

Academic progression policy (Law Students)

University's policy. Students who do not attain at least a CGPA score of 3.0 for 2 semesters will face academic termination (“AT”). A student will receive an “Academic Warning” letter from his/her Dean if his/her CGPA falls below 3.0 for the first time. The next time his/her CGPA falls below 3.0, he/she will receive an AT letter from the Registrar. Students who are given AT are permitted, only once, to apply to restart to another (replacement) programme (collectively, “**Re-start Students**”).

All Re-start Students must take a semester off prior to moving into the replacement programme. The “semester off” will not be factored into a Re-start Student’s candidature computation. Students who are given AT will not have access to the Student Portal three months after the release of the semester examination results, but they will be able to communicate with the University via their MyMail account.

Re-start for non-AT students. Students who are not on AT but have CGPA below 3.0 may opt to apply to restart to a replacement programme. Such students must take a semester off prior to moving into the replacement programme. The “semester off” will not be factored into the students’ candidature computation.

Credit recognition and exemption on re-start. Re-start students may transfer credits from previously completed courses (except for retired courses) to their replacement programmes, subject to a maximum of 60cu and 10cu of SUSS Core courses, **and** provided:

- (a) the group of courses in question match the CP of the replacement programme; and
- (b) the CGPA of the group of courses in question is at least 2.0.

Re-start Students will be eligible for the credit exemptions that were previously granted to them (except for retired courses) if these are relevant to the replacement programme, subject to the afore-mentioned maximum limit of 60cu and 10cu of SUSS Core courses.

Candidature period. A student’s period of candidature commences from the day he/she first enrolled with the University. Re-start Students will not have their period of candidature re-set. Re-start Students who are near the end of the maximum candidature period may appeal to remain in their programmes. However, they will not be eligible for the MOE funding beyond the funding period.

Fee payable. Re-start Students are required to pay a non-refundable application fee of S\$117.70 (inclusive of GST) to apply to transfer to another programme. This application is subject to the approval of the University and late applications after the stipulated deadline will not be considered.