**FYS and ACS Failure & Withdrawal Policy**

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|  | | **FYS**  (3 credits) | **ACS**  (1 credit) | **How Student can Meet the Requirement** | **Is 'F' Removed from GPA?** |
| Student Grade Possibilities | (1) | Pass | Fails or stops attending\* | Only Option:   * Pass ACS next semester | * Yes |
| (2) | Fails, withdraws, or stops attending | Fails or stops attending\* | Option (A):   * Pass FYS (same course) within 1 semester * Pass ACS next semester | Option (A): Yes for both FYS and ACS |
| Option (B):   * Pass P-EQ with same number as FYS * Pass ACS next semester | Option (B): Yes for both FYS and ACS |
| Option (C):   * Pass a P-EQ equivalency (student must meet with Director of Core Curriculum to negotiate/formulate a plan; waivers not permitted) * Pass ACS next semester | Option (C): No for FYS; Yes for ACS |
| (3) | Fails, withdraws, or stops attending | Pass | Option (A):   * Pass FYS (same course) within 1 semester | Option (A): Yes |
| Option (B):   * Pass P-EQ with same number as FYS | Option (B): Yes |
| Option (C):   * Pass a P-EQ equivalency (student must meet with Director of Core Curriculum to negotiate/formulate a plan; waivers not permitted) | Option (C): No |

Notes:

* \* Students are allowed to withdraw from ACS only if they are withdrawing from all their classes that semester.
* If student fails or stops attending ACS a second time, the F is kept on transcript. Requirement will be satisfied through successful completion of ACS 200 (Adv. Academic Strategies).