

## **Repeat Grade Policy**

Given (together with an F grade) when a course failed in an earlier term (one RF per course regardless of multiple Fs) is successfully retaken. This option is only available twice during a student's academic career at the College and only when the course content is identical to the earlier failed course, carries the same number or greater number of credits, and only with approval prior to enrollment in the course by the Advisement Center. (The credits attempted are changed to E (excluded) when the repeated course is successfully completed.)

## **Proposed revision**

An R grade is given (together with an F grade) when a course failed in an earlier term is successfully retaken. The credits attempted for the RF are changed to E (excluded) when the repeated course is successfully completed. The following limitations apply:

- Only one RF per course can be issued, regardless of how many Fs were previously awarded for the course.
- This option is only available twice during a student's academic career at the College.
- The course must be the same as the earlier failed course.
- The course must carry the same number or greater number of credits
- The course must be approved for RF application by the Advisement Center, at the beginning of the semester. The deadline to request an RF is posted on the Academic Calendar.
- **If a student receives an F in a course in which an Academic Integrity violation occurred, the course is not eligible for RF grading.**

## **Rationale**

Within the current academic year there was a serious Academic Integrity violation, resulting in Fs retroactively in two courses and an internship (sanctioned by J-Board). The student registered for two of the courses again, and requested RF's for them – essentially wiping the GPA-slate almost clean for this infraction. The instructor (and others) feel very strongly that the student should not have been permitted to RF these courses.