



## Academic Info- Quick Facts



### NCAA Core Course Requirements

- Division 1    16 Core course requirements
- Division 2    14 Core course requirements
- Division 3    For Division III, simply gaining admission to the college means you have automatically fulfilled core course requirements.

#### **DIVISION I**

##### **16 Core-Course Rule**

##### **16 Core Courses:**

- 4 years of English.
- 3 years of mathematics (Algebra I or higher).
- 2 years of natural/physical science  
(1 year of lab if offered by high school).
- 1 year of additional English, mathematics or natural/physical science.
- 2 years of social science.
- 4 years of additional courses  
(from any area above, foreign language or non-doctrinal religion/philosophy).

#### **DIVISION II**

##### **14 Core-Course Rule**

##### **14 Core Courses:**

- 3 years of English.
- 2 years of mathematics (Algebra I or higher).
- 2 years of natural/physical science  
(1 year of lab if offered by high school).
- 2 years of additional English, mathematics or natural/physical science.
- 2 years of social science.
- 3 years of additional courses  
(from any area above, foreign language or non-doctrinal religion/philosophy)

### GPA Calculations

The clearinghouse will calculate the grade point average (GPA) or your core courses on a 4.000 scale. The best grades from your NCAA core courses will be used. Grades from additional core courses you took will be used only if they improve your grade point average.

The clearinghouse will assign the following values to each letter grade:

A = 4.0      B=3.0      C=2.0      D=1.0

### SAT's and ACT's

Student must take the tests under standard testing conditions on a national testing date before their initial, full-time enrollment at college. Students must meet the sliding scale requirements set by the NCAA Clearinghouse in order to be eligible as a freshman. The SAT combined score is based on the verbal and math sections only. The writing section will not be used. Division II has no sliding scale. The minimum core grade-point average is 2.000. The minimum SAT score is 820 (verbal and math sections only) and the minimum ACT sum score is 68.