



## STUDENT ACADEMIC FORGIVENESS POLICY

### PURPOSE

The intent of this policy is to allow undergraduate students who previously accrued a Long Island University academic record with a substantial number of grades below the 2.00 level of C to be “forgiven” for their earlier performance upon readmission if they meet certain criteria.

### STATEMENT OF POLICY

Undergraduate students who did not complete degree requirements and have not enrolled for at least five years have the option to request grades in prior coursework be forgiven, as well as be readmitted to LIU.

Academic forgiveness may be granted according to the following guidelines:

- Students must apply for readmission.
- The student will follow the academic catalog in effect at the time of readmission and meet any specific individual program admissions requirements, if applicable.
- All courses and grades received prior to the date of readmission will remain on the student’s permanent record (transcript), but will not be computed into the student’s academic grade point average.
- Only courses completed prior to readmission in which a “C” or better was earned will count toward the student’s graduation requirements. However, these grades will not be computed into the student’s academic average.
- Courses completed prior to readmission in which a “D” or lower was earned will not count toward graduation requirements nor will they be included in the computation of the student’s academic average.
- This option, once chosen, cannot be rescinded.

**POLICY TYPE: STUDENT AFFAIRS**