Academic Contract

It is important for you to review and reflect on your final grades each semester. You can view your grades by going to http://buckeyelink.osu.edu, clicking on My Student Center, and choosing the GRADES link.

Being in good academic standing (above a 2.0 cumulative GPA) is critical, not only to earn a degree at OSU, but also to maintain your financial aid eligibility. Current financial aid policy requires students have higher than a 2.0 cumulative GPA, and pass 67% of the classes they attempt.

If you have below a 2.0 GPA, that is an indicator that your current academic strategies are not working and that you need to modify them.

Please list personal situations and/or behaviors that led to your GPA troubles:

1. ___________________________________________________________
2. ___________________________________________________________
3. ___________________________________________________________

What behaviors should you change to improve your GPA? Please make the changes specific. Examples could be: “Use a planner to write down all assignment due dates and exams so I am aware of what I need to accomplish each week.” Or, “Reduce my credits to 12 or less to help balance my work and life responsibilities.” Please write your own behavior goals:

1. ___________________________________________________________
2. ___________________________________________________________
3. ___________________________________________________________

Please check the OSU Mansfield resources you plan to utilize to help you (check all that apply)

☐ Advising ☐ Disability Specialist Michelle McLane
☐ Financial Aid ☐ EDU PAES 2270.03 Study Skills Class
☐ Math Lab ☐ Faculty Office Hours
☐ Writing Center ☐ Other ________________________________
☐ Student Assistance Program ☐ Other ________________________________

Please meet with your advisor to discuss appropriate classes for next term. What classes are you considering?

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I am aware that once on academic probation I could be dismissed from OSU if I do not get a semester GPA of at least 2.20. I will remain on academic difficulty (warning or probation) until my cumulative GPA reaches a 2.0. I understand that a 2.0 GPA does not mean I am eligible for the major I want.

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Signature                                               Cell Phone Number                              Date