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JEFFERSON COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACADEMIC FRESH START APPLICATION



Student Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ Phone #: _____

Program/Division: _____ J#: _____

Jefferson Community College recognizes that some students may begin college and receive poor grades. Often students stop attending and return many years later only to have grades from their academic history negatively impact their current academic status.

- Any student having an absence from the College of three years or more and a cumulative GPA below 2.0 may apply for an Academic Fresh Start.
- No coursework prior to the date Academic Fresh Start becomes effective will impact the student's cumulative grade point average (GPA). Once Fresh Start is granted, the cumulative GPA will be reset to **0.00**.
- Students will receive credit toward graduation requirements for all coursework successfully completed prior to the granting of the Academic Fresh Start provided the grade is not a D.
- All prior coursework and grades will remain on the transcript to reflect an accurate academic history; however, courses taken only after the granting of Academic Fresh Start will constitute the new cumulative GPA.
- Only one Academic Fresh Start will be granted during a student's academic career at Jefferson. Once the Academic Fresh Start is established, it will not be reversed.
- The Vice President for Academic Affairs is responsible for overseeing this policy.

Please acknowledge each item below by checking the box on the left.

I have been absent from Jefferson three or more years. Last Semester Attended? _____

My GPA is below 2.0. Current GPA? _____

Financial Aid Implications – Please note: All academic history must be considered in your satisfactory academic progress review. If you currently have a financial aid hold on your account, you will need to complete a reinstatement form to be approved for future financial aid. If you are approaching the 150% eligibility rule, the excluded classes will still be included in your review of financial aid.

[Any financial aid questions should be directed to the Financial Services Office]

REQUIRED SIGNATURES:

Student: _____ Date: _____

Advisor: _____ Date: _____

(ATTACH UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT)

FOR STUDENT RECORDS OFFICE USE ONLY:

Confirmation by Student Records Office that the Academic Fresh Start has been implemented:

Registrar or Assistant Registrar Signature: _____ Date: _____

Students must be registered before Academic Fresh Start is processed.