
ACADEMIC PROBATION AND DISMISSAL

PURPOSE: To establish criteria by which a student may be placed on academic probation or may be dismissed from the University.

To remain in good academic standing, a student must maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) for the number of credits earned. A student who fails to maintain the minimum Boise State University GPA indicated in the table below is placed on probation.

Minimum Boise State University GPA Necessary to Remain in Good Academic Standing	
Cumulative Credits Earned (Transfer and Boise State)	Minimum Boise State Cumulative GPA BSU GPA only – Transfer GPA not included
0 to 6	1.00
7 to 32	1.60
33 to 64	1.80
65 or more	2.00

Transfer students admitted on probation must earn at least a 2.00 GPA in their first semester at Boise State or be subject to academic dismissal

I. Academic Probation

- A. At the end of a semester (fall, spring, or summer) an undergraduate student who does not attain the BSU cumulative grade point average required for the total number of hours earned (including transfer or non-traditional credit) is placed on probation for the next semester of enrollment.
- B. In general, while on academic probation a student is eligible to continue to use Boise State University facilities and services and to participate in student life and co-curricular activities as would any other student. However, specific organizations are allowed to impose restrictions to prohibit the participation of a student who is on academic probation.

II. Dismissal/Continued Probation

A student who continues on academic probation is subject to dismissal from the University at the end of the semester. If the student's BSU cumulative GPA is below the minimum specified in the table above and if the semester GPA is below a 2.00, the student is dismissed from the University. If the student's BSU cumulative GPA is below the minimum specified in the table above, but the semester GPA is 2.00 or higher, the student is placed on "Continued Probation."

III. Removal of Probation – Good Standing

A student on academic probation whose cumulative GPA improves to the acceptable level for the credit hours earned will be automatically removed from probation and is considered in good academic standing.

IV. Notification

Students are notified by letter (sent to most recent mailing address) or by email (sent to the student's Boise State email address) of probationary, dismissal or continued probationary status at the end of each semester. Students are also notified by letter or email if they have been removed from probation and are in good academic standing.

V. Reinstatement

A student who is dismissed from the University is barred from enrolling for one semester (fall or spring) after the first dismissal and for one year after any subsequent dismissal. Appeals for earlier reinstatement may be submitted in writing to the University Academic Appeals Committee. The *Academic Appeals* form is available on the Registrar's Office website.