

**Office of the Registrar  
Proposed Catalog Changes  
Effective Summer 2020**

Existing Text:

**E-5-b. Replacing a Grade by Repeating a Course**

A student who has received a D or F in a course at UI may repeat the course at the UI provided credit has not been earned in a more advanced vertically related course in the same subject area. Although all grades remain on the record, the first repeat will replace the grade and credit earned initially in the course. The second and subsequent repeats of the same course will be averaged in the student's institutional GPA. See the College of Law section for the exception to this regulation applicable to students in that college.

Proposed Text:

**E-5-b. ~~Replacing a Grade by Repeating a Course~~ Repeating a Course for Grade and Grade Point Average Improvement**

An undergraduate student may repeat a course for grade and grade point average improvement. Although all grades remain on the record, the most recent grade received will be calculated within the student's grade point average and credit earned in the course. Courses taken at other institutions will not qualify for repeat status unless the student can provide the Registrar's Office written proof from the appropriate UI department that the courses involved were equivalent or the course has already been evaluated by the academic department as equivalent. Enrollment for a repeated course beyond the third attempt require permission by the student's college.

A graduate student may repeat a course in which a grade of 'C' or lower has been earned only upon specific recommendation by the student's advisory committee and with approval of the Dean of the College of Graduate Studies. All grades will remain on the student record. The grade earned in the repeated course will be used for grade point calculation. Enrollment will not be allowed for a third repeat attempt. Courses numbered 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 603, 604, and 698 may be repeated but not for grade replacement.

See the College of Law section for the exception to this regulation applicable to students in that college.