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	SUPERSESION:	
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## Grades

### Developmental/Remedial

I. POLICY:

Developmental/Remedial courses at ASC are graded on a Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory basis. These courses cannot be used to meet graduation requirements as per DHE and institutional policy but are used to determine financial aid status and athletic/academic eligibility as earned hours for freshmen since they are necessary pre-requisites for courses required for graduation.

II. PURPOSE:

The purpose of this policy is to define how developmental/remedial courses are graded and their role in regards to graduation requirements, financial aid status, and eligibility.

III. DEFINITIONS:

- A. Academic/Athletic Eligibility: The number of credit hours enrolled in by a student, required by the NCAA for a student athlete to compete in college athletics.
- B. DHE: Department on Higher Education. The Colorado state regulatory body for post-secondary education.
- C. Developmental/Remedial Courses: Courses designated by the numbers 09 that are intended to assist students in improving their skills in the core areas of reading, writing and mathematics to a level that will enable success at the college level. Currently at ASC these courses are ENG 090 College Preparatory Writing, READ 090 College Preparatory Reading, MATH 095 Basic Arithmetic Skills, MATH 097 Basic Algebra Skills, and MATH 099 Intermediate Algebra.
- D. Financial Aid Status: The student's eligibility for financial aid whether through loans, work-study, grants, scholarships, etc.
- E. Graduation Requirements: The required general education courses, courses within the major(s), minor(s) and electives which make up the minimum 120 hours required in order to confer a BA/Bs degree.
- F. Pre-requisites: Those courses or requirements that must be completed prior to enrolling in a course or program.

IV. PROCEDURES:

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- A. Students will complete any developmental coursework required with a grade of "Satisfactory".
- B. Developmental/remedial classes will count towards full-time student status for financial aid, and academic/athletic eligibility purposes.

V. RESPONSIBILITY:

- A. It is the responsibility of the instructor of developmental/remedial courses to use a "Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory grading scale, and to clearly state this in the course syllabus.
- B. It is the responsibility of the student to make sure they are enrolled in the appropriate class(es) and to meet all graduation requirements.

VI. AUTHORITY:

ASC General Catalog 2006-2007

VII. HISTORY

May 2, 2006  
April 14, 2010

VIII. ATTACHMENTS: