UNDERSTANDING ACADEMIC SEPARATION

Academic Standing: Academic Separation

Academic Standing is evaluated at the end of Fall and Spring semesters and determined by your Grade Point Average (GPA). There are 2 types of GPA - Semester and Cumulative (Overall).

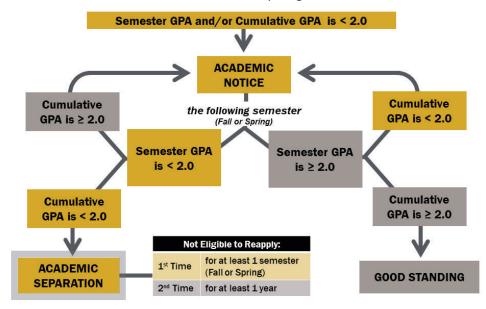
SEMESTER GPA:

Weighted average of grades after a single semester

CUMULATIVE GPA:

Weighted average of all grades from all semesters at Purdue

A student is placed on **Academic Notice** when one or both GPAs is below a 2.0 at the end of a Fall or Spring semester. **Academic Separation** occurs if a student is on Academic Notice and both of their GPAs are below a 2.0 the next Fall or Spring semester.



Navigating the Next Steps

Academic Separation means you are no longer eligible to enroll at Purdue University. If you are registered for a future semester, your schedule will automatically be canceled.

Readmission to the university is not automatic nor guaranteed. A student who is academically separated from the university for the first time is not eligible to enroll for at least one Fall or Spring semester. A student who is academically separated for a second time is not eligible to enroll for at least one year. Visit the Admissions "Readmission after Academic Separation" page for more information, including a readmission applicant checklist.

We realize that there are often many personal, financial, health, and family reasons that can impact academic performance. We encourage you to use the time away to reflect on your current goals and plans. Reach out to your academic advisor for more information on how you can best utilize your time away if your goals include applying for readmission. This will likely include taking at least 12 credit hours of coursework at another institution or community college.