

# VALLEY VIEW UNIVERSITY

Statement on Sabbath Services, Vegetarian Meals, Dressing, the Possession and Use of Tobacco, Alcoholic Beverages and Drugs on Campus

## MISSION

Valley View University, a Seventh-day Adventist institution, emphasizes spiritual, academic, vocational, and technological excellence for service to God and humanity.

### **CORE VALUES**

Excellence, Integrity, and Service

In pursuit of these mission and core values, the University expects all applicants **who choose** to enroll at the Valley View University to take note that:

- 1. The Valley View University cafeteria, like cafeterias in other Seventh-day Adventist-operated schools, colleges and universities throughout the world, serves only vegetarian meals. Scientists have found out that one lives a healthier life and possibly longer when on vegetarian diet the ideal diet originally given to man by God in the Garden of Eden.
- 2. No coffee or tea is served in the cafeteria because these beverages are known to contain high levels of caffeine which is detrimental to human health.
- 3. The Valley View University campus is an "alcohol and drug-free campus". All students are expected to abstain from possessing or using drugs and alcoholic beverages on campus. Smoking is also not allowed anywhere on the University campus.
- 4. The University encourages all students in residence to participate in the worship activities which are conducted during the Sabbath hours (i.e. from sunset Friday to sunset Saturday) as part of the University's spiritual development programme.
- 5. The Valley View University has a dress code and ALL students, while on campus, are required to comply with the code as detailed in the Student Handbook.

### Acceptance:

I, ...., having read and accepted the practices stated above, promise to abide by them if offered admission to Valley View University.

Applicant's Signature	Date:
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### Endorsement by Parent, Guardian or Sponsor:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_