



## Students for Queer Liberation

Students for Queer Liberation is looking to organize with other student groups that align with our goals and beliefs. We are a non-hierarchical student group, with students of all stages and their groups at the core. However, we would like to work with non-student groups that are united with us on the beliefs and goals laid out below.

The Students for Queer Liberation Coalition fights for the **liberation of all queer, trans and non-binary people from heterosexist, transphobic and amatonormative** systems and rhetorics on all levels, across all races, classes, religions, nations and peoples. We recognize that all forms of heterosexism, transphobia and amatonormativity are **deeply rooted in, and work in collaboration with, (settler) colonialism and White supremacy**, especially in so-called Canada. As such, there can be no queer liberation without **liberation from all forms of racism, colourism, classism, ableism, sexism and religious discrimination**. The police and carceral systems are the tools of colonialism and White supremacy; we believe in **police and prison abolition** and will not support any protests that encourage police involvement. We stand against all forms of state violence and **support all anti-war, anti-colonialism and Land Back movements**, including in Palestine, in Ukraine, and right here in Turtle Island. Intersectionality is key to fighting these interdependent systems of oppression, and we **strive to centre our community's most marginalized voices**, especially Black, Indigenous and unhoused queer peoples. These marginalized voices include those of queer and trans sex workers. The stigmatization of sex work is inextricably connected with heterosexism. We assert unequivocally that **sex work is work**, and that sex workers deserve the same rights and protections as all other workers. We will not collaborate with those who believe otherwise.

