Probation, Dismissal and Reinstatement Policies
University College, School of Science, School of Liberal Arts
Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis

Probation

1. Students whose cumulative GPA falls below a 2.0 will be placed on probation. All students will be allowed at least one semester of probation prior to being academically dismissed. Students will be informed of their probationary status by letter.

2. Students may be continued on probation when their semester GPA is above a 2.0 but their cumulative GPA is below a 2.0.

3. Students will be removed from their probationary status once their cumulative GPA is above 2.0

Dismissal

1. Students on probation who have completed a minimum of 12 IUPUI grade point average (GPA) hours are subject to dismissal if they fail to attain a GPA of at least 2.0 in any two consecutive semesters (fall and spring) and their cumulative GPA is below 2.0.

2. Students who are dismissed for the first time must sit out for a minimum of one regular (fall or spring) semester and petition by the established deadlines to be reinstated. Reinstatement is not automatic. Students’ chances of readmission will be enhanced by the students taking workshops, removing grades of incomplete, undertaking assessment of their academic problems, and providing evidence of their ability to do successful academic work upon their reinstatement to IUPUI.

3. Students dismissed two or more times must remain out of school for two regular (fall and spring) semesters and petition by the established deadlines to be reinstated. Readmission after a second dismissal is extremely rare. Students’ chances of readmission will be enhanced by the students taking workshops, removing grades of incomplete, undertaking assessment of their academic problems, and providing evidence of their ability to do successful academic work upon their reinstatement to IUPUI.
**Reinstatement**

1. Reinstatement will be the decision of the School to which the students are petitioning.

2. Students who are reinstated will be classified as probationary students until their cumulative GPA is 2.0. During the first regularly enrolled term on probation, the student must achieve a semester GPA of at least 2.3. In each subsequent semester on probation, the student must achieve a semester GPA of 2.0. Failure to meet the semester GPA requirement will result in dismissal.

**Note**

In order to ensure equity between inter-campus transfer students and transfer students from outside the IU system, only IUPUI grades will be considered in determining probation and dismissal.

The School of Liberal Arts, School of Science, and University College, in agreement with this common policy, will honor academic probation and dismissal status from the other units.

Students may also be academically dismissed or released from a particular program if they do not make consistent and appropriate academic progress relevant to their fields of study. This is left to the discretion of the appropriate officer in the school.

University College policy concerning academic dismissal is that students who are dismissed for the first time from IUPUI, IU-B, PU, IU regional campuses, or other IUPUI schools, must sit out for a minimum of one regular (fall or spring) semester and petition by the established deadlines to be reinstated.