International Programs and Services

Academic Regulations for International Students

The academic standing policy of the Ohlone College International Student Program is established to promote student success. The International Programs and Services office will advise students of their grade point average and progress to assist them in their educational planning.

**Academic Probation**

A student who has attempted 12 or more semester units and has a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of less than 2.0 will be placed on Academic Probation.

Implications:

- Blocked for course registration in the following semester

Action Required:

- Meet with the International Student Counselor
- Student must attend the "Why Am I On Probation?" Workshop

**Academic Subject to Dismissal**

If for two consecutive semesters a student's cumulative GPA is below 1.75, the student will be placed on Academic Subject to Dismissal.

Implications:

- Blocked for course registration in the following semester

Action Required:

- Student must attend a Subject to Dismissal workshop, which includes an advising session.
- Meet with the International Student Counselor

**Academic Dismissal**

If for three consecutive semesters a student's cumulative GPA is below 1.75, the will be placed on Academic Dismissal.

Implications:

- Termination of I-20
- Return to home country
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Removal of Poor Academic Status

Once a student on Academic Probation raises his/her overall cumulative grade point average to a 2.0, or higher, he/she will be taken off of Academic Probation and will be in Clear Standing.

Re-admission Policy

Students on Academic Dismissal status must meet with the Director of International Programs and Services and the International Student Counselor. The student is required to complete and submit an original Petition for Reinstatement form to the International Programs and Services office and a copy of this form to the Counseling Department for consideration of continued enrollment at Ohlone College. Petitions must be submitted prior to the first day of the next term.

Appeal Process

Under extenuating circumstances or if the student has shown significant improvement in academic achievement, exceptions to these policies may be granted by the Dean of Counseling at Ohlone College. Students should meet with the International Student Counselor to discuss their progress or academic status and for details associated with the Academic Regulations policy.