

**6Hx19-6.18 CLASS ATTENDANCE AND “NO SHOW”
PLACEHOLDER GRADES**

The purpose of this Board Rule is to establish Board policy regarding class attendance and “No Show” placeholder grades.

Class attendance is restricted to students registered for the course and guests invited by the instructor. Children and other persons not registered for a course will not be permitted to attend class.

All students are expected to attend all classes unless illness or other emergencies arise. The effect of absence upon an individual's grade is determined by the instructor; however, faculty are required to take attendance and to submit attendance verifications according to the College's established deadlines. Students who fail to attend classes for two consecutive weeks will be reported by their faculty with a “No Show” grade. The “NS” placeholder grade will become a grade of “W” if the student does not gain reinstatement to the course or withdraw from the course by the established deadline.

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Legal Authority:

General Authority: Florida Statutes 1001.64; 1001.65

Other References: Florida Administrative Code: 6A-14.0301

Law Implemented: Florida Statutes 1001.64(1)(2)(4)(8)(44); 1001.65(1)(16)(24)

Proposer: Timothy L. Beard, President

■President's Cabinet Approval – Non-Substantive/Editorial