

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

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Related Policies: General Major Requirements (<http://catalog.stkate.edu/policies/stu-acad/undg/major-req>) | General Minor Requirements (<http://catalog.stkate.edu/policies/stu-acad/undg/minor-req>)

Related Forms, Procedures and References: Undergraduate Catalog | (<https://www2.stkate.edu/registrar/undergrad-catalogs>) Intent to Graduate or Complete Certificate form (<https://www.stkate.edu/academics/academic-resources/registrar/forms>) (located on the Office of the Registrar forms page)

For Questions Contact: Office of the Registrar | 651.690.6531

To be eligible to graduate from a healthcare certificate or associate degree program, students must fulfill the following graduation requirements:

Healthcare Certificate Programs

- Completion of the University's residency requirement (all credits taken at St. Catherine University unless stated otherwise by the program)
- Completion of all professional courses within five years of beginning the sequence
- Completion of all program requirements within seven years of admittance to St. Catherine University
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0
- Completion of an Intent to Graduate form

Associate Degree Programs

- Completion of all program requirements within seven years of admittance to St. Catherine University
- Completion of liberal arts and sciences core requirements (<http://catalog.stkate.edu/undergraduate/core-curriculum/liberal-arts-science-core-curriculum-associate-programs>)
- Completion of the residency requirement of 30 semester credits in residence
- Completion of all professional courses within five years of beginning the sequence
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0
- Completion of an Intent to Graduate form

Certificates

- Completion of certificate requirements
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

Baccalaureate Degree Programs in the College for Women

Candidates for a B.A. or B.S. degree must fulfill the following graduation requirements:

- A minimum of 130 semester credits including:
 - a. completion of the liberal arts and sciences core requirements (<http://catalog.stkate.edu/undergraduate/core-curriculum/liberal-arts-science-core-curriculum-baccalaureate-programs>) for either the B.A. or B.S. degree, as appropriate to the major;
 - b. acceptance into and completion of the requirements for an approved major
- Demonstration of required proficiency in writing
- Completion of the residency requirement of 48 of the last 64 semester credits in residence (applies to students seeking their *first or second bachelor's degree*)
- Completion of an Intent to Graduate form
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

Baccalaureate Degree Programs in the College for Adults

Candidates for a B.A., B.S. or B.S.N. degree must fulfill the following graduation requirements:

- A minimum of 120 semester credits including:
 - a. completion of the liberal arts and sciences core requirements (<http://catalog.stkate.edu/undergraduate/core-curriculum/liberal-arts-science-core-curriculum-baccalaureate-programs>) for either the B.A., B.S. or B.S.N. degree, as appropriate to the major;
 - b. acceptance into and completion of the requirements for an approved major
- Demonstration of required proficiency in writing
- Completion of the residency requirement of 48 of the last 64 semester credits in residence¹ (applies to students seeking their *first or second bachelor's degree*)
- Completion of an Intent to Graduate form
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

¹ Candidates for a B.S.N. degree enrolled in the RN-BSN Degree Completion section are required to complete a minimum of 30 semester credits in residence. This requirement is reduced to 26 semester credits for RN-BSN students who have completed a previous baccalaureate degree.