIIS in classrooms, clinics, laboratories/specialized work areas, and/or at intensives, residencies, or retreats and/or other educational architectures and locations and other areas if hazards exist such as biological, chemical or other hazardous wastes.

Instructors of record are responsible implementing this policy.