



WELCOME

How to be a successful community member – Things to know

Welcome to Flatiron School!

To start, it's important to know that Flatiron School prioritizes community and creating a space that fosters collaboration. Please read through the **CODE OF CONDUCT** to understand your role in building our community.

The Flatiron School believes our community should be open to everyone. We are committed to providing a friendly, safe, and welcoming environment for all, regardless of gender, sexual orientation, disability, ethnicity, religion, preferred operating system, programming language, or text editor. We expect all faculty, teachers, employees, mentors, students, guests, friends, basically everyone involved with the school, to help us create a safe and positive environment for everyone. Let's build a place where we can achieve more together than we could ever achieve alone.

WE EXPECT EVERYONE TO:

- Be considerate, respectful, and collaborative.
- Refrain from demeaning, discriminatory, or harassing behavior and speech
- Create a positive impact on everything around them.
- Participate in an authentic and active way.

We think that everyone is born with a little voice inside them. That little voice goes off whenever they are about to do or say something stupid. Most of the time, we don't listen to it. Start listening to that little voice. If you think you are about to do something that has the potential, even the very slightest potential, of offending or hurting someone, just don't do it. It is that simple.

Note: The Code of Conduct and Student Handbook was signed by every student before the start of class. Please review the e-documents for more details and reach out to May Cheung, Manager of Immersive Programs, at may@flatironschool.com or slack @may if you have additional questions.

People to Know

@Julian, Campus Manager @May, Manager of Immersive Programs
@Katie, Program Coordinator @Joe, VP of Education

Reporting Tech or Campus Issues

We rely on students to tell us when something is not working or needs to be restocked. Please email Opsissues@flatironschool.com immediately and follow up by slacking @julian. Both communications are necessary in order to record and track issues until they are resolved.

Slack Channel to Join - #campusmanagement is the place to be!

Monitor & Cables

Monitors can be found on the metal table by the picnic table. You're welcome to borrow a monitor at any time but you must return the item to the table at the end of the day. If you need any cables for your laptop or monitor, please slack @julian or find him at the Campus Operations Table on campus.

Lockers

Any student is allowed to use the lockers during the program. Please bring your own lock. Flatiron School is not liable for stolen or damaged property.

"Phone" Booths

If you need a semi-private space for a few minutes, feel free to use one of the three phone booths located between the Quad and Borg. They're available on a first-come first-served basis and should be used for one hour or less.

Meetups and Events

Each month we hold a variety of events, including meetups, workshops, speakers, social events, skill-building activities, and community events.

Flatiron Student Presents

Every Flatiron student has to give a presentation at the Flatiron Presents Meetup. Students present what they're learning in 5-10 minute lightning talks.

Guest Speakers

We invite speakers from the tech community to speak with you about everything from their career paths to their sources for inspiration. Recently, we started 'Product Series,' a series of talks by industry leaders on what goes into making a great product -- other than phenomenal code ☺

Skill-building workshops

Programming isn't just about code. It's about learning how to learn new things and approach problems with a beginner's mind. At the beginning of the semester, we provide you with opportunities outside of code to do just that while also getting to know your fellow classmates.

Social events

We host social events on campus for all students, staff, and alumni. Hang out and get to know your fellow classmates and Flatiron School alums.

E-Newsletter

Check your inbox every Monday afternoon or the fridge for this week's newsletter to find out what events are happening campus!

Gym membership

Every student gets 50% off a membership to NY Health & Racquet Club. Just go to the South Street Seaport location and tell them you're at student at Flatiron School to sign up.