

VETERANS' STANDARDS OF PROGRESS REQUIREMENTS

Background and Purpose:

V.A. regulations have established requirements that all schools set standards of progress for V.A. or other eligible registered students. The standards require that schools report the last date of attendance when a veteran or other eligible person terminates pursuit of a resident course and/or course work and that other changes be reported promptly.

Veteran's and Other Eligible Persons' Responsibilities:

To maintain certification for V.A. Benefits at the University of Wyoming, each eligible person must meet the following requirements in accordance with V.A. regulations:

1. All students receiving V.A. educational assistance must verify their enrollment and attendance between the 1st and 5th of each month in the campus Student Financial Aid Office. The attendance of those not complying will not be certified to the V.A. and termination or postponement of benefits will occur.
2. During each semester of enrollment, the student-veterans must maintain satisfactory progress towards a degree in accordance with V.A. regulations and University scholastic standards for the degree sought.
 - a. Undergraduate Standards: Must maintain an academic status of "Code 1" to remain out of probation status:
SEE UNIVERSITY BULLETIN.
Code 1 - in good standing
Code 2 - on probation
Code 3 - MANDATORY SUSPENSION (Must see Vet Rep if enrolling)
3. A student who fails to meet the criteria as outlined in the U.W. Bulletin will be placed on U.W. probation during the following semester of enrollment, (Code 2 for undergraduate students). A student who fails to meet minimum requirements as outlined in the Bulletin during subsequent enrollment, (falls to Code 3 status), will have his/her V.A. benefits suspended.
4. A student who falls to Code 3 status (mandatory suspension) following the probation semester may have his/her V.A. benefits re-instated if he/she is re-admitted by the University. Verification of re-admission is required.
5. All students **BEWARE** block (shore) courses; courses taken for S/U grade; and course repeats. Any of these three categories could have an adverse affect on your benefits. Ask your Veterans' Relations Office.
6. PLEASE NOTE! The Veterans' Administration requires that you strictly adhere to the course outline described in the U.W. catalog for the particular degree program you have declared. Any deviation could result in suspension or termination of your benefit payments.

You are allowed to carry a "dual-major", where two separate degree objectives are pursued at the same time, but both must be reasonably related to a single career field or you will be charged with a program change.

Although the University of Wyoming does not officially recognize a "minor", you may unofficially pursue a minor, but only if those hours apply also toward your "major" area of study.

7. All students receiving V.A. benefits are required to immediately report to the V.A. secretary their withdrawal from the University, the dropping of any courses, or additions, and any unscheduled interruptions of course work.
8. Withdrawal from any course(s) after the last day of the drop/add period, as detailed by the bulletin, which reduces a full-time student's academic load below twelve (12) hours, or a three-quarter time student's below nine (9) hours, or a half-time student's below six (6) hours, must be reported to the Veterans' Relations Office on-campus in person. Failure to report the reason for withdrawal or insufficient reason for withdrawal (determination to be made by V.A.), may result in reduction or termination of V.A. benefits back to the beginning of the term.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS:

(Signature)

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(Date)

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