

FAQs:

Does MATH 0001 or 0045 count towards graduation?

No; if you have credit for it, subtract the two hours from your total hours.

Can I get credit for a course in more than one category?

Minor classes may double count for general education if they normally receive general education credit; major classes may **not**. Courses taken for the major may generally not count for a minor as well, **except** for stats, which might count for both POLS major and Business Admin minor, and MLSC, where your POLS or HIST courses can count for both.

Can general education requirements in any category be satisfied by taking courses all from the same department?

Natural Sciences requirements may be met by taking all hours from one department; for Humanities & Fine Arts you need to have at least 1 hour from the humanities (philosophy, literature, etc), and at least one hour from the Fine Arts (music, art, etc); for Social Sciences, you need to have your 12 hours from at least three different fields (anthropology, economics, geography, history, etc.).

Does my military service count toward any general education requirements?

Yes; your DD-214 will place you out of both HLTH 1000 and EXSS 1000. Take it to admissions.

Do I really have to take MATH 1065 and MATH 2228/2283?

If you are earning a BS(P) in Political Science, you really do have to take MATH 1065 and 2228/2283. Even if you take MATH 1050 or PHIL 1500 to satisfy your general education math requirement, you have to take MATH 1065 because it is a prerequisite for 2228/2283. If you pursue a BA, you do not have to take MATH 1065 or 2228/2283.

What do I have to do to graduate?

First, you must complete all the requirements to graduate in your program; while you are working on that, complete a **senior summary** with your advisor and apply to graduate, either on line or at the Registrar's office in Whichard.

What is a senior summary? A **senior summary** is a determination of the remaining requirements for graduation, based on your record. You will meet with your adviser to work on it. It will include number of hours you must have; specific courses which are required, such as general education, major and minor requirements; and the grade point average you must achieve (2.0 in your major and overall).

When should I get my senior summary done? This should be done at least 1-1/2 semesters before you expect to graduate, so that any problems that might arise may be fixed; if you expect to graduate in Spring, do the senior summary in Fall. If you expect to graduate in the Summer, you should also do the senior summary in the Fall. For December graduation, do the senior summary the prior Spring.

What do I do if I receive an email from the registrar saying that I can't graduate? The email indicates a problem which the registrar's office found which would prevent you from graduating when you expected. Make an appointment to see your adviser immediately so that the problem may be addressed.