Freshman Forgiveness Policy

A first-semester freshman, for the purpose of the conversion of an earned F to the NC or R grade, is defined as a student who is:

A. A full-time student in his or her first semester at Queens College with fewer than 12 credits from any P/NC institution of higher learning. The only exception is for Fall semester entrants who attend the immediately preceding Summer Session. In this case only, an NC or R will cover all F grades submitted by an instructor both for that Summer Session and the immediately following Fall semester; or

B. A part-time student during that time in which his or her first 12 credits are attempted at Queens College, and who has fewer than 12 credits from any institution of higher learning.

All grades of F submitted by an instructor for first-semester students will be converted to NC or R. Grades of WU and WF remain on the student’s record. If a grade of INC is not resolved, it will convert to FAB, FIN, or FPN, respectively, and remain on the student’s record. Students should note that grades of P will not be applied to general college honors, which requires a student to complete at least 60 credits with letter grades (A, B, C, D, and F) at Queens College.