Starfish Tracking Items

With your feedback, the Division of Student Success has made some important updates to the Starfish EARLY ALERT system.

Starfish Flags: Academic

Raise this flag:

Class Attendance Concern

when a student has not been attending class regularly, is tardy frequently, or is not meeting expectations for class attendance.

Low Average/At Risk of Failing

when a student is at-risk of failing or has a low average in your course.

Missing/Late Assignments

when a student’s missing and/or late assignments jeopardize success in your course.

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# Starfish Flags: Behavioral

## Raise this flag:

**Academic Integrity Concern**  
If a student has potentially violated UNCG’s Academic Integrity Policy. This includes cheating, plagiarism, misuse of academic resources, falsification, or facilitating academic dishonesty.

**Disruptive Behavior Concern**  
If a student exhibits uncivil and/or aggressive behavior toward faculty and/or peers.

**Personal Concern: Financial Hardship**  
If a student in your course disclosed to you that they are facing financial hardship that is impacting their personal and/or academic wellbeing.

**Personal Concern: Food/Housing Insecurity**  
If a student in your course disclosed to you that they are experiencing housing and/or food insecurities that are impacting their personal and/or academic wellbeing.

**Personal Concern: Mental Health/Wellbeing**  
If there is concern for a student’s psychological or emotional condition that is impeding their personal and/or academic wellbeing.

**Personal Concern: General**  
If a student has disclosed that they are experiencing an extenuating hardship that is impacting their personal and academic success that are not reflected in the other flag options.

**Retention Concern**  
If a student has stated plans to withdraw or transfer or is otherwise unlikely to return to UNCG in the current or upcoming semester.

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Starfish Kudos

Raise kudos:

Outstanding Academic Performance
for students who have demonstrated excellent measurable performance on assessments, homework, and other academic requirements.

Showing Improvement
for students who have shown improvement in your course as evidenced by increase in attendance, test/homework score, improved coursework, etc.

You’re Off to a Great Start!
for students who have demonstrated consistent academic success prior to the midpoint of the term to encourage them to finish the semester strong.

Starfish Referrals

Tutoring (AAC)
Academic Skills (AAC)
Writing Center
Math Help Center
International Programs Center (IPC)
Speaking Center
Students First Office
Career & Professional Development

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