6.16 Course Repetition

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Policy: Piedmont Community College (PCC) provides students with the opportunity to repeat courses when appropriate to accommodate their individual goals.

Purpose/Definitions:

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Students may repeat courses under prescribed procedures.

Definitions

N/A

Approval Authority/Monitoring Authority: Piedmont Community College's Board of Trustees has approval authority for this policy. The Vice President, Instruction and the Vice President, Student Development have monitoring authority over this policy.

Procedure:

Section 1: Repeating Curriculum Courses

- 1.1. Students may repeat a course for which they have already earned a grade. In such an instance, only the higher grade will be used in calculating the cumulative and program GPA for graduation.
- 1.2. All grades for courses repeated remain on the student's record.
- 1.3. The repeated course will count only once toward meeting the credit hours required for graduation.
- 1.4. The College does not encourage students to repeat courses in which a grade of C or higher was earned.
- 1.5. Students who receive veteran's benefits should be aware that they will not receive benefits for previously completed courses.

- 1.6. For all financial aid recipients, Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress rules will apply to repeated courses.
 - 1.6.1. Students are encouraged to contact the Financial Aid Office or consult the <u>Satisfactory Academic Progress section</u> from the PCC Financial Aid Policies and Procedures Manual.
- Section 2: Repeating Continuing Education Courses
 - 2.1. Continuing Education students may repeat courses as needed.

Legal Citation: <u>Department of Education Student Federal Aid Handbook- Student Eligibility -</u> <u>SAP</u>

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