

## Student Status Classification

Classification of student status (normal vs probationary) is first done after a student has finished his/her second regular semester and shall be done at the end of every regular semester (hence excluding a summer session). Classification of student status may be done at the end of a summer session ONLY IF the student is expected to graduate or has fulfilled all of the degree requirements in that summer session.

In case you have taken a semester-long leave of absence, classification of student status is NOT done for that semester.

Your summer GPA (if any) will be calculated together with the GPA that you earn in the following regular semester, after which your student status will be classified.

Students' status belongs to one of these two types based on the GPAX-based classification system.

**Normal status** : Students having enrolled for the first time (in their first semester) and those having earned GPAXs of 2.00 or higher; and

**Probationary status** : Students whose GPAXs are between 1.50 and 1.99.

(See Appendix 3 for more information on GPAX-based studentship classification and termination.)

## GPAX-Based Classification of Undergraduate Students

### Termination of Student status due to a Low GPAX

**Case 1: When GPAX-based classification of students is done, a student with a GPAX of under 1.50 will have his/her student status terminated automatically (as stipulated in Clause 24.5 of Mae Fah Luang University's Regulation on Bachelor's Degree Education, BE 2542 (1999).**

Example 1.1: Mr Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564). Mr Joe's study results are as follows.

Academic Year	Semester	GPAX	Student Status
2021	1	0.00-4.00	Not classified
2021	2	0.00-1.49	Classified—student status terminated

Explanation:

In the first semester of Mr. Joe's study, his student status was not classified. Classification started at the end of the second semester, when he had a GPAX of 0.00-1.49 (under 1.50). His student status was, therefore, terminated.

Example 1.2: Mr Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564), took a leave from study in the second semester of 2021, and returned to study in the first semester of 2022. Mr. Joe's study results are as follows.

Academic Year	Semester	GPAX	Studentship Status
2021	1	0.00-4.00	Not classified
2021	2	0.00-4.00	Not classified—taking a leave from study
2021	1	0.00-1.49	Classified—student status terminated

Explanation: In the first semester of Mr. Joe's study, his student status was not classified. Mr. Joe took a leave from his study in the second semester of 2021 ; thus, his student status was not classified. Mr. Joe returned to study in the first semester of 2022 and scored a GPAX of 0.00-1.49 (under 1.50). His student status was, therefore, terminated at the end of the semester.

Example 1.3: Mr. Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564) but was suspended for the second semester of 2021. Mr. Joe's study results are as follows.

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>GPAX</b>	<b>Student Status</b>
2021	1	0.00-1.49	Not classified
2021	2	0.00-1.49	Suspended Classified—studentship terminated

Explanation:

In the first semester of Mr. Joe's study, his student status was not classified. Mr. Joe was suspended in the second semester of 2021, and his student status was classified, as stipulated in Clause 20.4 of Mae Fah Luang University Regulation on Bachelor's Degree Education, BE 2542 (1999). Because Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 0.00 and 1.49 at the time of classification, his student status was terminated.

**Case 2: A student on probation whose GPAX remains under 1.80 for two successive classification-effective semesters will have his/her student status terminated automatically (as stipulated in Clause 24.6 of Mae Fah Luang University's Regulations on Bachelor's Degree Education, BE 2542 (1999)).**

Example 2.1: Mr Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564). Mr. Joe's study results are as follows.

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>GPAX</b>	<b>Student Status</b>
2021	1	0.00-4.00	Not classified
2021	2	1.50-1.99	Classified—first probation
2022	1	1.50-1.79	Classified—second probation
2022	2	1.50-1.79	Classified—student status terminated

Explanation:

At the end of the second semester of 2021, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.99, which meant he would be on his first probationary term in the first semester of 2021.

At the end of the first and the second semesters of 2022, in both of which student status classification was effective, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.79. Therefore, Mr. Joe's student status was terminated.

Example 2.2: Mr. Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564). Mr Joe's study results are as follows.

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>GPAX</b>	<b>Studentship Status</b>
2021	1	0.00-4.00	Not classified
2021	2	1.50-1.99	Classified—first probation
2022	1	1.50-1.99	Classified—second probation
2022	2	1.50-1.79	Suspended Classified—student status terminated

Explanation:

At the end of the second semester of 2021, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.99, which meant he would be on his first probationary term in the first semester of 2022.

At the end of the first semester of 2019, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.79, causing him to be on his second probationary term.

Mr. Joe was suspended in the second semester of 2021, and his student status was classified, as stipulated in Clause 20.4 of Mae Fah Luang University Regulations on Bachelor's Degree Education, BE 2542 (1999). As a result, Mr Joe's GPAX remained under 1.80 for two successive semesters (1 and 2 of 2021) and his student status was terminated.

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Example 2.3: Mr Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564). Mr Joe's study results are as follows.

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>GPAX</b>	<b>Student Status</b>
2021	1	0.00-4.00	Not classified
2021	2	1.50-1.99	Classified—first probation
2022	1	1.80-1.99	Classified—second probation
2022	2	1.80-1.79	Classified—third probation
2023	1	1.50-1.79	Classified—student status terminated

Explanation:

At the end of the second semester of 2021, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.99, which meant he would be on his first probationary term in the first semester of 2021.

At the end of the first semester of 2022, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.80 and 1.99, causing him to be on his second probationary term in the second semester of 2022, in which Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.79.

At the end of the first semester of 2022 and the first semester of 2023, Mr. Joe's GPAX remained between 1.50 and 1.79, resulting in the termination of his student status (with a GPAX of under 1.80 for two successive semesters).

**Case 3: A student who remains on probation for four successive classification-effective semesters will have his/her student status terminated automatically (as stipulated in Clause 24.7 of Mae Fah Luang University's Regulation on Bachelor's Degree Education, BE 2542 (1999)).**

Example 3.1: Mr. Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered in the first semester of the academic year 2021 (2564). Mr. Joe's study results are as follows.

<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>GPAX</b>	<b>Student Status</b>
2021	1	0.00 - 4.00	Not classified
2021	2	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—first probation
2022	1	1.50 - 1.79	Classified—second probation
2022	2	1.80 - 1.99	Classified—third probation
2023	1	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—fourth probation
2023	2	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—student status terminated

Explanation:

At the end of the second semester of 2021, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.99, which meant he would be on his first probationary term in the second semester of 2018.

At the end of the first semester of 2022, Mr. Joe's GPAX was between 1.50 and 1.79, causing him to be on his second probationary term in the second semester of 2022.

At the end of the second semester of 2022, Mr. Joe's GPAX was still between 1.80 and 1.99, meaning he would be on his third probationary term in the first semester of 2022.

At the end of the first semester of 2023, Mr. Joe's GPAX remained between 1.50 and 1.99, causing him to be on his fourth probationary term in the second semester of 2023.

At the end of the second semester of 2023, Mr. Joe had been on a probationary term—as his GPAX had remained under 2.00—for four successive semesters. Therefore, his student status was terminated.

**Case 4: A student who has not fulfilled the curricular requirements or has not earned a minimum GPAX of 2.00 after having studied for 16, 20 or 24 semesters or equivalent (for a four-year, five-year or six-year programme, respectively) will have his/her student status terminated (as stipulated in Clause 24.8 of Mae Fah Luang University's Regulation on Bachelor's Degree Education, BE 2542 (1999)).**

Example 4.1: Mr. Don Joe, whose ID is 64xxxxxxx, entered a four-year programme in the first semester of the academic year 2021. Mr. Joe's study results are as follows.

Sem. No.	Academic Year	Semester	GPAX	Student Status
1	2021	1	0.00 - 4.00	Not classified
2	2021	2	0.00 - 4.00	Not classified—taking a leave from study
3	2022	1	1.80 - 1.99	Classified—first probation
4	2022	2	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—second probation
5	2023	1	1.80 - 1.99	Classified—third probation
6	2023	2	2.00 - 4.00	Classified—normal
7	2024	1	2.00 - 4.00	Classified—normal
8	2024	2	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—first probation
9	2025	1	1.80 - 1.99	Classified—second probation
10	2025	2	2.00 - 4.00	Classified—normal
11	2026	1	2.00 - 4.00	Classified—normal
12	2026	2	2.00 - 4.00	Classified—normal



<b>Sem. No.</b>	<b>Academic Year</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>GPAX</b>	<b>Student Status</b>
13	2027	1	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—first probation
14	2027	2	1.80 - 1.99	Classified—second probation
15	2028	1	1.50 - 1.79	Classified—third probation
16	2028	2	1.50 - 1.99	Classified—student status terminated

Explanation:

After entering a four-year programme in the first semester of 2021, Mr. Joe's GPAX occasionally rose above and dropped below 2.00, resulting in his alternate normal and probationary status types.

However, at the end of the second semester of 2025, which was Mr. Joe's 16<sup>th</sup> consecutive semester, Mr Joe's GPAX was below 2.00. Therefore, his student status was terminated.