

Arts and Sciences Academic Standing Actions for students entering Fall 2004 and later

Students are expected to progress toward graduation at a more or less constant rate. Given the graduation requirement of 112 hours, students with no advanced placement or transfer credit should complete an average of 14 hours per semester over eight semesters.

There is a minimum level of acceptable accomplishment each semester: all students must earn at least 12 hours each semester; students who at the beginning of a semester need fewer than 12 hours to graduate are required to complete only the hours necessary for graduation; students who matriculated fall semester 2004 and later must maintain a minimum GPA of 1.67 in addition to the required minimum credit hours. The Academic Standing Committee reviews the records of students whose achievement in a given semester falls below the established minimum—the chart below indicates the possible academic standing sanctions that serve as guidelines for the initial review of a student's record.

A student who has been suspended or dismissed has the option to appeal the decision of the Academic Standing Committee if he or she feels that there are extenuating circumstances that should be considered. The decision of the Academic Standing Committee is final.

Student Status	No Action	Warning	Probation	Suspension	Dismissal
No previous action	Must earn 12 or more hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	If student earns 11 - 11.99 hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	If student earns 6 - 10.99 hrs or < 1.67 cum GPA	If student earns 0 - 5.99 hrs	None
Previous warning	Must earn 12 or more hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	None	If student earns 6 - 11.99 hrs or < 1.67 cum GPA	If student earns 0 - 5.99 hrs	None
Previous probation	Must earn 12 or more hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	None	If student earns 10 - 11.99 hrs or < 1.67 cum GPA	If student earns 0 - 9.99 hrs	None
Two previous probations	Must earn 12 or more hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	None	None	If student earns 0 - 11.99 hrs or < 1.67 cum GPA	None
Previous suspension	Must earn 12 or more hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	None	None	None	If student earns 0 - 11.99 hrs or < 1.67 cum GPA
Previous successfully appealed suspension or previous medical leave of absence that superseded suspension	Must earn 12 or more hrs & ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	None	None	If student earns 0 - 11.99 or < 1.67 cum GPA	None
90+ hrs prior to current semester	Must earn 1/2 of remaining hrs needed to graduate (112 - A&S; 152 - DD) and ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	If student has no previous action and earns 1 hr below 1/2 of remaining hrs needed to graduate and ≥ 1.67 cum GPA	If student has previous warning and earns: a) less than 1/2 of remaining hrs needed to graduate; or b) < 1.67 cum GPA	If student has previous probation and earns: a) less than 1/2 of remaining hrs needed to graduate; or b) < 1.67 cum GPA	If student has previous suspension and earns: a) less than 1/2 of remaining hrs needed to graduate; or b) < 1.67 cum GPA
Previous successfully appealed dismissal	None	None	None	None	If student earns 0 - 11.99 hrs or < 1.67 cum GPA

Note: Medical leave of absence may supersede a suspension once.