Wahkohtowin Lodge Use Guidelines

General Statement
The Wahkohtowin Lodge is a multi-purpose and multi-functional space. The Lodge celebrates the Indigenous Peoples of Canada and was built to reflect their unique cultures, while still remaining an inclusive space for various events, studying, and visiting. Within the Lodge is a classroom space that is bookable for events, as well as soft seating, the Aboriginal Students’ Office, and an Elders’ Room. All persons regardless of race, gender, sexual orientation, or cultural background are welcome to use the space and/or book events within the Lodge.

Bookings
The Wahkohtowin Lodge is a bookable space. The common area (F L1-40; 133 person capacity) is comprised of the open space at the base of the stairs, in a horseshoe shape around the classroom. This space has moveable soft seating, with some fixed furniture. It can host large gatherings, or be used for more intimate gatherings under the ‘tipi’.

The classroom area (F L1-055; 40 person capacity) is equipped with whiteboards, a computer, a projector, and has multiple seating options and configurations that can be used to accommodate multiple event types. There is a small sink and counter area for food service. The glass doors are completely retractable, and the space around the classroom can then be booked as well to accommodate larger events (combined 173 person capacity).

Any events that promote intolerance, racism, sexism, or any other form of discrimination will not be tolerated or approved.

Event Guidelines
You are welcome to use the whiteboards, computer, projector, and any furnishings necessary in order to make your event successful. When your event is completed, please reset the space(s) as per the seating arrangements posted by the computer in the classroom. If there are extra tables and/or chairs, these can be placed off to the side for pickup. You may not remove any items from the space without consent of the Aboriginal Students’ Office. You are responsible for cleaning any garbage accumulated, and for ensuring surfaces are wiped down and/or free of debris following your event.

Alcohol
Under no circumstances is the sale, consumption, or other usage of alcohol allowed within the Wahkohtowin Lodge. Failure to respect this restriction will result in the host’s inability to book the space for future events.