



Nontraditional Readmission Student Form

I. What is the policy on Nontraditional Readmission?

You may find the University's policy on nontraditional readmission in the *Undergraduate Bulletin*.

The University's policy for traditional readmission as an undergraduate requires that former University students fulfill certain minimum requirements. These requirements include a specified cumulative grade point average and number of academic hours passed based on their total number of semesters in residence.

Although the traditional policy for readmission is the norm, the University recognizes that individuals can gain personal and intellectual maturity over a period of years. In such cases, the University may choose to evaluate applicants for readmission on the basis of their current academic promise rather than their earlier academic performance.

Under this policy, the University will review applicants who have not been enrolled full time in a formal educational program for at least five years and who by their special life experiences might be considered nontraditional applicants.

II. Am I a good candidate for nontraditional readmission?

- Nontraditional readmission is reserved for students whose cumulative grade point average is very low compared with readmission standards, making it difficult for them to restore their academic eligibility to "Eligible-In Good Standing" through enrollment in summer term or Carolina Courses Online coursework.
- You should consider carefully whether nontraditional readmission will benefit you. When nontraditional readmission is granted, the student's grade-point average will be set to calculate anew. Although prior grades will remain on the transcript, they will not affect cumulative grade-point average. Students granted nontraditional readmission will retain credit hours for all UNC-Chapel Hill coursework completed with the grade of C or better (not C-). Courses passed with grades of D, D+ or C- will be considered to fulfill requirements, but with zero hours credited.

III. How do I submit an appeal for Nontraditional Readmission?

You should prepare a statement addressing your readiness to return to UNC-Chapel Hill as a full-time or part-time student. This should include:

- An explanation of the problems you faced in prior years and how you have addressed these issues

- Identification of specific maturing life experiences that indicate your readiness to resume classroom study at UNC-Chapel Hill
- Identification of a realistic intended field of study
- Evidence of recent successful part-time classwork, e.g., Carolina Courses Online, Summer Term enrollment, or community college coursework

Submit your statement, this form, and any and all relevant documentary support to Ann Oldham in 1010 Steele Building.

IV. What is the review process?

The Associate Dean for the Academic Advising Program will review your request and notify you by email of the decision. If your appeal is approved, all appropriate paperwork will be submitted to the Office of the University Registrar.

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Submission Information and Agreements

If you wish to be considered for nontraditional readmission, please submit this form, your statement, and any other relevant information to Ann Oldham in 1010 Steele Building.

Student Information

Last Name _____ First Name _____

PID _____ Classification (circle one): FY SO JR SR

Phone _____ UNC-Chapel Hill Email _____

If you no longer have a UNC-CH email, provide a secure email address: _____

I wish to be readmitted for the following term: _____

Agreements

Please read and initial next to each of the following statements:

_____ I have not been enrolled as a full-time student at any college or university for at least five calendar years.

Signature _____ Date _____