Pregnancy and Parenting

What Does Title IX Do?

Title IX protects students who are navigating pregnancy, parenting, and all related conditions in all educational programs and activities. Title IX also protects discrimination against a student based on pregnancy, childbirth, false pregnancy, termination of pregnancy or recovery from any of these conditions.

Visit titleix.ttu.edu for more information

Call our outreach coordinator 806.834.3420 or our office line 806.742.7233

Any information shared with our office is kept private and discreet. We empower and support our students to make the best decision for them while navigating being a student who is pregnant or the partner of a student who is pregnant.
The University must assist a student with reasonable adjustments to continue their education including:

- Excuse absences due to pregnancy or childbirth for as long as your doctor says is necessary.
- Allow students to return to the same academic and extracurricular status as before medical leave began.
- Ensure faculty and staff understand requirements related to excused absences/medical leave. Faculty may not refuse to allow a student to submit work after missed deadline.
- Provide pregnant students with the same special services it provides to students with temporary medical conditions.

Examples of Support Resources:

- Academic Accommodations
  - Absences or leave of absences (waived if doctor says it is necessary)
  - Make up assignments
- Parking assistance
- Desk accommodations
- Nursing Mother Room guidance
- Connections to on-campus and off-campus resources
- Return to academics with same status as before leave