



COMMON QUESTIONS

Just the facts

GPA ACADEMIC STANDING

Cummulative & term-by-term

CGPA resets on starting Year-three Engineering.
3.85+ CGPA full-time (min 12 credit hrs) = Sexton Distinction
3.7-3.84 CGPA = Distinction
2.0 CGPA = Good Standing
1.7-1.99 CGPA = Academic Probation*
below 1.7 CGPA = Academic Dismissal
*term GPA below 2.0 while on AP = Academic Dismissal
Fail any course twice = Academic Dismissal

ACADEMIC RESOURCES

Seek Advice Early

Stay on top of your work. Need help?
Understand course material @ professor
Extra one-on-one @ TA or tutor
Develop skills @ Melda Murray Student Centre
Accommodations @ Student Accessibility Centre
Rules & Regulations @ Associate Dean's Office
Create a plan @ Undergraduate Advisor
Health & Wellness @ Campus Life

STUDENT RESOURCES

Useful links for student life

Dal Student Life
<https://studentlife.dal.ca/>
Services & Resources - Campus Life
https://www.dal.ca/campus_life/orientation/New-student-success-guide.html
Together@dal new initiative
https://www.dal.ca/campus_life/get-involved/together-at-Dal.html

EXAMS

Supplemental & Deferred

SUPPLEMENTAL - only available for some classes (see course syllabus)
Grade of FM + not on AD = qualified to write ONE
Must apply, pay fee, write at scheduled time
DEFERRED - serious illness/exceptional circumstances
Student Absence Reporting Form
must be approved by Associate Dean's Office
scheduled at convenience of instructor
STUDENT ABSENCE REPORTS
<http://forms.engineering.dal.ca>

APPEALS & WAIVERS

Grades & Academic Regulations

Before appealing a GRADE it is recommended to ask the instructor to review the grading

- Request to View Examination Script within 30 days
- Request for Reassessment of Final Grade - Registrar

Waivers of Academic Regulations - consult ECED Undergraduate Advisor

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