

# BACHELOR'S DEGREE

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## FIRST BACHELOR'S DEGREE

In order to graduate with a Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Fine Arts degree, students must earn a minimum of 120 college or university credits (some programs require more than 120 credits), and they must:

1. satisfy all the requirements for the particular university degree and for the college in which they are enrolled;
2. satisfy all requirements for a major;
3. earn a minimum of 42 credits in upper division courses (courses numbered 3000 or above);
4. earn a minimum of 32 credits in residence at UW-Platteville with at least 23 of the last 32 credits in residence;
5. Students must earn at least 12 credits of the upper division work (3000-4000 level courses) required in the major in residence at UW-Platteville.  
A student majoring in mathematics must complete at least 12 upper-level credits in mathematics at UW-Platteville. These credits must be from courses numbered above 3100, with the exception that MATH 2730 Discrete Mathematics may be part of the 12 credits. The 12 credits completed at UW-Platteville may include repeats of courses taken at another campus;
6. be in good academic standing; and
7. earn cumulative grade point averages of at least 2.00 in all subjects and within a major field. Note that minimum academic standards set for particular majors, minors or colleges may be higher.

## SECOND BACHELOR'S DEGREE

According to the University Undergraduate Curriculum Commission, April 8, 1987:

1. Students with a baccalaureate degree from the UW-Platteville who wish to earn a second major from UW-Platteville may accomplish this by doing the following:
  - a. Complete the requirements for the new major not already satisfied
  - b. Satisfy other college and institutional graduation requirements for the new major  
All general education requirements are satisfied by the first baccalaureate degree.  
A separate diploma will be awarded only when the new major leads to a degree different from the first degree granted. Fulfillment of requirements for a second major of the same degree type will not lead to a second degree, but rather credit for a second major will be entered on the recipient's transcript.
2. Students with a baccalaureate degree from any other accredited institution who wish to earn a second and distinct degree from UW-Platteville must fulfill the following requirements:
  - a. Complete the departmental requirements for the new major not already satisfied
  - b. Satisfy current college and institutional graduation and residency requirements for the new major

All general education requirements are satisfied by the first baccalaureate degree.