

Today's Agenda

▶ Your Honors Facilitator presents:

The Honors Program

- Requirements
- Maintaining “**Good Standing**”



“Navigating the Honors Program”

- Canvas Quiz
- Opens Week 13: Monday, November 13
- Closes on Monday, November 27

Honors Program Good Standing



- ▶ Grade Point Average
 - 3.3 cumulative Grade Point Average
- ▶ Participation
 - 1 Honors Learning Experience (HLE) each semester

Honors Program Grade Point Average

- ▶ 3.3 cumulative Grade Point Average = **Good Standing**
- ▶ 3.0 – 3.29 cumulative GPA = **Probation**
- ▶ < 3.0 cumulative GPA = **Ineligible to continue** in Honors
 - Appeal process is available

Honors Program Grade Point Average

- ▶ 3.0 – 3.29 cumulative GPA = **Probation**
 - Up to two Probation Semesters
 - Earn a 3.3 **semester** GPA to earn a 2nd probation semester
 - If given a 2nd probation semester, cumulative GPA must be back to 3.3 by the end.

Honors Program GPA Scenario 1

- ▶ Reggie Redbird is in the Honors Program.
Reggie earned a 2.9 semester GPA in the fall.
The cumulative GPA is 3.44.
- ▶ What happens to Reggie?
- ▶ **Nothing.**
All good!
The cumulative is still above 3.3.

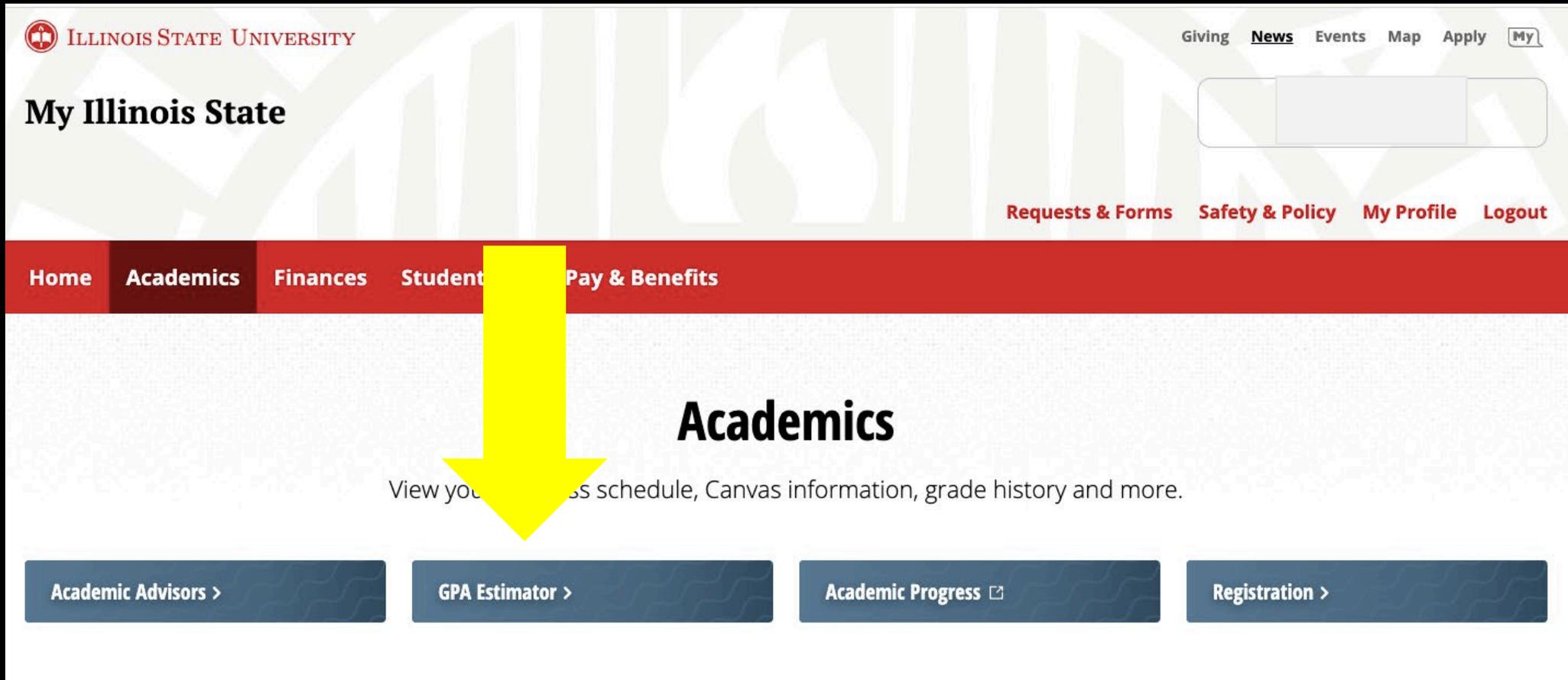
Honors Program GPA Scenario 2

- ▶ Bruce the Goose is in the Honors Program and earns a 2.9 fall semester GPA.
Bruce's cumulative GPA is 3.15.
- ▶ What happens to Bruce?
- ▶ **“Honors Probation” for the spring semester.**

Honors Program GPA Scenario 3

- ▶ It's the spring and Bruce is on Honors Probation. Bruce's spring semester GPA is 3.40, which brings the cumulative GPA to 3.24.
- ▶ What happens to Bruce?
- ▶ **2nd probation semester in the fall.**
- ▶ **Must end the 2nd probation semester with a minimum 3.3 cumulative GPA to continue in the Honors Program.**

GPA Estimator in My Illinois State



The screenshot displays the 'My Illinois State' portal. At the top left is the Illinois State University logo and name. To the right are links for 'Giving', 'News', 'Events', 'Map', 'Apply', and a 'My' dropdown menu. Below these is a search bar. A secondary navigation bar contains 'Requests & Forms', 'Safety & Policy', 'My Profile', and 'Logout'. A primary red navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Academics', 'Finances', 'Student', and 'Pay & Benefits'. The 'Academics' section is active, showing the heading 'Academics' and a sub-heading 'View your class schedule, Canvas information, grade history and more.' Below this are four blue buttons: 'Academic Advisors >', 'GPA Estimator >', 'Academic Progress ↗', and 'Registration >'. A large yellow arrow points from the 'Academics' navigation bar down to the 'GPA Estimator >' button.

GPA Estimator in My Illinois State

Fall Semester 2023

Cumulative GPA:

4.00 prior to courses in progress

Course	Hours	Grade
Advanced Practicum: Speech-Language Pathology CSD 408A50	3	A
Language for Learning and Literacy CSD 406	3	A
Assessment and Management of Voice and Resonance Disorders CSD 413	3	A
Assessment and Treatment of Stuttering CSD 418	3	A

Projected Semester GPA:

4.00

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4.00

Honors Program Participation

- ▶ 1 Honors Learning Experience (HLE) each semester
- ▶ Not required during the following experiences:
 - Study abroad for full semester
 - Student Teaching
 - Fall semester of PDS
 - Field based semester for Special Education
 - Full time (12 **credit** hours) internship
 - Final 2 semesters for Medical Lab Science majors

Honors Program Participation: Banking an HLE

- ▶ “Banking” an Honors Learning Experience (HLE)
- ▶ Multiple HLE in a semester:
“Bank” 1 for a future semester
- ▶ Only 1 HLE in the “bank”
at a time



Honors Program Suspension

- ▶ Did not complete an Honors Learning Experience and there is no HLE in the “bank”
- ▶ Honors Suspension for the following semester:
 - “Regular” registration time ☹
 - Must complete *one* Honors Learning Experience while on Honors Suspension; don’t have to make up the missed HLE
 - Only one semester of Honors Suspension

Honors Program Participation: Summer

- ▶ Honors Participation is not required in the summer
- ▶ If you complete a summer HLE...
 - It will be “banked” if your bank is empty, OR
 - It will be applied to the following fall semester



Honors Program Participation: Summer



Summer registration is scheduled to open on February 19

Summer 2024 Honors Section: HSC 206: Global Health

- General Education: Science Mathematics and Technology
- Graduation Requirement: AMALI
- Asynchronous online; May 20 – June 28

Honors Program Probation vs. Suspension

Probation

- ▶ **P**robation is related to Grade **P**oint Average.
- ▶ Probation can happen multiple times if GPA fluctuates.
- ▶ Early registration.

Suspension

- ▶ Suspension is related to Honors Learning Experiences.
- ▶ Suspension can only happen once.
- ▶ “Regular” registration.

Honors Program Requirements Review

- ▶ What are the two main requirements for **Good Standing**?
 - ✓ **3.3 cumulative GPA; 1 HLE each semester**
- ▶ What is it called when your **GPA** is not quite high enough?
 - ✓ **Honors Probation**
- ▶ What is the penalty for not completing an Honors Learning Experience?
 - ✓ **Honors Suspension; lose the privilege of early registration**

