ACADEMIC STANDARDS

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BOARD POLICY

ACADEMIC STANDARDS	Metropolitan Community College shall maintain high academic standards that promote student success, uphold the integrity of its credentials, and ensure the quality of its instructional programs.
PURPOSE	The purpose of this policy is to authorize the Chancellor to establish, implement, and manage regulations and procedures related to all aspects of academic standards as necessary to support academic integrity, student achievement, and instructional quality, in accordance with applicable federal and state laws, accreditation requirements, and educational best practices.
APPLICABILITY	This policy applies to all students and employees of Metropolitan Community College.
POLICY MODIFICATION	This policy may be modified or revoked at any time at the sole direction of MCC's Board of Trustees.
DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY	Within the framework of policies adopted by the Board, the Chancellor shall exercise discretionary authority in carrying out responsibilities of the position and shall formulate and promulgate regulations and procedures designated to implement Board policies.
VALUES ALIGNMENT	Integrity, Learning, and Excellence
REFERENCE	6.10500 DR Grade Change 6.10510 OP Grade Change 6.11000 DR Qualifications for Teaching Courses 6.11010 OP Qualifications for Teaching Courses 6.11500 DR Grading Standards 6.11510 OP Grading Standards

ADOPTION: February 19, 2026
REVISED: (Date(s) Board approved)
OFFICE OF RESPONSIBILITY: Chief Academic Officer