University of Windsor
Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Senate Academic Policy.

Voluntary Withdrawal

Student must withdraw from a course or courses within the withdrawal periods. The withdrawal will be entered on the student's transcript as VW (Voluntary Withdrawal), which is defined as "Withdrawal in good standing. No academic credit".

Withdrawal Period

12-week course	Within nine weeks of beginning of the term (Not including Reading Week).
24-week course	Within four weeks of beginning of the second term.
3-week course	Within two weeks of beginning of session.
6-week course	Within four weeks of beginning of session.
8-week course	Within five weeks of beginning of session.
For all other course lengths	Two-third into the beginning of the session.

Students are not permitted to withdraw from a course or courses after the appropriate designated withdrawal period. After the voluntary withdrawal period for a course, students remain registered and will be assigned grades as appropriate.

The student who wishes to drop a course or courses after the relevant withdrawal period based on medical or compassionate grounds will have to make their request to the Associate Dean, Academic and Student Success.