

3357:13-14-68 Standards of Satisfactory Academic Progress for Financial Aid

(A) Those applying for or receiving financial aid at North Central State College are expected to make Satisfactory Academic Progress toward receiving a degree or certificate. Lack of such progress will result in the termination of eligibility to receive financial aid at the College.

(1) Financial aid programs covered by these standards:

- (a) Federal Pell Grant
- (b) Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)
- (c) Federal Work-Study employment (FWS)
- (d) Federal Stafford Student Loans (both Subsidized and Unsubsidized)
- (e) Federal PLUS Loan
- (f) North Central State College Scholarships
- (g) Ohio College Opportunity Grant (OCOG)
- (h) Ohio Instructional Grant (OIG)

(2) Definitions

- (a) Accumulative: relating to the total of all credit hours in which a student has ever enrolled at the College
- (b) Credit hours attempted: those in which a student is enrolled at the end of the College's 100% refund period
- (c) Passing grades: A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, C-, D+, D, D-, P
- (d) Non-passing grades: F, NP, W, I

(3) Part I Standard – First time enrollees

Earn at least one credit hour in the first term of enrollment at the College

Consequence of noncompliance: Financial aid eligibility terminated

(4) Part II Standards – GPA and Completion Percentage

Earn an accumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 2.00

Earn passing grades in at least 66 percent of accumulative credit hours attempted

Consequences of noncompliance with either standard:

- (a) First term – placed on Financial Aid Warning

(b) Second consecutive term enrolled – placed on Financial Aid Probation

(c) Third consecutive term enrolled – financial aid eligibility terminated

(5) Part III Standard – 150 Percent Rule

Earn degree/certificate within 150 percent of the minimum number of credit hours required to earn the degree/certificate. Consequence of noncompliance: Financial Aid eligibility terminated

(6) Regaining eligibility

Those whose financial aid eligibility has been terminated for noncompliance with these standards may regain eligibility by:

(a) Bringing one's academic record into compliance with the standards; or

(b) Submitting a written appeal to the College and receiving approval of the appeal.

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