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7.1 Policy Appeals

Graduate students seeking exceptions from established Graduate School
academic policies such as admission, retention, or graduation requirements
may do so by submitting an appeal packet to The Graduate School for
review.

The appeal packet must include all of the following before submission:

• A letter from the graduate student stating the policy or decision that
  is being appealed and the reasons you believe the decision should be
  changed or policy be waived.
• A letter from graduate student’s committee chair stating either approval
  or disapproval of the appeal and reasons to support their decision.
• A letter from graduate student’s department head stating either
  approval or disapproval of the appeal and reasons to support their
  decision.

Appeal approval or denial will be made by The Graduate School
Dean. Packets can be submitted to Graduate Student Success office.
(degreesandcertificates@montana.edu%20?subject=)

For academic suspension appeals, see Re-admission to Graduate Degree
Standing (http://catalog.montana.edu/graduate/policies-text-enrollment-
registration-residency/#readmission).

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