

## **ACADEMIC AMNESTY POLICY**

Students returning to Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania after a minimum two-year interruption in matriculation may request that previously earned quality points not be calculated in the student's quality-point average after readmission. In other words, the student's cumulative grade point average starts over. However, the student's past courses and grades remain on the transcript. If a student does not attend for three semesters, returns during the fourth semester, and withdraws that semester, that semester will be defined as a semester of enrollment and may not be used toward the two-year interruption.

In addition, readmitted students must meet the University's requirements as well as the individual departmental and certification requirements that are in place the year in which they return. Credit for courses already taken may be accepted toward graduation. At the discretion of individual departments, students may be required to repeat those courses in which significant changes in content has occurred.

Students may request Academic Amnesty only one time.

Specific questions concerning these options should be addressed to the Registrar's Office.

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