

KEY CHANGES TO REGULATIONS AND POLICIES FOR 2023/24

This document is to advise returning students of new and revised student and academic regulations, policies and procedures for 2023/24.

Regulations and policies apply to all undergraduate, Integrated Masters and taught postgraduate programmes offered by the University, except where there are specific exemptions, e.g. to meet Professional, Statutory or Regulatory Body (PSRB) requirements. Approved exemptions are published in the [Exemptions from Standard Assessment Regulations](#).

[Academic Conduct Regulation](#)

What's changed?

The Academic Conduct Regulation includes a Student Code of Academic Conduct which has been strengthened. It focuses on academic integrity and the need for students to submit their own work.

The definitions of academic misconduct have been enhanced and broadened to include trading of work, writing for others, and the use of paraphrasing software. The use of artificial intelligence tools will be deemed misconduct where the original author/source of the work is not correctly attributed.

Do I need to do anything?

You need to be aware of this change.

[Extensions and Exceptional Circumstances Policy and Procedure](#)

What's changed?

All students are now entitled to four automatic extensions per academic year without providing any documentary evidence. If more than four extensions are needed, evidence will need to be provided.

Terminology changes Request to Extend a Submission Deadline (RESD) is now called an Extension and Request to Repeat an Assessment Attempt (RRAA) is now called Exceptional Circumstances.

Do I need to do anything?

You need to be aware of this change.

Student Engagement Policy

What's changed?

Policy title changed to reflect the full picture of engagement.

Monitoring engagement has been updated and now includes that student profiles are reviewed at Departmental Assessment Boards.

The Withdrawal for non-engagement section has been updated to include information about withdrawal after the Semester 1 Departmental Assessment Board.

Do I need to do anything?

You need to be aware of this change.

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