

# Classification of Students – Graduate

A degree-seeking student is a student who has been admitted to the College and has declared an intention to pursue the requirements for a graduate degree or graduate certificate program. Degree-seeking students are admitted as first-time graduate. Degree-seeking students are also classified according to semester credits completed (earned), as follows:

M.A. First Year	Fewer than 19 semester credits
M.A. Second Year	19 or more semester credits
Certificate First Year	Fewer than 19 semester credits
Certificate Second Year	19 or more semester credits

Non-degree-seeking students are defined as students enrolled in graduate courses without intention of pursuing a degree or certificate.