

COVER SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO ALL REPORTS SUBMITTED TO THE ACADEMIC SENATE

Date May 2, 1977 Report Number (For Senate Use Only) 767-10

Name of Committee Submitting Report Academic Affairs

Committee Status: (elected chartered, appointed chartered, ad hoc, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Appointed Chartered

Names of Committee members: E. Edgar, A. Hakojarvi, L. Hill, I. Khawaja, D. Quinby, D. Scott, J. Scriven, R. Shuster, S. Skarote, D. Vogel

Please write a brief summary of the report which the Committee is submitting to the Senate: (attach complete report)

Modification of policy on recalculation of point-average.

Do you anticipate making a formal motion relative to the report? Yes

If so, state the motion: \_\_\_\_\_

The proposed change in the policy on recalculation of point-average be approved. \_\_\_\_\_

If there are substantive changes made from the floor in your committee recommendation, would the committee prefer that the matter be sent back to committee for further consideration? Yes

Other relevant data: Effective date Fall 1977

*Kram Khawaja*

Chairman (please initial)

## RECALCULATION OF POINT AVERAGE

## PROPOSED

When a current undergraduate student repeats a course in which he has previously earned a D or F grade, he may petition the dean of his school for a recalculation of his grade point average reflecting that repetition. Although courses are not deleted from the permanent record, the record is adjusted to reflect the inclusion of only the last grade in the computation of the point average. The hours credited toward degree hours completed are those earned with the last grades. Only undergraduate students currently enrolled in the University may request this recalculation privilege. A post-baccalaureate student is not eligible to petition for a recalculation unless both the course and the repetition are completed subsequent to the conferring of his degree. A student holding the two-year associate degree may petition after receiving his associate degree only if he is currently pursuing a baccalaureate degree.

## EXISTING

When a current undergraduate student repeats a course, he may petition the dean of his school for a recalculation of his grade point average reflecting that repetition. Although courses are not deleted from the permanent record, the record is adjusted to reflect the inclusion of only the higher grade in the computation of the point average. The hours credited toward degree hours completed are those earned with the higher grades. Only undergraduate students currently enrolled in the University may request this recalculation privilege. A post-baccalaureate student is not eligible to petition for a recalculation unless both the course and the repetition are completed subsequent to the conferring of his degree. A student holding the two-year associate degree may petition after receiving his associate degree only if he is currently pursuing a baccalaureate degree.



# YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO 44555

April 20, 1977

Dr. Ikram Khawaja  
Department of Geology  
UNIVERSITY


Dear Dr. Khawaja:

At its meeting of March 29, 1977, the Dean's Council approved, for reference to the Academic Affairs Committee, the following revised policy on Recalculation of Point Average:

"When a current undergraduate student repeats a course in which he has previously earned a D or F grade, he may petition the dean of his school for a recalculation of his grade point average reflecting that repetition. Although courses are not deleted from the permanent record, the record is adjusted to reflect the inclusion of only the last grade in the computation of the point average. The hours credited toward degree hours completed are those earned with the last grades. Only undergraduate students currently enrolled in the University may request this recalculation privilege. A post-baccalaureate student is not eligible to petition for a recalculation unless both the course and the repetition are completed subsequent to the conferring of his degree. A student holding the two-year associate degree may petition after receiving his associate degree only if he is currently pursuing a baccalaureate degree."

The changes in the present policy (now found on page 43 of the 1976-77 catalog) are those underlined in the proposed policy above.

Very truly yours,

  
Earl E. Edgar  
Vice President for  
Academic Affairs

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Date of Senate Action May 20, 1977

Action taken by the Senate Motion failed

Other formal motions: (indicate pass or fail) \_\_\_\_\_

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Amendments: (indicate pass or fail) \_\_\_\_\_

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Other action: \_\_\_\_\_

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Matter sent on to \_\_\_\_\_,

requesting the following action: \_\_\_\_\_

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(signed) Frank R. Jett