

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Associate Degree Programs

To be eligible to graduate from an associate degree program, students must fulfill the following graduation requirements:

- 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 a Graduation Application form

Certificates

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

Baccalaureate Degree Programs in the College for Women: Students Enrolling or Re-Enrolling Fall 2021 or Later ¹

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

- A minimum of 128 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
- Completion of the residency requirement of 48 semester credits in residence (applies to students seeking their *first or second bachelor's degree*)
- Completion of a minimum of 36 upper-division (3XXX or 4XXX-level) credits
- Completion of a Graduation Application form
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

Baccalaureate Degree Programs in the College for Adults: Students Enrolling or Re-Enrolling Fall 2021 or Later ¹

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

- Completion of the residency requirement of 48 semester credits in residence (applied to students seeking their *first or second bachelor's degree*)
- Completion of a minimum of 36 upper-division (3XXX or 4XXX-level) credits
- Completion of a Graduation Application form
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

¹ Students who enrolled prior to Fall 2021 are advised to reference the requirements of the catalog applicable to their term of enrollment.

² 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.

The graduation requirements will be amended for students subject to the 2022-2023 catalog (i.e., enrolling or re-enrolling during the 2022-2023 academic year). This information is provided for future reference only.

Certificates

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

Baccalaureate Degree Requirement for Students Enrolling or Re-Enrolling at St. Catherine University Fall 2022 or Later ¹

Candidates for a B.A., B.S., or B.S.N.² degree must fulfill the following graduation requirements:

- A minimum of 120 semester credits including:
 - completion of the general education core LIFE curriculum³
 - acceptance into and completion of the requirements for an approved major
- Completion of the residency requirement of 32 semester credits in residence (this applies to students seeking their *first or second bachelor's degree*)
- Completion of a minimum of 36 upper-division (3000- or 4000-level) credits
- Completion of a Graduation Application form
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0

¹ Students who enrolled prior to fall 2022 are advised to reference the requirements of the catalog applicable to their term of enrollment.

² 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.

³ As applicable to the student based on previous academic credentials