

# EXCEPTION TO THE ACADEMIC LOAD POLICY

*(Request for undergraduate students)*

**POLICY:** No undergraduate students are permitted to be enrolled in more than 21 credit hours **without an exception granted by the Dean/Dean Designee**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Semester hours enrolled: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Semester/year which exception is being requested: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(e.g., Fall 2026)*

If an exception is granted, the total number of hours for this semester: \_\_\_\_\_

Course information for the request:

Course: \_\_\_\_\_ Section Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Credit(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
*(e.g., ENG 101) (e.g., 22450830) (e.g., 3)*

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What is your rationale for this exception?

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Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dean/Designee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(College of Major)* **(REQUIRED)**

Dean/Designee Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return the completed form to:**

Registrar's Office  
Warriner Hall 212  
Email: [records@cmich.edu](mailto:records@cmich.edu) Phone: (989) 774-3261