

MICA PET AND ANIMAL POLICY

MICA requires that all pet owners who wish to bring their pet onto the MICA campus must abide by the following rules:

All pets or animals on campus must be registered with the Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) Manager. The Campus Pet Registration, Waiver and Veterinarian Verification Forms are available on the MICA website. It must be presented in person to the EHS Manager.

All pet owners will be required to bring a Veterinarian Verification Form showing proof of up-to-date inoculations.

A current rabies certificate must be presented and will be kept on file.

Pet owners will be required to sign a waiver releasing MICA of any liability in the event of an injury, death or disappearance of their pet while on MICA property.

A MICA Pet ID tag will be assigned to your pet and must be displayed on the pet at all times while on campus. No pet will be allowed on campus without an ID tag. This ID tag shows that the pet is registered and up to date on inoculations.

Owners must complete the application process before bringing their pet onto the MICA campus.

A photo will be taken of your pet for our records.

Complaints about pet behavior or presence in a "Pet Free" area should be brought to the attention of Campus Safety and/or the EHS Manager.

No guests may bring pets or animals on campus.

City of Baltimore law requires all dogs be leashed at all times (including when inside buildings), and that owners curb and pick-up after their pets.

MICA requires that all pets must be leashed at all times (including when inside buildings) Campus lawns and gardens are used as an extension of classrooms and are important relaxation spaces for the campus community. They are not to be used as pet walks or pet waste areas.

No exotics, insects, rodents, and/or reptiles (including snakes, lizards, and ferrets) may be on campus unless pre-approved for a class project by an instructor with prior written approval by EHS.

No pets are allowed in areas on campus designated as "Pet Free." The only exception to this rule would be for those animals that are used for service (i.e., seeing-eye dogs). The following locations are designated as "Pet Free.:"

Any room with a "No Pets" sign

All food service areas including Meyerhoff Dining Room, Java Corner, Café Doris, and catered food areas.

College owned and/or managed housing

Computer and print labs

Art Tech Center

Falvey Hall

All galleries

Decker Library

All studio shops

By signing the Pet Registration Form, you agree to adhere to the above stated rules and regulations.