



# BALL STATE UNIVERSITY CLEAR BAG POLICY

To provide a safer environment and to expedite entry to all Commencement Ceremonies, the clear bag policy limits the size and type of bags that may be brought to the venues.

## APPROVED BAGS



**CLEAR TOTE**  
Plastic, vinyl or PVC  
No larger than 12" x 6" x 12"



**CLEAR DRAWSTRING BAG**  
Plastic, vinyl or PVC  
No larger than 12" x 6" x 12"



**STORAGE BAG**  
1-gallon resealable and clear



**SMALL CLUTCH PURSE**  
Approximately the size of a hand with or without a handle or strap. No larger than 4.5" x 6.5"



## PROHIBITED BAGS



**BINOCULARS CASE**



**PURSE**



**OVERSIZED TOTE BAG**



**PRINTED PATTERN PLASTIC BAG**



**TINTED PLASTIC BAG**



**BACKPACK**



**CLEAR BACKPACK**



**CAMERA CASE**



**MESH BAG**



**FANNY PACK**

Prohibited bags include, but are not limited to large purses, coolers, backpacks, briefcases, fanny packs, mesh bags, tinted or pattern-designed plastic bags, and any bag larger than the permissible size. Non-compliant bags may not be placed into acceptable bags. Oversized bags may not be rolled, folded, or otherwise manipulated to meet the sizing requirements.

## SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Exceptions will be made for medically necessary items and diaper bags, after proper inspection.