ACADEMIC POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

An education from Towson University includes a broad liberal arts base and a strong knowledge of one or more major fields of study. To ensure that the Towson degree continues to have weight and meaning, and that it signifies student work meeting or exceeding a particular level of excellence, the university insists that certain standards and policies apply to all undergraduate students. These policies are published every year in this catalog, and any revisions are effective as of the date of the catalog’s publication (unless otherwise stated).

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- Academic Standards Committee (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/academic-standards)
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- Academic Terminology (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/definitions-terms)
- Address Update Requirement (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/address-update)
- Catalog Selection (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/catalog-selection)
- Changing a Schedule (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/changing-schedule)
- Choosing a Major (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/choosing-major)
- Class Attendance/Absence Policy (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/class-attendance-absence-policy)
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- Degree Requirements (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/degree-requirements)
- Enrollment and Registration (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/enrollment-registration)
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- Graduation with Honors (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/graduation-with-honors)
- Repeating Courses (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/repeating-courses)
- State/National/Military Exchange Programs (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/exchange-programs)
- Transcripts of Academic Records (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/transcripts-academic-records)
- Transferring Courses as a Current Student (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies/transferring-work-to-towson)
- Veterans Office (http://catalog.towson.edu/undergraduate/student-life-campus-services/veterans-office)