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# GRADES OF COURSES ACCEPTABLE FOR TRANSFER*

## Undergraduates

Beginning Fall 1995, for all undergraduate programs, courses accepted in transfer must be graded at least a C- when letter grades are used and at least a 1.5 on the decimal grading system. Courses graded D+ or lower and those with decimal grades below 1.5 will not be allowed either for transfer credit or to fulfill degree requirements.

Credits transferred to Seattle University prior to September 1, 1995, for continuing and readmitted students, must be graded a minimum of D or 1.0 on the decimal system.

Students in the College of Nursing and Science and Engineering, and psychology majors in the College of Arts & Sciences will be required to repeat courses graded lower than C or lower than 2.0 on the decimal system if the course is a major requirement or if it is a prerequisite to a major requirement.

Students in the Albers School of Business and Economics must complete required business courses (including mathematics, computer science, economics and business communications) with a grade of C- or better at Seattle University. Requirements graded lower than C- must be repeated. Business courses transferred to Seattle University will be accepted when graded C (2.0) or better. Required transferred courses graded below 2.0 must be retaken.

A student who wishes to repeat a course at Seattle University, whether transfer credit has been allowed or denied may do so; the credit and grade for the course completed at Seattle University will be reflected in the Seattle University grade point average, but any credit previously accepted in transfer for the course will then be revoked.

As has been true in the past, courses which are 10 years old or more are only considered for transfer with grades of C or 2.0 and above. Certain restrictions may apply to these old credits as stated in Policy Memo #77-1.

Students who matriculated at Seattle University with a transferable associate degree from a Washington Community College will be granted 90 credits on admission but courses graded below the minimum acceptable grade will not fill any requirement.

**Graduate Students**

At the master's/educational specialist or doctoral level, courses can only be approved for transfer when graded B or better or at least 3.0 on the decimal grading system. Additional limitations on graduate transfer credit are specified in the *Graduate Catalog* and in Policy #77-1.

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