IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Academic Warning and Academic Probation are based on term average, not cumulative GPA. After one term with an average below 2.0, student are placed on Academic Warning. After two or more consecutive term averages below 2.0, students are placed on Academic Probation, even if their cumulative GPA is 2.0 or higher. Students returning after gaining Summer Readmission, following a sustained Academic Suspension, are also placed on Academic Probation and will have additional conditions to meet before being permitted to continue their enrollment to the Spring Term.

Credit Limit Restrictions: Credit restrictions are a precautionary intervention to ensure that students have time to maximize academic performance by focusing on fewer courses:

- Students on Academic Warning and Probation will be subject to a credit limit restriction not to exceed 16 credits.
- **Senior Privilege**: Students with 92 or more degree credits in the current graduating class year are exempted from the credit restriction policy.
- Students in the current graduating class year with fewer than 92 completed degree credits ARE subject to a credit restriction, ARE NOT eligible for the Senior Privilege and should change their date of degree completion by going to MyGradDate@sas.rutgers.edu
- **Credit Reduction Deadlines**: If you are currently registered for more than 16 credits, you are responsible for reducing your credit load. For the last day to drop without a “W” grade visit: http://sasundergrad.rutgers.edu/academics/registration
  - Students who do not comply with the credit restriction deadline will have their overload reduced by a Dean and receive a “W” grade for each course the dean Designates for withdrawal.
- Deadlines are posted online at http://nbregistrar.rutgers.edu/

Conditions for Readmitted Students: Students returning in Fall from a Suspension, either in the same academic year or Sustained in a previous year, may be subject to additional conditions in order to progress to the Spring Term. Details of these will be included in the Notice of Probation.

- A term average of 2.0 must be achieved in the Fall term to prevent the previous Suspension going into effect.
- If a 2.0 term average is not reached then the student must sit out the rest of the academic year and apply for Summer Re-enrollment. Re-enrollment is not guaranteed. Each application is determined based on the student’s academic record and the viability of degree completion.
- Students are required to attend and/or complete the assigned Retention Program Course, Seminar, or group advising.
**Advising Requirement:** Studies show that students who seek advising perform better than those who do not receive it. We require you to attend an advising appointment as part of our commitment to helping you complete your degree successfully. These meetings are an opportunity to discuss your progress and your plans for degree completion.

- Meet with an Advisor in the SAS Office of Academic Services between **Week 3 and Week 8 of classes**. Advising meetings must occur no later than Week 8 but no earlier than Week 3, since most students will not have any course feedback earlier than the third week of classes.

- Failure to meet with an SAS Advisor these dates will result in a registration hold, being applied against registration for the following term.

- For information about scheduling an appointment with an Academic Services advisor, visit this page: [http://sasundergrad.rutgers.edu/academics/advising/advising-centers](http://sasundergrad.rutgers.edu/academics/advising/advising-centers)

- Seniors in the current graduating class with 92 or more completed degree credits and a cumulative average of 2.00 or higher are excused from the advising requirement, although all students are urged to seek an advising meeting.

- Students with returning from a Sustained Suspension are required to attend a specific course, seminar, or group advising sessions. Specific details will be provided in the Probation Notice sent to each student.

**Extraordinary Circumstances:** If you have been experiencing personal, medical, financial, or other circumstances that interfered with you academic performance and remain unresolved, you may want to consider taking a temporary leave of absence (LOA) from school. If you think a temporary LOA may be best for you, please visit [http://sasundergrad.rutgers.edu/forms/leave-of-absence](http://sasundergrad.rutgers.edu/forms/leave-of-absence) for information and contact an advising Dean in the Office of Academic Services, as soon as possible, at 848-932-8888.

**Grade Changes:** An official grade change made by a professor may remove you from Warning or Probation status. In the event of a grade change, it is your responsibility to notify the Academic Standing Office in order to alter your official Academic Standing status. Send notifications of grade changes, with RUID and specific information on class and term, to academicstanding@sas.rutgers.edu