The COVID-19 pandemic has affected the operations of institutions of higher education and displaced students nationally. In response to these challenges, Tuskegee University is adopting a temporary policy on academic probation, suspension and dismissal. The Academic Regulations and Procedures for Undergraduates states "Decisions on academic probation, suspension and dismissal will be taken at the end of the academic year." The Graduate Handbook outlines policies on probation and dismissal for graduate students. These policies are temporarily suspended as follows:

- No student currently enrolled at Tuskegee University in the Spring 2020 term will be placed on academic probation, academic suspension or academic dismissal based on academic performance.
- Students currently on academic probation are expected to meet the terms of their academic probation to the best of their ability and will not be placed on academic suspension or dismissed based on Spring 2020 grades.
- Students currently on academic probation who meet the requirements to return to good standing, based on their academic performance by the end of the 2019-20 academic year, will be removed from academic probation. All other students currently on academic probation will remain on academic probation for the 2020-21 academic year.

Please note that this temporary policy does not supersede policies for professional programs and other areas with program-specific probation, suspension and/or dismissal procedures. Also, the university is awaiting guidance on flexibility in Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) calculations due to the current pandemic. Meanwhile, it should be noted that this temporary policy may allow a student to return while not eligible for Title IV funds (PELL GRANT, SEOG GRANT, FEDERAL WORK-STUDY, and FEDERAL STUDENT LOANS).