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Grades, Grading, Academic Standing

A March 27, 2020 memo from the Chancellor's office regarding Executive order 2020-02, informed colleges of policy changes for grades, grading and academic standing.

Pass/No Pass

- The time frame for students to elect the Pass/No Pass option up to the 30% point in the term was suspended.
- Students could elect the Pass/No Pass option for any course.
- A 'No Pass' will not count negatively for the purpose of academic standing (progress).

Incomplete

An 'Incomplete' will not count negatively for the purpose of academic standing (progress).

In Progress

- An 'In Progress' may be used for courses which extend beyond the normal end of an academic term indicating the coursework is "in progress."
- 'In Progress' will not count negatively for the purpose of academic standing (academic).

Excused Withdrawal

• The 'Excused Withdrawal' does not count negatively for the purposes of academic standing according to Title 5, no change were required.

PROPOSAL - All student academic standing for Spring 2020: GOOD

There is not an easy method to convert the grading scheme in Campus Solutions to allow faculty to assign each of these grades/symbols without modifying each class. Therefore, District Student Services has agreed to process the P/NP and EW changes manually and assign the IP grade from a new form completed by the faculty.

Due to the crisis the state is adjusting how some grades impact students. The adjustments required to the Academic Standing process to accurately reflect the changes would require months of programming and testing. The Academic Advising Subcommittee* is requesting approval to adjust the academic standing for all Spring 2020 students to receive "Good Standing".



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Impact:

- Students who are **not** in "good" standing are given the last registration appointment, these students would move up in priority (Special Population 523; All Others 3,395) which account for account for appointments 7:00 am 11:30 am on the last day.
- Students in good standing retain the CCPG award.
- Financial Aid calculates Satisfactory Academic Progress separately.

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Georgina Garcia City Counseling Chair and counselor representative

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