

# APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

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## ACCREDITATION

Appalachian State University is accredited by the Commission on College of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools to award the Bachelor's, Master's, Specialist's and Ed.D. degrees. A number of its academic programs have regional and/or national accreditation. For further information, contact the University's Office of Academic Affairs.

Effective the Fall Term, 1975, Appalachian State University converted from a quarter calendar to a semester calendar. Records prior to Fall, 1975 are shown in quarter credits. All records beginning Fall, 1975 reflect semester credits.

## PARTIAL ACADEMIC RECORDS

Effective the Fall Semester, 1986, academic records at Appalachian State University were converted to a computerized system. Transcripts may be generated from both electronically and manually maintained records.

## GRADE POINT AVERAGE

The grade point average (GPA) is calculated by dividing the number of quality points by the number of quality hours (hours attempted for which quality points may be earned).

## PLUS/MINUS GRADING SYSTEM

Prior to Fall Semester, 1980, the grading system at Appalachian State University DID NOT include plus/minus grades.

## UNDERGRADUATE GRADING AND QUALITY POINT SYSTEM

A 4.00 quality point system is used to calculate the quality point average.

Grade	Quality Points Per Semester Hour
A	4.0
A-	3.7
B+	3.3
B	3.0
B-	2.7
C+	2.3
C	2.0
C-	1.7
D+	1.3
D	1.0
D-	0.7
F	0.0
AU	0.0
*F	0.0
CR	0.0
I	0.0
IP	0.0
NC	0.0
NG	0.0
NR	0.0
SA	0.0
P	0.0
S	0.0
U	0.0
W	0.0
WC	0.0
WP	0.0
WF	0.0
WU	0.0

## COURSE NUMBERING SYSTEM

Course Number	Level	Course Number	Level
0001-0999	Developmental	4000-4999	Senior
1000-1999	Freshman	5000 and above	Graduate
2000-2999	Sophomore	6000 and above	Specialist
3000-3999	Junior	7000 and above	Doctoral

(Prior to Fall, 2001 courses numbered 4500-4999 were "Senior/Graduate" i.e., they could be used as part of either an undergraduate or graduate program.)

This numbering system does not preclude the possibility of students taking courses above or below the level of their classification provided they meet stated requirements.

## TRANSFER WORK

Transfer work appears at the beginning of the transcript and reflects the equivalent Appalachian courses and the credit hours awarded.

## TRANSFER GRADE KEY

TR	Transfer credit awarded
AP	Credit awarded for Advanced Placement Program
TP	Transfer in progress, a final transcript has not been received by the institution
VP	Visiting transfer work in progress, a final transcript has not been received by the institution

## TRANSCRIPT GUIDE

Official transcripts bear the signature of the University Registrar. The University seal is printed in gold. A raised seal is not required. Official transcripts are printed on gray security paper with the name of the University printed in small white type across the face of the document.

## GRADUATE GRADING AND QUALITY POINT SYSTEM

A 4.00 quality point system is used to calculate the quality point average.

Grade	Quality Points Per Semester Hour
A	4.0
A-	3.7
B+	3.3
B	3.0
B-	2.7
C+	2.3
C	2.0
C-	1.7
F	0.0
AU	0.0
*F	0.0
CR	0.0
I	0.0
IP	0.0
NC	0.0
NG	0.0
NR	0.0
S	0.0
SP	0.0
U	0.0
UP	0.0
S	0.0
U	0.0
W	0.0
WC	0.0
WP	0.0
WF	0.0
WU	0.0

## APPLICATION OF COURSE WORK

Key	
E	Course has been repeated (excluded from GPA)
A	Course has been repeated (included in GPA)