



Academic Clemency Policy

Academic clemency is a one time, irrevocable recalculation of grade point average and credit hours toward graduation. This provision is made for undergraduate students who have gained maturity through extended experience outside higher education institutions.

1. A student must be separated from all academic institutions for at least five (5) years.
2. A student must file formal application sent to the Director of Admissions/Registrar

Upon approval by the Director of Admissions/Registrar, the student will be granted academic clemency. The student’s permanent record will remain a record of ALL work. The student will forfeit (only at Arkansas State University-Newport) the use of any college or university credit earned prior to the five years separation indicated above. The date of the clemency will coincide with the date of re-entry, following the prolonged separation and the permanent record will note that clemency was granted and the date clemency was granted. The record will also carry the notation, “Academic Clemency granted, ‘Date’”.

I, _____, hereby apply for clemency of all previous college/university and recognize that all Arkansas State University-Newport policies for entering freshman will apply to me.

Signature

Date

Office Use Only

Approved _____

Denied _____

Candace Gross, Registrar

Date

Reason for Denial: