

MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 13, 2025

TO: Thomas D. Williams 
Interim President

THROUGH: Alan Sams, PhD (Please see signature on attached)
Executive Vice President and Provost

FROM: Kristen Harrell, Ph.D.
Chair, Rules and Regulations Committee

SUBJECT: Proposed Revisions to the Texas A&M Student Rule

Attached please find proposed revisions to the Texas A&M University Student Rules as approved by the Rules and Regulations Committee on August 29, 2025

Proposal

Rule 1.5.1. Student Registration

Various portions of Student Rule 1.5.1. Student Registration are being revised to account for certificate programs.

Rule 10.5.6. Grading

The State changed the DNP in Nursing from a graduate to a professional practice degree, and Nursing is updating the relevant rules pertaining to Student Rule 10.5.6.

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DATE: September 2, 2025

TO: General (Ret.) Mark A. Welsh III
President, Texas A&M University

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PROPOSAL

Rule 1.5.1. Student Registration

JUSTIFICATION

The current rule only covers degree programs. This change is being submitted to also account for certificate programs.

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1.5.1. Student Registration

1.5.1.A student is expected to register for a schedule of courses that follows the program of study for a ~~degree in their college~~ degree and/or certificate program they are enrolled in in which they are enrolled. A student who elects not to follow the program of study must obtain approval from their academic advisor, department head or college Dean or designee, and the Dean or designee of the college offering the courses. A student who fails to obtain approval may be, by their Dean or designee, held from registration, removed from the inappropriate course(s) and/or required to register for a prescribed schedule of courses.