



Maintaining Good Academic Standing

At the end of each session, the Registration Staff, Associate Director, and Director will review all students' final grades. Successful completion of a program or being in good standing is defined as

- The student has no more than five absences in any class during the course of the session.
- The student maintains a 2.0 GPA or higher in the current session.

Students who are not in good standing will be placed on probation and may not be eligible to continue to study at the Language Institute if attendance and/or academic problems persist.

Suspension

A student on academic probation will be suspended from the Language Institute if the student fails to earn at least a 2.0 GPA during their probationary session. Suspension from the Language Institute means that a student is not eligible to enroll for the following session at the Language Institute. If you are an F-1 student and are suspended, you will have to transfer or return home within 21 days of the session end date. F-1 students who do not complete the transfer process or provide proof of departure from the US within 21 days of the session end date will have their F-1 status terminated. Students on suspension are eligible to re-apply for admission to the Language Institute if their academic performance improves and they maintain good attendance during their studies at the new school. A new application fee of \$100 will be required to apply for re-admission. Students who are re-admitted to the Language Institute after a previous suspension will remain on academic probation and will be required to earn at least a 2.0 GPA upon their return to the Language Institute.

Dismissal

Dismissal from the Language Institute can result from poor attendance, academic problems, or violations of the code of conduct. Dismissal may occur in the following situations:

Students who were previously in good standing but have more than 10 absences in 2 or more classes at any point in the session

Students who were previously on attendance probation and have 6 or more absences in 1 or more classes at any point in the following session

Students who were previously suspended from the Language Institute and fall below a 2.0 GPA during their first session after re-admission

Students who have multiple violations of the student code of conduct or have one egregious violation of the code of conduct

Termination for F-1 Visa Students

Students on an F-1 visa who are dismissed from the Language Institute will have their F-1 status terminated. F-1 students in terminated status must leave the U.S. or transfer to another school (in terminated status) within 15 days of the date of termination.