

Union University provides non-traditional programs and services aimed toward the adult student. Each program office provides central service for admissions, registration, academic counseling and a variety of other services.

The School of Nursing offers a program for Registered Nurses to complete the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree. The School of Nursing also offers an accelerated initial licensure program as a second bachelor's degree and degree completion programs for adults seeking the first bachelor's

The R.G. Lee Center for Christian Ministry offers two programs in church ministry leading to the Diploma in Christian Ministry and the Associate of Divinity

for materials, etc., see the Financial Information section of this Catalogue. Courses taken through Cross-Campus Agreement will be billed at the Union program-specific rate. University refund policies are printed in the Financial Information section of the Catalogue. Questions regarding program specific financial policies should be directed to the program director/coordinator or FACTS Coordinator.

Financial Aid

Students enrolled in non-traditional programs may apply for financial assistance to attend Union University. Acceptance to the program is required. The student must file an institutional application for financial assistance and the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Undergraduate students will be awarded Pell Grant based upon eligibility and may apply for Stafford Loans. Check with your program director/coordinator for forms and details.

Instructions on "How to Apply for Scholarships, Financial Assistance and/or Loans" and information specific to adult studies can be found at www.uu.edu/financialaid/adultstudies/howtoapply.cfm

Loan request forms may be downloaded from www.uu.edu/financialaid/adultstudies/loans.cfm

Employee Reimbursement

Union University offers financial arrangements for students employed by companies with tuition reimbursement programs. Forms and instructions are available through program directors. Forms must be submitted each semester/term.

Academic Policies

Academic policies of the University are considered in force throughout the Adult Studies programs unless specifically noted otherwise within the program description. Program-specific policies and evaluations of course credit toward graduation are not automatically transferable between programs; reevaluation is required with a change of program.

The General Core Curriculum requirements for Union University degrees are outlined in the "Academic Program" section of this Catalogue. These requirements are to be followed to the fullest extent possible for students lacking general education credits. Course descriptions of core curriculum and prerequisites courses are found in their respective academic departments of the Catalogue. The pattern outlined below may be followed as a guide for accepting previous transfer credits and for completing

general education credits when substitutions for the GeneralCore Curriculum are necessary.

A. Composition/Speech, 9 hours:

ENG 111 and 112 (Composition I and II) 6 hours
COM 112 or 235 (previously earned credits in Oral Communication, Speech or Business Communication will apply).....3 hours

B. Humanities, 9 hours:

ENG 201 or 202 (previously earned credits in literature will apply).....3.hours
Humanities Electives (previously earned credits in English, Humanities, Philosophy, Language, Music, Art, Theatre, Christian Studies will apply) 6 hours

C. BIO 100 and PHY 111 (previously earned credits in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Physical Science, Earth Science, Astronomy, Environmental Science, Geology will apply).....8.hours

D. Social Science, 9 hours:

HIS 101 or 102 (previously earned credits in History will apply).....3.hours
Social Science (previously earned credits in History, Economics, Political Science, Sociology, Psychology, Geography, Anthropology will apply)6.hours

E. CHR 111 and 112 (previously earned credits in Christian Studies, Bible will apply).....6 hours

F. Mathematics (MAT 101 or higher).....3 hours

G. Elective (additional Mathematics, Computer Science, Natural Science, or Social Science will apply)2.hours

Second Bachelor's Degree

Students who have earned a bachelor's degree through a regionally accredited college or university may complete a second bachelor's degree by completing a new major and its prerequisites. The new hours presented for the second degree must total no less than 30 hours and include 15 upper level hours earned in the major in residence.

Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Licensure

The Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Licensure Program is designed to provide initial teacher licensure or additional endorsements to teach in Tennessee for students with a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. Candidates for admission should contact the Director of Teacher Education.