

Academic Load

The University defines enrollment and course load expectations as noted below.

Daytona Beach and Prescott

Full-Time Status

- While the minimum full-time load is 6 credits, the normal maximum graduate load for residential campus students is 9 credit hours during the fall and spring semesters; 6 credits during summer.
- Students may register for an overload for a maximum of 12 credit hours in one semester only after approval from the Vice Provost for Academic Affairs.

Fall, Spring and Summer Semesters

Full-time	6 credits
Three-quarter time	4-5 credits
Half-time	3 credits
Less than half-time	2 credits or less

Tuition Implications for Master's Students

- Residential campus students registered for at least 9 and maximum of 12 credit hours in fall or spring semester are eligible for block tuition.
- Fall and Spring block tuition eligibility is recalculated at the end of the current semester for registered students, and adjustments may occur if attempted credits change.
- Courses are charged per credit hour in the summer semester.

Worldwide & Online

Full-Time Status

- Three (3) semester hours constitute full-time for courses of nine weeks or fewer.
- Six (6) semester hours constitute full-time for courses of 10–15 weeks.

Combined Program Pathways

Students enrolled in approved combined program pathways are considered full-time when their combined undergraduate and graduate enrollment meets full-time eligibility thresholds.

Enrollment Restrictions

Across all campuses, a student's enrollment may be limited or adjusted when such action is determined to be in the student's best academic interest. Restrictions may be imposed by Academic Advising, the department chair, or the College Dean/designee.