

Academic Fresh Start Petition Pittsburg State University

Academic Fresh Start allows returning undergraduate students with poor or marginal academic records to resume work towards an undergraduate degree without the detriment of their past academic performance in college.

Name _____ PSU ID # _____
Please include any former name used while attending Pittsburg State University

Mailing address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone _____ Email _____

Last College attended _____ Last date of attendance _____

Student signature _____ Date _____

If granted Academic Fresh Start, the calculation of grade point average (GPA) and credit hours earned is based solely on work completed after Fresh Start. All courses taken and grades earned prior to Fresh Start will remain on the student's transcript, but will not, however, apply to the degree.

Six conditions must be met by the student:

1. Has not been enrolled in any institution of higher education for at least four years.
2. Is pursuing first undergraduate degree.
3. Is reinstated by the Dean of the College where the student will be majoring as described in the reinstatement policy if returning after being academically dismissed.
4. Submits a petition to the Dean of the College in which the student will be majoring describing the reasons for past poor performance and outlining an academic plan that includes the declaration of a major. Academic Fresh Start can be granted only once.

Petition form may be found on the Registrar's webpage <http://www.pittstate.edu/office/registrar/forms.dot>

5. Forfeit all credit earned prior to Academic Fresh Start.
6. If approved, enrolls and completes at least twelve hours at PSU with a 2.0 GPA before Academic Fresh Start is recorded on the transcript.

Additional information regarding this policy may be found in PSU's online catalog.

To complete petition, you may use the back of form or attach an additional page.

- 1) Describe the reason for your request.
- 2) What plans have you developed in order to be academically successful in the future?

Approved by: _____ Notified Registrar's Office on _____
Dean's signature Date