

The Academic Standards Committee is proposing to change the Repeated Coursework policy as follows. The change is in bold italics.

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## REPEATED COURSEWORK

Students may repeat a course *to improve a grade or to increase mastery of a subject* ~~for the purpose of improving a grade and increased mastery of the subject~~, although the credit hours earned for that course count only once. The ~~highest~~ ***most recent*** grade earned will be used in computing the GPA and credit toward graduation. Grades of U and W are not considered to be higher grades than D or F. All grades will remain on the transcript. Students are responsible for notifying the Registrar's Office that a course is being repeated so that their GPA can be recalculated and their credit hour total reduced.

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The following rationales were considered.

- 1) The most recent grade is a better measure of a student's competency.
- 2) The most recent grade will provide incentive for the student to achieve a better grade.
- 3) This policy will deter potential repeat coursework abuse.

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