

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP APPEAL FORM 2017-2018 Academic Year

Any incomplete appeals lacking supporting documentation will not be considered for review and will be denied. The result of your appeal will be emailed to your FIU email address within 10 business days of the receipt of this appeal. If you are not enrolled in Summer term, **ALL APPEALS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY May 26, 2017.** Students appealing *after* Summer term completion must submit their appeal by **August 18, 2017.**

To submit your appeal e-mail this form along with supporting documentation to scholarships@fiu.edu. Appeals may also be dropped off in person in PC 138.

Student Information:

Name: _____ Panther ID: _____

Section 1: Student acknowledgment (Please initial by each item to confirm that you have read the policy):

- _____ I certify that I have read and understood the scholarship's academic requirements.
- _____ I understand that submission of this appeal does not guarantee reinstatement of aid eligibility.
- _____ I understand I must provide a written letter explaining the circumstances which caused me to fail the scholarship's academic progress requirements, as well as supporting documentation corroborating my statement for every semester in which my academic progress is being questioned. Failure to provide a valid, justifiable reason and documentation supporting my appeal will result in my request being denied.

Section 2: I am appealing (Check all that apply):

- _____ **Annual Credit Hour Deficiency:** I have failed to earn a minimum of 30 credits between the Fall 2016, Spring 2017 and Summer 2017 semesters. I have attached a statement and supporting documentation explaining the reason why I failed to earn the required number of credits for all semesters in question.
- _____ **Semester Credit Hour Deficiency:** I am currently not enrolled for the required 12 credits and have attached a statement and supporting documentation explaining the reason why I am not able to meet this requirement and why my scholarship should still be disbursed to me.
- _____ **Academic Standing (GPA):** I have failed to maintain the minimum required 3.0 GPA. I have attached a statement and supporting documentation for every semester in which my GPA was below the minimum.

Student Certification:

Signature: _____ Date: _____