Firearms or other weapons shall be prohibited on any college or district center or in any facility of the district, except for activities conducted under the direction of district officials or as authorized by an official law enforcement agency. Duly-sworn police officers are exempt from this policy through the authority vested in the College Police by the Board of Trustees.

This policy does not apply to a duly-appointed peace officer as defined in Chapter 4.5 (commencing with §830) of Title 3 of Part 2 of the California Penal Code, full-time paid peace officer of another state or the federal government who is carrying out official duties while in California, any person summoned by any of these officers to assist in making arrests or preserving the peace while he or she is actually engaged in assisting the officer, a member of the military forces of this state or of the United States who is engaged in the performance of his or her duties, or an armored vehicle guard engaged in the performance of his or her duties, as defined in subdivision (d) of §7582.1 of the Business and Professions Code. The policy also does not apply to an honorably retired peace officer authorized to carry a concealed or loaded firearm.