



As an international student, I must follow the laws established by the United States Department of Homeland Security, as well as those established by Savannah Technical College, in regard to my visa status. I understand that if I do not act according to the following statements, then my visa status will end.

While I am studying with an F1 visa:

1. I will enroll as a full-time student, which means that I will take at least 12 credits each semester. I will not stop going to school or withdraw from any classes without the approval of my international student advisor.
2. I will attend classes during the fall semester and spring semester. I understand that I may take a break during the summer semester, if I choose.
3. I will take no more than one on-line class each semester. If I wish to take more than one on-line class, I will request permission from the international student advisor.
4. I will show progress in my studies by maintaining a grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0, which is an average grade of C.
5. I will tell my international student advisor when:
 - a. I change my address, within 10 days.
 - b. I plan to transfer to a new school.
 - c. I plan to travel outside of the United States.
 - d. I plan to go home and not return to school.
 - e. I enter the last semester of my academic program.
6. I will **not** work off-campus, unless I am participating in the Optional Practical Training program.
7. I will **not** commit a crime.
8. I will make sure that my passport and I-20 are up-to-date and accurate at all times. If I receive a new passport, I-94, or visa, I will tell my international student advisor.
9. I will provide new financial documents and a new sponsor form to my international student advisor when I move from ESL to my associate degree program, or when I need to extend my I-20.

By signing below, I am showing that I understand these responsibilities and that I agree to fulfill them.

Print name

Signature

Date

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Violation counseling:

I am being counseled because I violated Responsibility #____. I have taken action to correct the problem and I commit myself to upholding all of my responsibilities as an international student.

Student signature

Date

International Advisor signature

Date