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The University of North Carolina at Charlotte

Date: March 10, 2014  
From: Joan F. Lorden, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs  
To: Students, Faculty and Staff  
Re: New UNC Charlotte Academic Policy: Withdrawals

**The UNC Charlotte academic policy for undergraduate students' withdrawal from courses is changing.**

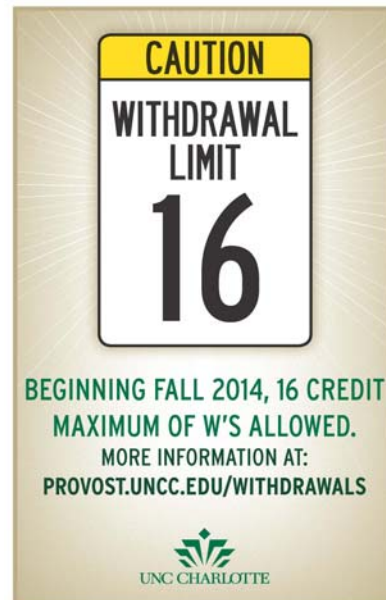
The new [UNC Charlotte Academic Policy: Withdrawals](#) is effective **beginning Fall Semester 2014** for all undergraduate students, including new first-year students, transfer students, and returning students. The goal of this cap on W's is to encourage student success by reducing the number of unsuccessful course attempts and the undesired consequences that such attempts can have on student debt and timely graduation.

The major changes that will be effective under this new policy are:

1. The number of W's a student is permitted is limited to 16 credits
2. The existing deadlines for withdrawal from individual courses and withdrawal from the University are consolidated to a single deadline during the 9<sup>th</sup> week of classes

The count of withdrawals will start with the Fall 2014 semester for all undergraduate students; withdrawals prior to Fall 2014 will not be included in the total.

For more information and how this change may affect you, please visit: <http://provost.uncc.edu/withdrawals>.



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