

ACADEMIC ALERT @ GMC – Starfish Flag Guide



This guide provides flag names and definitions available in Starfish. Any time a flag is raised, a Success Coach at your campus is notified.

MANUAL FLAGS	<i>These flags are manually raised by faculty/staff when a student meets one or more of the following criteria:</i>
Attendance Concern	Instructors can raise this flag to report an attendance concern. Online instructors should raise this flag when a student has not logged into the course for more than five days. <i>Student receives email from Instructor.</i>
Low Quiz Scores	Instructors can raise this flag to report a student that received a low score on a quiz.
Low Exam Scores	Instructors can raise this flag to report a student that received a low score on an exam.
Low Assignment Scores	Instructors can raise this flag to report a student that received a low score on a graded assignment.
Missing Graded Activities	Instructors can raise this flag to report a student that has failed to turn in graded work. <i>Student receives email from Instructor.</i>
Academic Dishonesty	Instructors can raise this flag to report a student that has cheated, plagiarized, or committed any other act of Academic Dishonesty. <i>Student receives email from Instructor.</i>
In Danger of Being Dropped	Online Instructors should raise this flag when a student does not submit any graded work for seven straight days. <i>Student receives email from Instructor.</i>
In Danger of Failing	Instructors can raise this flag to report a student that may be in danger of failing a course. <i>Student receives an email from Instructor.</i>
General Concern	Instructors, Advisors, and Success Coaches can raise this flag to report any academic-related issue that does not have a specific flag. <i>Comments are required.</i>
Behavioral Concern	Instructors, Advisors, and Success Coaches can raise this flag to report when a student’s behavioral, mental, or physical health is concerning. <i>Comments are required.</i>
AUTOMATIC FLAGS	<i>These flags are automatically raised based on student attributes in the SIS (student information system):</i>
Not Registered for Next Term	Identifies students who are eligible to enroll for the next academic term but have yet to register.
Dual Enrollment	Identifies students who are high school students taking classes for college credit.
First-Time Full-Time Freshman	Identifies students who are attempting their first full-time course term.
Active Military with GPA < 2.0	Identifies students who are active military with a GPA less than 2.0
Veteran with GPA < 2.0	Identifies students who are Veterans with a GPA less than 2.0
LSS Classes	Identifies students attending Learning Support courses.
SAP Warning	Identifies students attempting to restore Satisfactory Academic Progress for financial aid this term.
SAP Suspension	Identifies students returning from Satisfactory Academic Progress suspension this term.
Warning Academic Status	Identifies students attempting to restore Satisfactory Academic Progress this term.
Probation Academic Status	Identifies students who did not maintain the minimum cumulative GPA in accordance with the GMC catalog.
Suspension Academic Status	Identifies students returning from Academic Suspension that must pass 10 QHs with a 2.0 GPA this term.

For questions and additional information, please contact the [Center for Teaching and Learning](#).