Academic Standing Explained

Attention UFS Senior Students

Here is all the academic advising information you need to know as you prepare for registration!

To help you stay on the path to graduation (#SecureTheGrad) you have been allocated a colour, which indicates your academic standing based on your academic performance. Your colour is indicated on your PeopleSoft Self Service: Academic Data Summary (ADS) document. There are four (4) main colour-coded categories (green, yellow, orange, and red). Based on these colours, please read the descriptions below, which explain what you can expect as you prepare for registration.

| ADS Colour | ADS Service Indicator | Status | What to do (action) |
|---|--------------------------|--|---|
| Green | Positive | Excellent! You passed 100% of your modules and you have never changed your programme plan. | No action required. You are on track! You have passed all your modules and may proceed to register online. Should you have additional queries, however, you are welcome to contact the advisors. This is not a hold/block on your record. |
| Yellow 1 (Y1) Yellow 2 (Y2) Yellow 3 (Y3) | Positive | You're on track! But, you have changed your programme plan or have failed modules. | Y1: You did not pass all your modules, but you are still on track. You haven't made any programme plan changes. Proceed to register online, but first register the modules you failed!Y2: You have failed modules in the past and changed your academic plan or programme (i.e. completed a DV2 form previously). Check your record that the relevant credits/recognitions reflectY3: You have never failed credits or modules, but changed your academic programme or plan (i.e. completed a DV2 form previously). Check your record that the relevant credits/recognitions reflectProceed to register online. This is not a hold/block. |
| Orange 1 (O1) Orange 2 (O2) Orange 3 (O3) | Negative | You are a priority student. You have failed modules more than twice / or, you have not been allocated a category. | Contact your facultyacademic advisor. You cannot continue with online registration without having a conversation with your faculty academic advisor. If you still need help after this conversation, or if you need to change your academic programme and are uncertain what to change to, please contact your central academic advisor at CTL.O1: failed module twice in HUM / NAS.O2: All Students with no colour yet allocatedO3: Failed a service module twice (e.g. Law student failed CSIL/Edu student failed Zoology). Not in HUM & NAS. |
| Red | Negative | You are high priority. You do not meet the progression rules and credit requirements. | You <u>cannot</u> proceed to register. You must appeal for re-admission to the UFS. Check your UFS4life email for an exclusion letter from your faculty. Submit an appeal by the deadline indicated in your exclusion letter. If you fail to appeal by the deadline, you will need to reapply for readmission. NB: Closing date for re-applications is <u>30 September 2023.</u> |

Note: In some instances, faculties have categorised students using other colours, (i.e. grey, purple etc.).

Still uncertain what to do? Submit a query on ONE of the following channels **Queries will be resolved within 3 working days (i.e. 72 hours)

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