

Student Handbook

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Mission Statement

The mission of William Carey University is to provide quality liberal arts and professional education programs within a caring Christian academic community. The individual student is encouraged to develop his or her highest potential in scholarship, leadership, and service. The university collaborates with churches, organizations, and individuals to affirm its Baptist heritage and namesake—William Carey.

The 2010-2011 theme verse is Matthew 20:28, "not to be served, but to serve." This theme supports William Carey University's emphasis on campus and community service. The full passage from the Holman Christian Standard Bible reads: "You know that the rulers of the gentiles dominate them, and the men of high position exercise power over them. It must not be like that among you. On the contrary, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wants to be first among you must be your slave; just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life—a ransom for many."

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Failure to read this handbook and other sources of regulations governing college life at William Carey University does not excuse the student from the requirements and regulations described therein.

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