

TO: Council on Academic Affairs

FROM: M. Tina Davis, University Registrar

SUBJECT: Academic Dismissal, *Catalog* Revision

DATE: 3/15/10

The Office of the Registrar submits the following *Catalog* text revision for your consideration, effective Fall 2010.

Minimum Academic Standards

(pg. 44 of the 2009-10 *Undergraduate Catalog*)

E. Academic Dismissal: Students returning to the University at the end of a third academic suspension must earn and maintain a term GPA of 2.0 or better each semester. Students returning after a third academic suspension will be academically dismissed from the University if they have a term GPA of less than 2.0 at the end of any semester. Students who are academically dismissed may not enroll in courses at EKU for five calendar years.

F. Attending Another School While Suspended or Dismissed ~~However~~ Course work earned at another regionally-accredited university ~~during this period, while suspended or academically dismissed,~~ will be considered for transfer to EKU. Students are responsible for requesting that an official transcript of any transfer course work be sent to the EKU Office of Advising when they apply for readmission to EKU. Students should consult with their advisor or college for the applicability of course work taken at another institution to their degree program at EKU.

G. Appealing Academic Standing If a student believes their academic suspension was the result of catastrophic circumstances beyond their control, they may appeal the academic suspension to the University Readmission Appeals Committee. The appeal must be in writing and students must provide appropriate documentation supporting the appeal. **Students may not appeal an academic dismissal.**