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COURSE LOAD

(Undergraduate Catalog, p. 14)

The normal course load in a semester is 12 to ~~17~~ 18 credits; in a five-week summer term, the normal load is 6 to 9 credits. (During a semester, 9 to 11 credits is considered a three-quarter-time load; 6 to 8 credits is considered a half-time load.) A total of twelve credits in a semester is considered a full course load for undergraduate students. Freshmen are not eligible to register for more than ~~17.5~~ 18 credits unless they have met the following conditions:

1. They have earned previous residence credit at Ball State University.
2. They have cumulative grade-point averages of at least 3.0.
3. They have successfully completed all of their scheduled courses in the preceding semester or term.

Students who are on academic probation may not register for more than ~~17.5~~ 18 credits in a semester or 9 credits in a five-week summer term.

Students cannot register for more than ~~17.5~~ 18 credits during the semester when they are student teaching.

Apart from these stipulations, students are not limited in the number of credits for which they can enroll.