# What's New in Academic Persistence?



# WELCOME BACK!

Classes at Wayne State University have begun, and campus is alive with activity. It is now the third week of classes. You should be settling into your classes and have a good study routine. The progress report/midterm grade reporting period begins September 16 and continues through October 7. This allows instructors to inform students on their status in class.

What to do if you get a progress report:

- Make sure you read the email message. Progress reports share your instructors' concerns.
- Meet with your instructor during office hours.
- Check in with your advisor.
- Connect with your Academic Persistence Specialist.
- Utilize resources around campus.
- Take action to correct the situation rather than avoid it. It's always better to ask for assistance than go it alone.

Don't delay! Schedule your appointment today!

## LEARNING SUPPORT SERVICES:

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## **Upcoming Dates**

**ISSUE #1** 

September 9, 2024

Last day to drop classes with 100% tuition SEPTEMBER 9

Last day for late registration (late fee) SEPTEMBER 9

National Teddy Bear Day UGL Court/Flagpoles SEPTEMBER 9 @ 1:00 PM

Wayne State Night with the Detroit Tigers Comerica Park SEPTEMBER 11 @ 6:40PM

Wayne State Night with the Detroit Tigers Comerica Park SEPTEMBER 12 @ 1:10PM

Warrior Football vs. Findlay Tom Adams Field SEPTEMBER 14 @ 1:00 PM

Check out other events on DOSO's website:



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## Highlighting WSU Resources: Academic Persistence

The Academic Persistence program is an initiative launched in Fall 2023. The program is designed to provide support to students facing academic difficulties and roadblocks, focusing primarily on those navigating academic probation. Currently, our dedicated Academic Persistence Specialists are working to connect with students who find themselves in this situation. We will offer students a service entitled **Academic Rebound**.

As we know, rebounds can occur from short distances--such as a pre-nursing student who failed their first Biology exam, or from longer distances--like those navigating multiple semesters on academic probation. Students working with an Academic Persistence Specialist to complete a customized Academic Rebound plan can expect:

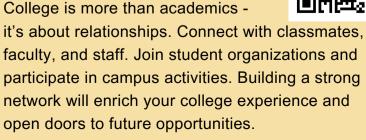
- Individualized support and academic success planning
- bi-weekly meetings
- referrals to campus resources
- collaboration with academic staff

### Meet the Academic Persistence Specialist



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Tip from the team member:





### Success Tip of the Week: Set goals for yourself each semester

Many students enter the semester without any clear goals in mind. Before the semester starts, write down a goal or two that you want to accomplish during that semester. This is your long-term goal. Each week, set a few short-term goals you will do over that week that will help you achieve your long-term goal. Re-evaluate and adjust your short-term goals each week.

Goals help you keep focus on what is important and needs to be accomplished.





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