

COVID-19 accommodations: Number of graded credits required

A minimum number of graded credits is required for the assessment of your academic performance. [The Winter 2020 academic term is excluded](#) from assessment for all candidates. The impact of this change on the number of graded credits required is shown here:

	Degree not impacted by Winter 2020 Pandemic	Degree impacted by Winter 2020 Pandemic
Primary Bachelor's Degree	Minimum 60 consecutive graded credits on transcript at time of application deadline.	Minimum of 45 consecutive graded credits on transcript. Normally would have had at least 60 graded credits but the Winter 2020 semester was Pass/Fail, or had to withdraw from some courses.
Second/Alternate Bachelor's Degree	Minimum 45 consecutive graded credits on transcript at time of application deadline.	Minimum of 30 consecutive graded credits on transcript. Normally would have had at least 45 graded credits but the Winter 2020 semester was Pass/Fail, or had to withdraw from some courses.

- The basis of admissions degree (primary or alternate) must be completed by July 31 of the year of entry to medical school.
- All graded credits contributing to the degree will be assessed with the exception of the Winter 2020 semester, which is excluded for all candidates.
- Degrees from institutions or programs with Pass/Fail grading schemes for all or the majority of courses, where this is not related to the pandemic, remain ineligible.

Candidates are invited to apply for extenuating circumstances if the following applies. Each situation will be assessed individually for eligibility, the final determination is at the discretion of the Admissions Office.

- 1) Due to the pandemic, the primary bachelor's degree has fewer than 45 consecutive graded credits, or the second/alternate bachelor's degree has fewer than 30 consecutive graded credits. For example, because the program has other non-graded courses prior to Winter 2020 such as internships, practica, co-ops, etc.
- 2) Your basis of admissions degree institution is continuing with Pass/Fail grading as the only option for your grades beyond Winter 2020 due to the pandemic, and this impacts your minimum graded credit requirements.

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