

Minimum Credits per term (effective AU '21)

Subject to change. Check the links below for the most up-to-date information.

	Autumn and Spring		Summer		Summer starting candidacy
	Max	Min	Max	Min	Min
Graduate Associate, 50%	18	8	12	4	4
Graduate Associate, 25%	18	4	12	2	3
Graduate Fellow	18	12	12	6	6
Post-Candidacy Student*	18	3	12	3	NA
For Financial Aid and Fees [†]	18	8	12	8	8
Unfunded	18	Program-specific	12	Program-specific	3

*regardless of funded or unfunded position

Relevant Policies:

1. <https://gradsch.osu.edu/handbook/3-1-registration-course-load>
2. <https://gradsch.osu.edu/handbook/7-3-doctoral-candidacy-examination>
3. <https://gradsch.osu.edu/course-registration>