

Time Limit for Completion of Degree Requirements

Academic catalogs are generally in effect for six years. This time frame is congruent with the amount of time (150%) allowed by the Department of Education for a student to get a Bachelor's Degree and for Title IV financial aid purposes. Bachelor's Degree students are allowed 12 semesters of fulltime enrollment. For Title IV Aid purposes, all time spent and all hours earned at prior institutions count toward the 150% of the total program.

Candidates for graduation who do not complete the work for their degrees within 12 fulltime semesters of continuous enrollment from the time of matriculation must consult with the pertinent program coordinator for their major discipline. This meeting will result in a plan of study that includes at least 30 semester hours of specified general education courses and the desired major, as well as sufficient credits to reach 124 semester hours, the minimum total for graduation. Transfer students who come to King University with earned semester hours will have a pro-rated version of the 12 fulltime semesters based on the number of earned hours they bring.

General education requirements for students who have reached the time limit will default to those in the academic catalog that is current when the plan of study is made.

The Program Coordinator must communicate this recommended plan of study to the Office of Registration and Records for approval. Once the degree plan is approved, it will become the standard for the student's degree audits.

Time limits for King University graduate programs are specified in the program sections of this catalog.