SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS REQUIREMENTS

A student is considered to be making satisfactory academic progress if the following conditions are met:

- 1. Maintain regular class attendance as determined by the instructor.
- 2. Maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0. A student who fails to maintain the required cumulative GPA will be placed on probation for one semester. Probation is only a warning status. While on probation, the student is eligible for Pell Grants, ISAC monetary awards, scholarships, outside awards, or veteran benefits. If, after the probation semester, the student does not have the required cumulative GPA of 2.0, the student may remain on probation if the semester GPA is at least 2.0. If, after the probation semester, the student does not return to satisfactory academic standing or qualify to remain on probation, the student will be placed on academic suspension.

ACADEMIC SUSPENSION

Failure to meet any of the aforementioned procedures will result in academic suspension subject to appeal to the Academic Progress Review Committee. Academic suspension is a state of involuntary separation of the student from the institution for a period of one calendar year.

APPEALS INVOLVING THE PLACEMENT OF STUDENTS ON ACADEMIC SUSPENSION

Decisions involving the placement of students on academic suspension, based on the requirements of this section, may be appealed as follows:

- 1. Instances involving academic suspension may be appealed in writing to the Academic Progress Review Committee through the dean for student services within ten (10) calendar days of the notification by the dean for student services.
- 2. Appeals shall be heard by the Academic Progress Review Committee.
- 3. Further appeals may be made within ten (10) calendar days to the **vice president for instructional services** of the College who may consider the appeal further.

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