

# Important Considerations When Withdrawing

This checklist will help you understand how withdrawing could impact your life as a student. Speak with staff in the following departments about these topics prior to withdrawing from any courses:

## Financial Aid Counselor

- **Current eligibility for federal or state aid.** If withdrawing from all courses, discuss the [Return Title IV Aid](#) policy and its implications for current-term financial aid.
- **Future financial aid eligibility.** Financial aid programs have lifetime limits. Understand these limits before you withdraw.
- **Enrollment changes from full- to part-time status.** Credit hours can affect the amount of your financial aid and may affect your eligibility for any enrollment-dependent benefits, such as loan deferment or certain types of insurance.
- **Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP).** You are required to make measurable progress toward a degree to remain eligible for financial aid, and your withdrawal will impact progress. Read our [Satisfactory Academic Progress \(SAP\) Policy](#).
- **Student loan deferment.** Upon withdrawal, the grace period will begin on your federal student loans and repayment will begin if you do not re-enroll in the minimum credit hours before the grace period concludes. Contact your loan servicer for information on C1.18901 (10/20/20) (p.26) 059 (en) 51 (78259) 2 (6756) (Bo) AMICIP158 (69) d0 (3)

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