

Transcript Legend

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Accreditation

Clemson University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award bachelors, masters, education specialist and doctoral degrees. Contact the Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Clemson University.

Calendar

Clemson University observes the semester with Parts-of-terms.

Course Numbers prior to Fall 1986

Courses numbered 100-199 are primarily for freshman, 200-299 for sophomores, 300-399 for juniors, 400-499 for seniors and 500-599 for the students in the fifth year of five-year undergraduate curricula. Courses numbered 600 and above indicate graduate level work.

Course Numbering System after 1986

The numbers 100-400 are undergraduate courses and numbers 600-900 are Graduate course numbers. Beginning Fall 2013, all course subject codes consist of four letters or fewer; all course numbers consist of four digits.

Units of Credit

The unit of each credit is the semester hour. Generally, one lecture hour or three laboratory hours per week for a semester constitute a semester hour.

Effective Summer School 1988

All courses/grade discrepancies must be resolved within 120 calendar days from the date grades are posted.

Credit (CR) indicates credit hours earned with at least the letter grade C.

Withdrew (W) indicates that the student withdrew from the course without a grade after the first two weeks of classwork and prior to the last five weeks of classes, not including examination period. Proportionate time periods apply during summer and other shortened sessions.

Pass (P) is equivalent to grade of "C".

Graduate School will not accept a grade lower than a "C" to count toward a Graduate degree.

GRADING SYSTEM

Grade	Explanation	Count in GPA	Grade Points
A	Standard		4
A-	Standard*		3.66
B+	Standard*		3.34
B	Standard		3
B-	Standard*		2.66
C+	Standard*		2.34
C	Standard		2
C-	Standard*		1.66
D	Standard		1
F	Standard		0
I	Incomplete		0
I/A	Incomplete Make-up		4
I/A-	Incomplete Make-up*		3.66
I/B+	Incomplete Make-up*		3.34
I/B	Incomplete Make-up		3
I/B-	Incomplete Make-up*		2.66
I/C+	Incomplete Make-up*		2.34
I/C	Incomplete Make-up		2
I/C-	Incomplete Make-up*		1.66
I/D	Incomplete Make-up		1
I/F	Incomplete Make-up		0
DA	Duplicate Credit-A, less cr earned		4
DA-	Duplicate Credit-A-, less cr earned*		3.66
DB+	Duplicate Credit-B+, less cr earned*		3.34
DB	Duplicate Credit-B, less cr earned		3
DB-	Duplicate Credit-B-, less cr earned*		2.66
DC+	Duplicate Credit-C+, less cr earned*		2.34
DC	Duplicate Credit-C, less cr earned		2
DC-	Duplicate Credit-C-, less cr earned*		1.66
DD	Duplicate Credit-D, less cr earned		1

* Effective Fall 2018 some graduate level courses may offer plus/minus grading for graduate students only.

Do Not Count in GPA

P	Pass	0	INP	Incomplete Make Up, No Pass	0
NP	No Pass	0	I/P	Incomplete Make Up, Pass	0
CR	Credit	0	RD	Redeemed D	0
CE	Credit by Exam	0	RF	Redeemed F	0
DP	Duplicate Pass	0	X	Academic Renewal	0
EC	Exemption Credit	0	NE	Not Eligible to Repeat	0
IP	In Progress	0	AU	Audit	0
TR	Transfer	0	FGD	Forgiven D	0
W	Withdrawn	0	FGF	Forgiven F	0
SE	Special Exam	0	NG	No Grade	0

Spring Semester 2020 due to the COVID-19 Pandemic

Clemson University has modified its existing grading policy for the spring 2020 semester due to the COVID-19 Pandemic to include additional final grades.

Grades for UNDERGRADUATE students:

SCP	grade represents a final letter grade of (A,B,C); results in course credit but has no impact on the grade point average (GPA)
SCD	grade represents a final letter grade of (D); results in course credit but has no impact on grade point average (GPA)
SCN	grade represents a final letter grade of (D,F); results in NO course credit and has no impact on grade point average (GPA)

Grades for GRADUATE students:

SCP	grade represents a final letter grade of (A,A-,B+,B,B-,C+,C,C-); results in course credit but has no impact on the grade point average (GPA)
SCN	grade represents a final letter grade of (F); results in NO course credit and has no impact on the GPA

Repeat Indicators

- I - credits are included in earned/passed hours and contribute to the GPA calculation
- A - credits are excluded from earned/passed hours and contribute to the GPA calculation
- E - credits are excluded from earned/passed hours and do not contribute to the GPA calculation

Continuing Enrollment Policy

Unless a statement to the contrary appears at the end of the record, the student is in good standing and eligible to return.

"Suspended" indicates that, after the specified term, the student may return.

"Dismissed" indicates that, after the specified term, the student may appeal to the Appeals Committee on Continuing Enrollment to become eligible for re-enrollment.

Academic Redemption

The Academic Redemption Policy (ARP) allows a student enrolled from Fall 2003 through Summer 2007 to repeat up to nine hours of coursework in which a D or F was earned if he/she had sufficient redemption and W hours remaining. Students whose initial enrollment occurred August 2007 through Summer 2013 may redeem up to ten hours. Courses taken prior to Fall 2003 may not be redeemed.

Academic Forgiveness Policy

The Academic Forgiveness Policy (AFP) allows a student enrolled beginning Fall 2013 or after to eliminate from the GPA calculation up to three courses in which a D or F was earned. Students enrolled prior to Fall 2013 who were under the former Academic Redemption Policy will be allowed academic forgiveness on a modified scale. Policy revised summer 2019. Detailed information is available at www.registrar.clemson.edu.

Academic Renewal

Under the Academic Renewal policy, the previous credits attempted and grade-point deficit will not constitute a liability in a new grade-point computation; however, no credits passed or their attending grade points will be available to the student for a degree at Clemson, and any courses previously passed may not be validated by special examination.

Honors Program

To earn General Honors, students must complete a minimum of six honors courses over three General Education areas and graduate with a cumulative grade-point ratio of 3.40 or higher.

To graduate with Departmental Honors, a student must complete honors work at the upper division (3000-4000 level) in a program specified by the Honors Student Handbook. A minimum overall grade-point ratio of 3.40 must be maintained.

To graduate with both General and Departmental Honors students must complete the requirements for both programs. Courses taken for Departmental Honors may not also count for General Honors requirements. All honors courses taken to fulfill honors requirements must be completed with a grade of A or B except for those honors courses offered Pass/No Pass. Honor courses will be identified in the title of the course.

Latin Honors	1953-1978	1979-2013	2014
Cum Laude	3.00	3.40	3.70
Magna Cum Laude	3.50	3.70	3.85
Summa Cum Laude	3.80	3.90	3.95