



## The University of Akron

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### ACCREDITATION

The University of Akron is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. In addition to university-wide accreditation, various schools, departments and academic programs are accredited by their respective professional accrediting agencies.

### GRADING SYSTEM

All attempted coursework is posted to a student's academic record.

The following grades are included in the grade point average:

Grade	Undergraduate and Law Courses	Graduate Courses
	Quality Points	Quality Points
A	4.0	4.0
A-	3.7	3.7
B+	3.3	3.3
B	3.0	3.0
B-	2.7	2.7
C+	2.3	2.3
C	2.0	2.0
C-	1.7	1.7
D+	1.3	0.0
D	1.0	0.0
D-	0.7	0.0
F	0.0	0.0

Grades earned for courses that have been academically reassessed are excluded from the calculation of the cumulative grade point average but remain on the student's academic record.

The following grades/symbols are not included in the grade point average:

Grade/Symbol	Description
I	Incomplete
PI	Permanent Incomplete
IP	In Progress
AUD	Audit
CR	Credit
CRX	Credit (Spring 2020 Enrollment Only)
NCR	No Credit
NCX	No Credit (Spring 2020 Enrollment Only)
WD	Withdrawn
NGR	No Grade Reported
INV	Invalid Grade Reported

### GRADE POINT AVERAGE

The grade point average (GPA) is computed by multiplying the quality points of each grade by the number of units of credit, summing and dividing the total number of quality points by the associated total number of attempted units of credit.

### ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Prior to September 30, 1968, The University of Akron academic calendar was based on a sixteen-week semester system. Between October 1, 1968, and September 4, 1978, the academic calendar was based on an eleven-week quarter system. Since September 5, 1978, the academic calendar has been based on a sixteen-week semester system with summer sessions varying in length.

### COURSE NUMBERING SYSTEM

Prior to September 30, 1968, courses numbered 300 and above reflected graduate-level work. Since October 1, 1968, courses numbered 500 and above have reflected graduate-level work.

### ACADEMIC STANDING

Students remain in good academic standing by maintaining a cumulative grade point average of 2.00.

### IMPORTANT ACADEMIC POLICIES

Review the applicable undergraduate or graduate bulletin or law handbook online at [www.uakron.edu/registrar/bulletins/](http://www.uakron.edu/registrar/bulletins/) for additional information regarding important academic policies that impact the student's academic record. Such policies include, but are not limited to, dean's list, president's list, university honors, academic probation, academic dismissal, academic reassessment, alternative credit, course repeat, course withdrawal, developmental programs, and transfer credit.

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