

Scheduling Courses

**Within Federal Student Aid Semesters
at the master's level**

16-Week Semester

Full-Time Enrollment

First 8-Weeks

Course 1 3-Credit Hours

Second 8-Weeks

Course 2 3-Credit Hours

To enroll as a full-time master's student, you will register for 6-credit hours per semester before the semester begins. We recommend to select at least 3-credit hours to start in the first month of your first semester, and at least 3-credit hours to start in the third month, so there is no overlap.

16-Week Semester

Half-Time Enrollment

First 8-Weeks

Course 1 3-Credit Hours

Second 8-Weeks

No second course is needed

To enroll as a half-time master's student, you will register for 3-credit hours per semester before the semester begins. Your 3-credit hours will need to start in the first month of your first semester.

Keep in mind that each course must fit within the start and end dates of your academic semester. Timely planning and registering for courses minimizes the risk of losing part or all of your financial aid eligibility.

We understand scheduling required courses can seem complicated! If you have any questions please contact Academic Advising at Advising@apus.edu or call us at 877-755-2787 x3200.