



Duke Ellington School of the Arts Academic Probation Contract

Academic Probation is clearly defined in the Ellington Community Handbook as earning a GPA below a 2.0 during any given advisory period. Once a student is placed on academic probation, they remain on probation until the next advisory period, provided their GPA is a 2.0 or higher. **The purpose of this contract is to provide students in need with additional structure so that they may improve their academic standing.**

Students on Academic Probation will avail themselves of the following support:

- After School Tutoring / Saturday Tutoring
- Assistance from individual teachers / Mentor Support
- Weekly Progress Reports
- In class tutorial services

Parents should expect the following support mechanisms from DESA:

- A required meeting to outline probationary status
- Weekly progress reports
- A letter indicating whether probation will be lifted or continued, and of any other intervention strategies

Parents must make direct phone contact with the Dean of Students designee twice during the probationary advisory.

Students on academic probation will be excluded from extra-curricular activities and non-essential field trips. Participation in extra-curricular activities will be restored upon successful completion of 4 weekly progress reports.

Student Signature

Parent Signature

Administrator

Date