

Classics Department

Credit Hour Compliance Guidelines for Classics Courses

We define the following for the average student in these courses:

Activity	
Text reading / translation	1000 level courses – 20 minutes per page (each page contains an average of 15 lines of text) 3000/4000 level courses – 30 minutes per page (each page contains an average of 20 lines of prose or poetic text)
Writing	1-2 hours per page
Vocabulary Review	30 min per week
Technology-aided learning	Watching tutorials/videos: 10-15 minutes per video
Oral presentation prep	3 hours per formal presentation
Preparation for in-class interaction	30 minutes per class period while this is assigned
Service Learning	2 hours per project out of class, 1 hour per reflection (when applicable)
Lab or Studio time	
Research or information literacy	8 hours per research project
Individual or group conferences	
Individual projects	
Group projects	2 hours per group presentation
Practice time (music, etc.)	
Practicum/clinicals	
Study/review	In 1000 level classes, 1 hour per section (3-4 sections per week) In 3000 level classes, 3-4 hours per exam

Signature of Department Chair: _____ Date: _____

Required time for a full semester course

# of credit hours	# of minutes meeting each week	# of required minutes outside of class per semester
1	50 minutes	1680 minutes = 28 hours
2	100 minutes	3360 minutes = 56 hours
3	150 minutes	5040 minutes = 84 hours
4	200 minutes	6720 minutes = 112 hours