Course Drops
Effective for courses taken Summer 2013, or later, undergraduate students will be allowed a maximum of 6 credit hours or 50% of total semester enrollment, whichever is greater, of dropped courses during any given semester (3 hour limit in Summer) with a maximum of 12 credit hours of dropped courses over 60 hours of enrollment. Exceptions to this policy must be approved in writing by the Office of the Provost and Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs. For the purpose of this policy, a dropped course is defined as any course dropped after the official date for receiving a full refund. This policy does not affect courses dropped as part of a full withdrawal for a term, nor do such courses count toward the maximums allowed.

Repeat Policy
Effective for courses taken Summer 2013, or later, an undergraduate student may, for the purpose of raising a grade, enroll in a course for credit no more than two times (two total enrollments) unless otherwise noted in the course description. For students receiving a letter grade of A, B, C, D, or F, the course repetition must occur at Southern Illinois University Carbondale. Only the most recent (last) grade will be calculated in the overall GPA and count toward hours earned. Students seeking to repeat a course a second time (third enrollment) must obtain permission from the Office of the Provost to allow the student to register in the course. This policy will be applied to all transferrable credit in that only the last grade will be used to calculate grade point average. Only those courses taken at the same institution are considered repeats under this policy.

Students have TWO (2) WEEKS after the end of each term to challenge grades if they believe an error has been made. ALWAYS check your grades immediately after the term ends.

Receive valuable information about new policies and much more via the Science Advisement LISTSERV. Send an email to: listserv@siu.edu. The subject line can be ignored. The text of the note should contain the following listserv command: SUB SCIENCE-NEWS-L firstname lastname

Important Fall Dates
Friday, Sept 12  Graduation applications due for December graduation. Apply on Saluki Net – My Records.
Oct 13-14  Fall Break
Sunday, Oct 26  LAST DAY TO DROP A FULL SEMESTER COURSE FOR ANY REASON - with a “W” grade.
Oct 28-31  Registration for Spring 2015 classes begins: 28th seniors, 29th juniors, 30th sophomores, 31st freshmen. Times: H through O begin at 7:30, P through Z begin at 10:45, and A through G begin at 1:45.

Tuesday, Nov 11  Veteran’s Day Holiday
Nov 26-28  Thanksgiving Vacation
Dec 8-12  Final Examinations
Saturday, Dec 13  Commencement

WALK IN HOURS
Mon  11:00-12:00  McPherson              Thur  9:00-10:00  Doellman
     2:00-3:00  Doellman                  1:30-2:30  McPherson
Tues 10:00-11:00  Doellman               Fri  9:15-10:15  Doellman
     2:00-3:00  McPherson                  3:00-4:00  McPherson
Wed  9:45-10:45  Doellman
     1:00-2:00  McPherson

Health Professions Advisement  -  Walk-In hours for continuing students are on Tuesday 8:30-11:30, Wednesday 2:30-4:00, and Thursday 1:00-4:00. New pre-health professions student must make an appointment.