

## Cloud County Community College Academic Probation & Suspension Guide

| <u>Total Attempted<br/>Credit Hours</u> | <u>Minimum<br/>Career GPA</u> | <u>Minimum<br/>Semester GPA</u> |
|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 01 – 10 credit hours                    | n/a                           | n/a                             |
| 11 – 20 credit hours                    | 1.60                          | 1.70                            |
| 21 – 30 credit hours                    | 1.70                          | 1.70                            |
| 31 – 40 credit hours                    | 1.80                          | 1.70                            |
| 41 – 50 credit hours                    | 1.90                          | 1.70                            |
| 51 – 94 credit hours                    | 2.00                          | 1.70                            |

\* A repeated course will add to the number of total attempted hours.

**Earned Credit Hour Requirements for Satisfactory Academic Progress:**

Students who have attempted 11 or more credit hours in their college career must complete at least 50% of courses for which they are enrolled in any given semester.

### Academic Policy Terms

#### **Academic Probation**

This probationary status alerts the student, instructors, and advisors that the student has not made Satisfactory Academic Progress toward graduation. Academic Probation is an opportunity for intervention through supervision that will encourage the student to set goals which support academic success. Students are required to enroll in Personal Assessment and Planning (SS099).

#### **Academic Suspension**

This action is taken only after the student has enrolled on Academic Probation, and has failed to accomplish the conditions of Academic Probation. For one semester, the student is not allowed to enroll or attend classes. The intention of this Academic Suspension is to provide a temporary time-out from academics to interrupt the pattern of failure.

#### **Action Plan**

The Action Plan is the student's written plan for fulfilling the conditions of Academic Probation, i.e., accomplishing Satisfactory Academic Progress. It will include acceptable and realistic grade goals, as well as commitments to actions and interventions that will support those goals, i.e., tutoring, study time, advising. The Action Plan will be prepared and finalized with the retention specialist.

#### **Petition for Reinstatement**

Under special circumstances, a student facing Academic Suspension may choose to appeal the sanction. A Petition for Reinstatement is the document to be completed and submitted for consideration by the appeals committee. The petition must include a proposed Action Plan.

#### **Satisfactory Academic Progress**

To graduate, students must earn a minimum 2.00 career/cumulative. To reach this required minimum, students must maintain certain GPA minimums as compared to attempted credit hours (*see chart above*).