

COURSE PLANNING

View the [First Year Planning Guide](#) for information on specific degree programs and courses.

Name: _____ Student #: _____

Target Degree Program: _____

Courses are offered in two different terms during the Regular Session.

- **Fall Term** runs from September to December.
- **Winter Term** runs from January to April.

Each course has a credit hour value: usually 3 or 6.

- 3 credit hour courses run over one term.
- 6 credit hour courses run over both terms and are called ‘spanned courses’.

You may take anywhere from 1 course per term (3 credit hours) up to 5 courses per term (15 credit hours) during the Regular Session.

Course(s) per Term	Credit Hours for One Term	Credit Hours for Both Terms	Courseload (%)	Student Status
1 course	3 credit hours	6 credit hours	20%	Part-time
2 courses	6 credit hours	12 credit hours	40%	Part-time
3 courses	9 credit hours	18 credit hours	60%	Full-time
4 courses	12 credit hours	24 credit hours	80%	Full-time
5 courses	15 credit hours	30 credit hours	100%	Full-time

FALL

September to December

3 credit hours

WINTER

January to April

3 credit hours

6 credit hours

E.g. BIOL 1020 + lab

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