

## OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

January 31, 2025

Dear AUB Students,

We trust that the beginning of the semester is unfolding to your liking and that you are enjoying the campus atmosphere that is bustling with activity.

We are writing to inform you of a decision that has been made as a one-time measure in line with the University's Academic Continuity Plan that was activated last semester because of the volatile situation in which the University found itself.

## Academic Standing (Probation) and Institutional Financial Support

- Your academic standing will still be evaluated for the fall 2024-25 term. You will
  be informed, as usual, of the results of these processes if you are placed on
  probation, and your academic standing will be posted to your academic record.
- Nevertheless, as a continuity measure, if you are placed on a non-consecutive probation, you will not lose the need-based financial aid component of the financial support you are receiving for the spring 2024-25 term. You will be expected to meet the requirement for having probation removed at the end of the spring 2024-25 term to continue benefiting from need-based financial aid in future terms.
- If your need-based financial aid is being supplemented by donor support, this
  component will also continue as long as the donor scholarship does not have a
  minimum GPA requirement.
- If you are a graduate student benefiting from the Graduate Fellowship and Assistantship Program (GFAP), you will not lose your GFAP support for the spring 2024-25 term if you are placed on probation as a result of your academic performance in the fall 2024-25 term. You will be expected to meet the requirement for having probation removed at the end of the spring 2024-25 term to continue benefiting from GFAP in future terms.

## Academic Standing (Minimum GPA) and Institutional Merit Scholarships

• If you are on a merit-based scholarship, such as the President's Merit Scholarship or an Early Admission Merit Scholarship, you are required to maintain a term GPA of at least 3.5.

- Nevertheless, as a continuity measure, you will not lose your merit-based scholarship for the spring 2024-25 term if your fall 2024-25 term GPA did not meet or exceed the 3.5 requirement.
- You will need to meet the requirement in the spring 2024-25 term, however, to retain your merit-based scholarship in future terms.

We remain committed to supporting you during this time and encourage you to reach out to us if you have any questions or concerns.

Kind regards,

Office of the Registrar