

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Baccalaureate Degree Requirements:

1. Minimum of 120sh
2. Minimum of 30sh of courses must be completed through enrollment at ECU.
3. A Minimum of ½ the total hours required for the major must be completed through enrollment at ECU.
4. ½ of the minimum s.h. required in the student's program must be earned through enrollment in a **regionally-accredited senior college**.
5. All students must complete 12 s.h. of writing intensive courses of which at least 3 s.h. in their major.

Double major:

1. Students must choose a primary major and a secondary major. He/she will be advised in the primary major department. However, the secondary major department must review the requirements for the second major.
2. Any number of hours from the primary major may be counted toward the secondary major. The number of hours applicable toward the second major should not be limited.
3. If the primary major is a non-BA degree and the secondary major is a BA degree, neither additional general education requirements nor a foreign language requirement will apply.
4. Courses taken to meet general education requirements may be used to satisfy requirements for the second major or a minor, except where prohibited, but not for the primary major.
5. Double major students are not required to complete additional writing intensive coursework.

Dual Degree: Simultaneous

1. Students must complete the requirements for one baccalaureate degree and also complete a minimum of an additional 30 s.h. through course enrollment at ECU for the other degree
2. General education requirements for one degree may be used to satisfy the general education requirements for the other degree.
3. All other degree requirements, including a foreign language, must be met and may not be waived.
4. Students are required to complete at least 3 s.h. of writing intensive courses in each major.
5. Students who wish to satisfy the requirements for a BS degree in Teacher Education may use the same major for both degrees provided the University offers a degree certification program in that major.
6. Undergraduate students who enter the University under the regulations of a catalog have a period of 5 years, inclusive and continuous, in which complete the degree requirements of that catalog (For example, if a student enters seeking a second degree in fall 2005, he/she must complete that degree within 5 years or move to a subsequent catalog.)
7. All students must earn a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.
8. All students must earn a minimum GPA in their major of 2.0.

Second Degree: For students that already hold a Baccalaureate degree

1. The student must meet the curriculum requirements for the second undergraduate degree in the catalog under which he or she enters or in some subsequent catalog. No student will be permitted to complete a second degree under a catalog issued more than 3 years prior to the date of completion of the second degree. (For example, if a student enters seeking a second degree in fall 2005, he/she must complete that degree within three years or move to a subsequent catalog.)
2. Students must complete a minimum of 30 s.h. through enrollment at ECU.
3. All second degree students are required to complete at least 3 s.h. of writing intensive courses in each major.
4. The academic unit offering the second degree will determine whether general education requirements from the first degree will satisfy their general education requirements.
5. Second degree students must maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA. (GPA is determined only on attempted hours toward the second degree.)