



## Finish in 4: Student Participation Agreement

The Finish in 4 Program ensures that students who agree to and follow the program's provisions will graduate with their bachelor's degree from Illinois College in four years. If Illinois College does not fulfill its part of the agreement, then the cost of the remaining required courses at Illinois College (up to a full-time semester of credits) will be paid by the College. I understand that I am responsible for following all of the prescribed actions set forth herein to ensure that I remain eligible for the Finish in 4 Program.



### I voluntarily choose to participate in this program by:

- :: Signing and submitting this form prior to the first day of classes.
- :: Providing a current parent/guardian email address (if applicable) and authorizing the College to communicate with that parent/guardian about my academic progress; thereby specifically waiving any rights to privacy protection under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) with regard to information disclosed to the identified parent/guardian.
- :: In addition to the requirements articulated here, Illinois College expects all students to be fully engaged in their education by utilizing resources and support services, such as tutoring and academic and career coaching, which will enhance the student experience and increase their likelihood for success.

### I understand I must make satisfactory progress toward graduation by:

- :: Maintaining continuous full-time enrollment for eight consecutive semesters directly after graduating from high school.
- :: Successfully completing an average of 15 credit hours each semester and earning a C or better in every course.
- :: Earning at least junior standing of 57 credit hours at the end of four semesters and senior standing of 88 credit hours by the end of the sixth semester.
- :: Attending an average of 10 convocations during each of my first three academic years so that I complete all 30 convocations before I reach senior standing of 88 credit hours.
- :: Declaring a major prior to completing 45 credit hours and no later than the start of the fourth semester.
- :: Maintaining a valid four-year Graduation Plan. Preferred classes may not be available during the desired semester; however, the required course or an appropriate substitution will be made available within the four years of continuous enrollment.
- :: Accepting a seat in any open course section that fits in my academic course schedule and satisfies a requirement for my Graduation Plan.
- :: Notifying the Registrar, in writing, prior to the end of registration in any given semester if it appears that graduation may be delayed by the lack of availability of any course in the upcoming semester.

I will comply with all Illinois College policies, procedures and deadlines by: