JMU Academic Standing Policy (Effective Fall 2019)								
Academic Standing	Criteria	Correspondence	Appealable?	Notes				
Good Standing	CumGPA >= 2.0	None unless previously on probation or suspension and the A-Dean sends a letter of congratulations.	N/A	No change from current process.  Transcript notation will read Academic Good Standing.				
Academic Notice	Semester GPA < 2.0 AND CumGPA >=2.0	Academic notice memo is sent via e-mail by Academic Student Services. The e-mail addresses the consequences of continued poor academic performance.	No	Academic Notice is a new academic status that informs students and advisors when the semester GPA is below 2.0. The Academic Notice allows for early intervention.  Informational status only. Transcript notation will read Academic Good Standing.				
Academic Probation	CumGPA <2.0 AND > Academic Suspension threshold.	Academic probation memo is sent via e-mail by Academic Student Services. The email includes a link to a presentation/module providing information concerning academic policy, university resources, and course repeat options.	No	Students are restricted to 13 credits.  Students are referred to advisers and various programs on-campus.  Transcript notation will read Academic Probation.				
Academic Suspension Alert	Current Term = Original Admit Term AND Cum GPA < the Academic Suspension threshold  OR  Summer CumGPA < Academic Suspension threshold AND Spring academic status > Academic Suspension  OR  CumGPA < Academic Suspension threshold at the end of the fall semester AND no prior academic suspensions	Academic probation students meeting academic suspension alert criteria receive specialized correspondence from Academic Student Services highlighting the critical nature of their academic situation; the correspondence will provide information on academic suspension, as well as JMU's academic resources.	No	Academic Suspension Alert is a new academic status that informs students and advisors of academic problems while resolving concerns about first-semester students placed on suspension. The alert status does not count towards the 3-strike suspension policy.  Students are restricted to 13 credits.  Students are referred to advisers and various programs on-campus.  Informational status only. Transcript notation will read Academic Probation.				

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	75-89 90-104 105-119 120 or above	Less than 1.900 Less than 1.994 Less than 1.999 Less than 2.000			enrollment. Written appeals for continued enrollment accepted.  2 <sup>nd</sup> Suspension – Minimum suspension period of 24 months. Students suspended at the end of the spring semester may, unless otherwise specified, attend summer session; if on academic probation or in good standing at end of summer may continue enrollment. Written appeals for continued enrollment <b>not</b> accepted.
Academic Dismissal	Student is academically suspended for a third time		Academic Student Services sends customized correspondence to students.	No	Transcript notation will read Academic Suspension.  Transcript notation will read Academic Dismissal.

## Key:

Black = academic standing category carried over from previous policy Red = new academic standing category in fall 2019