

Existing Language:

Completing undergraduate degree: a student who is completing an undergraduate degree can be conditionally admitted to a graduate program with the following caveats:

- Student must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on completed coursework or have a passing score on the MAT or GRE.
- Student must have met requirements of the specific graduate program to which he/she is applying.
- Student will not be able to receive financial aid until the Graduate and Financial Aid Offices have received proof of completion of the undergraduate degree and a program plan is on file.
- Student must provide proof of completion of the undergraduate degree during the first term of enrollment as a graduate student. WOU graduates must show proof prior to starting graduate courses.

All students who are admitted on a conditional basis will have a registration hold placed on their account and will not be able to register for classes beyond the first term of graduate enrollment until the Graduate Office has received proof of completion of the undergraduate degree with a minimum of 3.0 on the last 90 quarter credits or 60 semester credits of coursework.

GPA requirement: A student who has an undergraduate GPA of 2.50 to 2.99 can be admitted conditionally for one term. At the end of that term, a student must meet university requirements, i.e., take and pass the MAT or GRE.

Student can petition for conditional admission via the graduate student general petition located on the graduate office website.

Proposed Language:

Completing undergraduate degree: a student who is completing an undergraduate degree can be conditionally admitted to a graduate program with the following caveats:

- Student must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 on completed coursework or have a passing score on the MAT or GRE.
- Student must have met requirements of the specific graduate program to which he/she is applying.
- Student will not be able to receive financial aid until the Graduate and Financial Aid Offices have received proof of completion of the undergraduate degree and a program plan is on file.
- Student must provide proof of completion of the undergraduate degree during the first term of enrollment as a graduate student. WOU graduates must show proof prior to starting graduate courses.

All students who are admitted on a conditional basis, because we are waiting for completion of undergraduate degree will have a registration hold placed on their account and will not be able to register for classes beyond the first term of graduate enrollment until the Graduate Office has received proof of completion of the undergraduate degree with a minimum of 3.0 on the last 90 quarter credits or 60 semester credits of coursework.

GPA requirement: A student who has an undergraduate GPA of 2.50 to 2.99 can be admitted conditionally for the first 9 credit hours. Conditionally admitted students will not be able to receive financial aid until they become fully admitted students and a program plan is on file.

To be fully admitted:

- Student must achieve a 3.0 GPA in the first nine (9) credits of their graduate program*
- Student must receive a positive recommendation from their graduate program coordinator

Student can petition for conditional graduate admission via the graduate student general petition located on the graduate office website.

The above are university level minimum criteria for admission; individual academic programs may set higher criteria.

*- If the total graduate credits exceed nine (9), in the term that the student completes their first nine (9) graduate credits, then all earned graduate credits.