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Admission Policies

Students applying for admission to the B.G.S. degree will have met the same requirements as those for general admission to the University, will have successfully completed a minimum of 30 semester hours of academic course work with a cumulative grade point average of 2.00, and will have selected, with the assistance of a B.G.S. adviser, a combination of three minors that constitute a cohesive academic program.

Total Hours Required

At least 120 semester hours with passing grades must be completed for the Bachelor of General Studies degree.

Advanced Work Requirement

At least 30 of the semester hours applied to the degree program must be at the 300, 400, or 500 level.

Total Grade Points

A student must attain an overall 2.00 grade-point average on all course work taken at the postsecondary level to attain the Bachelor of General Studies degree.

Exercise and Leisure Activity Courses

While exercise and leisure activity (EL) courses are not required, a maximum of 6 hours of these courses may be counted toward a B.G.S. degree. These courses are taken only on a pass-fail grading basis.

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