

# Standards of Academic Progress

The primary purpose of the Standards of Academic Progress is to establish a practice by which the faculty and administration can provide assistance to students who experience academic difficulty. The majority of students make satisfactory progress. However, it is the desire of the College to make early identification of students who experience academic difficulty so they may be counseled accordingly.

Students who fail to obtain a cumulative GPA of 2.00 at the end of any semester will be placed on Academic Warning for the next term of enrollment. Students will have their registration placed on hold until they meet with an academic advisor and establish an Academic Improvement Plan. A student on Academic Warning will return to a status of “academic good standing” when the student’s cumulative GPA is raised to 2.00 or higher.

A student who earns a cumulative GPA below 2.00 after any term on Academic Warning will be placed on Academic Termination. Students who earn a term GPA of 0.50 or below after any term will be placed on Academic Termination unless their cumulative GPA is 2.0 or above. Any student who is terminated for academic reasons has the right to appeal. Appeal forms are available from the Registrar’s Office. Forms will be accepted no later than the date indicated on the Appeal Form. The Appeals Committee will review all appeals and respond in writing as soon as a decision is made. A student whose appeal is accepted and reinstated will be placed on Academic Warning.