

CREDIT HOUR & GRADING CONVERSION FOR

UNIVERSIDAD VERITAS (COSTA RICA)

These guidelines have been developed based on information provided by the partner institutions and by professional credential evaluation organizations. Any questions about grade or credit equivalency should be addressed to the Study Abroad Office.

CREDIT HOURS

Veritas University utilizes a contact hour system. Fifteen contact hours at Veritas equals one BSU credit. Courses are typically worth 3, 4, or 5 BSU credit hours. Ball State study abroad students are required to enroll in a minimum of 180 contact hours during each term of their program abroad. For courses worth more than the approved BSU equivalent, excess credit will be articulated as INSA 400 unless otherwise designated by the academic department(s) on the Request for Study Abroad Credit form.

| Veritas Hours | Ball State Credits |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 45-59 contact hours | 3 credit hours |
| 60-74 contact hours | 4 credit hours |
| 75-89 contact hours | 5 credit hours |

GRADE CONVERSION

| Universidad Veritas Grade | Ball State Equivalent |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 100-90 | Α |
| 89-80 | В |
| 79-70 | С |
| 69-0 | F |
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Students must earn the Ball State equivalent of a C or better (Pass) in order to transfer a course from Veritas University. The Ball State University transcript will reflect grades of CR or NC, which are not calculated into the student's cumulative grade point average.