

Current Catalog Language

Determining Full and Part Time Enrollment

Graduate Students

Full-time enrollment for graduate students is 6 hours.

4.50-5.99 hours is 3/4 time

3.00-4.49 hours is 1/2 time

.50-2.99 hours is 1/4 time

Round down to nearest cutoff.

- Graduate students enrolled in the last semester necessary for graduation may be considered full time if their enrollment is less than 6 hours except for purposes of federal financial aid.

Proposed Catalog Language

Determining Full and Part Time Enrollment

Graduate Students and Burnett School of Medicine Students

Full-time enrollment for graduate students is 6 hours.

4.50-5.99 hours is 3/4 time

3.00-4.49 hours is 1/2 time

.50-2.99 hours is 1/4 time

Round down to the nearest cutoff.

- Full-time enrollment requirements for on-campus purposes will be waived for students enrolled in their graduating semester or enrolled in a thesis, dissertation, or DMA document course. This enrollment status will also apply to areas such as financial aid, external agencies, and enrollment reporting. For all other situations, students must be enrolled in full-time hours to be considered full-time status.
- International Students on the F1/J-1 visa with less than full-time enrollment in their graduating semester must have an approved Final Term Reduced Course Load from the International Services Office. This request is not required if enrolled in a thesis, dissertation, or DMA document course.

Graduate students enrolled in a Thesis, Dissertation, or DMA Document course

One or more credit hours of thesis, dissertation, or DMA document courses are considered full-time enrollment for graduate students.