

Student Government Association

Resolution 31-31

A Resolution Regarding the Institution of a First-Year Grade Forgiveness Policy

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WHEREAS, first-year students in college are not always prepared for the rigor and often do not have the appropriate skills necessary to succeed in college due to differences in the backgrounds and the variation of students' lives prior to attending the University of Georgia; and,

WHEREAS, students at the University of Georgia should be motivated to finish classes that they sign up for as opposed to withdrawing because it is their only option; and,

WHEREAS, the University of Georgia is a Land Grant Institution which means it must comply with current state funding regulations; and,

WHEREAS, this policy is written entirely within the confines of the Zell Miller and HOPE Scholarship meaning it does not intrude upon the ability of students to seek financial aid for any class they may take at the University of Georgia.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, The Student Government Association is in favor of a Grade Forgiveness Policy and looks forward to working with the Administration to discuss the detail of the proposal.

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