

PURDUE UNIVERSITY

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The Purdue University calendar is based on the semester system. A standard semester contains approximately 16 weeks of instruction, including final examinations. Summer sessions vary in number, length and format at the various campus locations. For more information, see the following website: <https://www.purdue.edu/registrar/calendars/index.html>

****For Spring 2020, the COVID-19 pandemic required a temporary suspension to the university's assessment of academic standing.****

ACCREDITATION

Purdue University is accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and by NCATE. Accreditation covers all courses and programs offered at all campuses of Purdue University. In addition, various schools within the University hold accreditation from their professional accrediting associations. For more information, see the following website: <https://www.purdue.edu/data/Services/Accreditation/accred.html>

CAMPUS LOCATIONS

WEST LAFAYETTE (PWL) (Main Campus), West Lafayette, IN 47907, (765) 494- 6165

PURDUE FORT WAYNE (PFW) (Joint Campus with Indiana University), Fort Wayne, IN 46805 (260) 481-6815

IUPUI-INDIANAPOLIS (PIU) (Joint Campus with Indiana University), Indianapolis, IN 46202 (317) 274-1501

NORTHWEST-HAMMOND (PUC), Hammond, IN 46323, (219) 989-2210

NORTHWEST-WESTVILLE (PNC), Westville, IN 46391, (219) 785-5299

POLYTECHNIC STATEWIDE (TSW) (Various locations), administered through West Lafayette's Purdue Polytechnic Institute

PURDUE ONLINE LEARNING (CEC) (Various locations), administered through West Lafayette

PURDUE GLOBAL – To order a Purdue Global transcript, log onto <https://campus.purdueglobal.edu/Security/Login?ReturnUrl>

CREDIT TYPES

Regular Credit - All Purdue University credit is reported in terms of semester hours, whether earned during a 16-week semester or a summer session.

GRADING SYSTEMS

Effective Fall 2008, all grades were converted to the 4.0 scale as a result of the implementation of the Banner student system.

For information about Purdue University's grading system and how grades are computed, see the following website:

<http://catalog.purdue.edu/content.php?catoid=10&navoid=12772>

INSTITUTIONAL GPAs

TERM GPA - Based upon all courses in which the student was enrolled that session and for which grade points were earned. Is listed at the end of each semester.

LEVEL GPA - Overall grade point average that is listed at the end of each level, Undergraduate, Professional and Graduate.

EARNED HRS - A sum of all courses of which a D- or better was obtained. This includes P, S, CR and TR.

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS (Effective Fall 2008)

EHRS - Credit hours earned.

GPA- Hrs - Quality hours earned (all hours carrying grade points).

QPts - Quality points earned.

GPA - Grade point average (computed by dividing quality points by GPA-hours).

E - Indicates that the course is excluded from earned hours and GPA.

I - Indicates that the course is included in earned hours and GPA; corresponds to a previously E (excluded) course.

TRANSFER CREDIT

Course credits accepted in transfer from other institutions are listed under the appropriate headings. For undergraduate students, the course numbers and titles reflect Purdue University equivalents, with the exception of Indiana University courses taken at the jointly-administered Purdue-Indiana University campuses in Indianapolis and Fort Wayne. With the exception of Indiana University credits at the jointly-administered campuses, credits earned in the Polytechnic Statewide program and credits earned in certain study- abroad programs, no grades are transferred and transfer credit hours are not reflected in the cumulative totals. Effective Fall 2008, the following are now included in transfer credit: College Level Exam Placement (CLEP), College Entrance Examination Board Advance Placement (CEEB AP), and International Baccalaureate (IB). *Transfer credit with grades of D+, D or D- will be applied towards the State Transfer General Education Core for all Indiana public institutions. This will be annotated with a grade of TX and cannot be used to fulfill institutional degree requirements. For details, see https://www.in.gov/che/files/STGEC_BW_Binder_Final_5.19.15.pdf

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