

**Academic Standards**  
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**Assignment #1**

The group discussed the revisions that Dr Altieri made to assignment one.

There was discussion about the waivers.

#1 -- The phrase "Regionally accredited higher education institutions was problematic."

Examples: Pensacola Christian College, Kaplan University

This would impact the testing center if the students were required to take the CLEP tests.

#2 -- Transient forms were discussed by Jennifer, and this waiver seemed ok to the group

#3 -- Students, not pursuing a degree, taking courses without pre-requisites are exempt.

#4 -- This was a problem with Jennifer. Students try to switch from audit to credit. DELETE THIS

#5 -- Vice President of Academic Affairs should be replaced with instructor or division chair. This is the current practice.

Dr. Oleks will email the President with our revisions for his feedback.

The committee also discussed the possibility of coding student failures because of failing to withdraw differently from the standard "F". Jennifer will check other community colleges to ascertain their policies. Melinda will check with faculty to determine the number of students involved and faculty reaction to a different coding system. More discussion will follow.