

# ANTI-RAGGING MEASURES

## ARUNODAYA UNIVERSITY

1. **Ragging** refers to “any conduct whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of harassing, teasing, treating or handling with rudeness any other student, indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in a fresher or a junior student or asking the students to do any act or perform something which such student will not in the ordinary course and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of a fresher or a junior student.”

2. **The punishable ingredients of ragging are:-**

- Abetment to ragging
- Criminal conspiracy to rag
- Unlawful assembly and rioting while ragging
- Public nuisance created during ragging
- Violation of decency and morals through ragging
- Injury to body, causing hurt or grievous hurt
- Wrongful restraint
- Wrongful confinement
- Use of criminal force
- Assault as well as sexual offences or even unnatural offences
- Extortion
- Criminal trespass
- Offences against property
- Criminal intimidation
- Attempts to commit any or all of the above mentioned offences against the victim(s)
- Physical or psychological humiliation
- All other offences following from the definition of “Ragging”

3. Ragging in all its forms is totally banned in the entire university complex including its departments, constituent units, all its premises (academic, residential, sports, canteen, etc.) whether located within the campus or outside and in all means of transportation of students whether public or private. The University shall take strict action against those found guilty of ragging and/or of abetting ragging.

4. Freshers should desist from doing anything against their will even if ordered by the seniors, and that they have nothing to fear as the institution cares for them and shall not tolerate any atrocities against them.

5. As ragging takes place mostly in the hostels, hostel messes, and canteens, especially after the classes are over in the campus, a round the clock vigil against ragging in the hostel premises shall be provided. Also, the employers/employees of the canteens/mess and the security personnel posted in hostels shall be given necessary instructions to keep strict vigil and to report the incidents of ragging to the university authorities if any.

6. Freshers who do not report the incidents of ragging, either as victims or as witnesses, shall be punished suitably.

7. Depending upon the nature and gravity of the offence as established by the Anti-Ragging Committee of the institution, the possible punishments for those found guilty of ragging at the institution level shall be any one or any combination of the following:

- Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
- Withholding /withdrawing scholarship/ fellowship and other benefits
- Debarring from appearing in any test/ examination or other evaluation Process.
- Withholding results
- Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
- Suspension/ expulsion from the hostel
- Cancellation of admission.
- Rustication from the institution for period ranging from 1 to 4 semesters
- Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution for a specific period.
- Fine of Rs. 25,000/- to Rs. 1 lakh.
- Collective punishment: When the persons committing or abetting the crime of ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective punishment.

### **Anti-ragging squad:**

The squad shall maintain vigil and patrol the campus. The squad shall make surprise checks at places of potential ragging, make preliminary investigations of reported/observed ragging, and report/make recommendations to the anti-ragging committee. The Director shall take immediate action on the recommendations of the anti-ragging squad.



### **Members of Anti-ragging Committee:**

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### **Members of Anti-ragging Squad:**

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### **Hostel Warden**

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# **NATIONAL RAGGING PREVENTION PROGRAMME**

## **National Anti-Ragging Helpline**

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## **UGC Monitoring Agency**

Centre for Youth (C4Y)

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## **Contact Details of the Nodal Officers of Anti-Ragging Committee and Squad**

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**RAGGING IS A CRIMINAL OFFENCE AND THE CULPRITS WILL ATTRACT  
PUNITIVE ACTION AS MENTIONED IN THE UGC REGULATIONS**

([www.antiragging.in/assets/pdf/annexure/Annexure-I.pdf](http://www.antiragging.in/assets/pdf/annexure/Annexure-I.pdf))

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