

Some useful information on the online UF Graduate application

This has been confusing for applicants wanting to study with faculty at an REC. They often choose the Distance Education (which is the self-funded programs) rather than Main campus - Gainesville.

Location of Intended Program

UF has many locations where programs are offered; please select your intended location.

Main Campus - Gainesville
Distance Education
EDGE Distance Education
Outreach Eng Management Program
Orlando
Sarasota

Instructions on how to find your university/college

School Search Results

Find your school from the list below and click on its name.

You will be returned to the application with your school's information automatically entered.

Your query returned 2 results:

Kansas St Univ Manhattan	Manhattan, KS, United States	6334
Manhattan Christian College	Manhattan, KS, United States	6392
None of the Above		

Note:

If you attended a school **outside** the U.S.A. or Canada, please follow [this link](#) and enter your school name and other information directly into the application.

If you cannot find your school, attempt a different search, taking into consideration the following:

- If you still cannot find your school after several attempts, click on "none of the above," and enter your school information manually into your application.
- Searching within a city or state will return a list of all schools in that selection.
- Searches of three or less characters will only return exact matches.

[Different Search](#)

[Return to form without making selection.](#)

Describes well what international students must provide to the Office of Admissions.

Academic Background

Education

Please provide a complete and accurate account of your academic history. Failure to do so could result in the forfeiture of admission, credits earned or degrees awarded. Your previous institutions must forward your complete transcript directly to the University of Florida Office of Admissions. Your admissions decision will not be finalized until we receive all official documents.

International students who are applying to the University of Florida should mail all official credentials including transcripts, examination certificates and diplomas in their native language to the Office of Admissions. An official certified literal English translation must be attached to documents not issued in English.

Academic history should list dates of earned and expected to be earned degrees

College Education Background

List all colleges or universities you have attended and each degree you have or **will earn**. Include the University of Florida if you have ever registered for a course. Enrollment at international colleges and universities must also be listed.

Use the **Select a College** feature to complete this section. If the institution is on the look-up, the college name, college code, city, state and country fields should populate automatically. When you are returned to the application, complete any blank fields. If the institution is not on the look-up, select None of the Above and complete all the information.

If you have attended more than one institution, repeat the process for each college, from the most recently attended institution.

College 1

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College Code

College Name

City

Country

State

Start Date / (mm/yyyy)

End Date / (mm/yyyy)

Degree Earned or Will Earn

Optional Upload of Transcript

Accepted File Types: .jpg, .pdf, .gif, .png

ⓘ Please note that uploaded documents are for departmental use only and that applicants should arrange to have official copies of their transcripts and degree certificates (if applicable) sent to the Office of Admissions from each post-secondary institution attended.

Entomology and Nematology	Degree Name - Master of Science
Family, Youth and Community Sciences	Degree Name - Master of Science
Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences	Degree Name - Master of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences
Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences	Degree Name - Master of Science
Food and Resource Economics	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Food and Resource Economics	Degree Name - Master of Agribusiness
Food and Resource Economics	Degree Name - Master of Science
Food Science	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Food Science and Human Nutrition	Degree Name - Master of Science
Forest Resources and Conservation	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Forest Resources and Conservation	Degree Name - Master of Forest Resources and Conservation
Forest Resources and Conservation	Degree Name - Master of Science
Horticultural Sciences	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Horticultural Sciences	Degree Name - Master of Science
Interdisciplinary Ecology	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Interdisciplinary Ecology	Degree Name - Master of Science
Microbiology and Cell Science	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Microbiology and Cell Science	Degree Name - Master of Science
Nutritional Sciences	Degree Name - Doctor of Philosophy
Plant Medicine	Degree Name - Doctor of Plant Medicine

Explains well when to start counting credits to self-calculate GPA. Indicates that GPA will be verified but when and does it really happen?

Self-Reported GPA Calculation

If your bachelor's degree was or will be received from an international institution or if your U.S. institution does not use a traditional grading system, please check here and continue on to the next section.

Junior/Senior Undergraduate Grade Point Average Calculation Guidelines:

While GPA will be verified by the university, an accurate self-reported GPA expedites the admission process. Junior and senior-level study refers to course work taken after the term in which you earned 60 semester hours or 90 quarter hours. These courses generally are taken in the third and fourth years of study, and continue until you graduate with a baccalaureate (B.A. or B.S.) degree.

If you apply to graduate school before you have graduated, your GPA calculation should not include the current term of enrollment, which is considered a term in progress.

Your calculation should include all junior/senior completed course work, excluding dropped courses and courses that did not award letter grades (e.g., satisfactory/unsatisfactory grades). If you repeated a course, you must include both grades in your calculation.

If all hours earned were awarded in quarter hours, you do not need to convert them to semester hours, but you cannot combine quarter hours with semester hours. If you have both types of credit, you must convert the quarter hours to semester hours by using the following equations:

- 1 quarter hour = 2/3 semester hour
- 3 quarter hours = 2 semester hours

For example: 24 quarter hours \times 2/3 = 16 semester hours.

Place the total amount of junior and senior-level semester or quarter hours earned for each letter grade into the appropriate box below to compute your junior/senior undergraduate GPA. You should ONLY include courses attempted from the time that you earned 60 semester hours or 90 quarter hours through the awarding of your baccalaureate degree.

GPA Calculator

A	<input type="text"/>	$\times 4.00 =$	<input type="text"/>
A-	<input type="text"/>	$\times 3.67 =$	<input type="text"/>

GPA calculation must include classes in which they earned an E or F.

GPA Calculator

A	<input type="text"/>	x 4.00 =	<input type="text"/>
A-	<input type="text"/>	x 3.67 =	<input type="text"/>
B+	<input type="text"/>	x 3.33 =	<input type="text"/>
B	<input type="text"/>	x 3.00 =	<input type="text"/>
B-	<input type="text"/>	x 2.67 =	<input type="text"/>
C+	<input type="text"/>	x 2.33 =	<input type="text"/>
C	<input type="text"/>	x 2.00 =	<input type="text"/>
C-	<input type="text"/>	x 1.67 =	<input type="text"/>
D+	<input type="text"/>	x 1.33 =	<input type="text"/>
D	<input type="text"/>	x 1.00 =	<input type="text"/>
D-	<input type="text"/>	x 0.67 =	<input type="text"/>
F	<input type="text"/>	x 0.00 =	<input type="text"/>
Total GPA			<input type="text"/>

Says where official scores must be sent. Explains exemptions. Give UF code.

Test Score Information

If you have taken or plan to take any of the tests listed below, check the box beside the test name and enter the information requested.

☒ Official test scores from the testing agency must be submitted to the Office of Admissions, PO Box 114000, 201 Criser Hall, Gainesville, FL 32611-4000.

Graduate Record Examination (GRE)

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📘 Results must be received directly from the Educational Testing Service. UF's institution code is 5812.

Test Date 1 /  (mm/yyyy)

[Add Additional GRE Test Date](#)

Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT)

Miller Analogies Test (MAT)

Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

English Proficiency Tests

📘 Proficiency in the English language is required of applicants from countries (including Puerto Rico) where English is not the official language. These applicants must submit official scores from one of the tests listed below. This requirement may be waived if you have been enrolled in a degree-seeking program for one academic year (in a country where English is the official language) before your anticipated term of enrollment at UF.

Results must be received directly from the Educational Testing Service. UF's institution code is 5812.

Paper Test Date 1 /  (mm/yyyy)

Internet Test Date 1 /  (mm/yyyy)

[Add Additional TOEFL Test Date](#)

International English Language Testing System (IELTS)

Michigan English Language Assessment Battery (MELAB)

University of Florida English Language Institute Program

Fundamentals of Engineering Exam (FE)

Special Programs Application

Select the items that apply if you have or are seeking governmental or external funding from one of these programs.

Please submit any supporting materials for each special program selected (e.g. a funding award letter from an external agency or your home government, McNair Scholar participation letter, etc.) by clicking the Upload Supporting Documentation button next to the program.

FAMU Feeder	<input type="text"/>
Fulbright Scholar	<input type="text"/>
McNair Scholar	<input type="text"/>
McKnight Scholar	<input type="text"/>
National Science Foundation Fellowship	<input type="text"/>
National Institutes of Health Fellowship	<input type="text"/>
Other (U.S. or Foreign)	<input type="text"/>

- Check if you are applying for any of the following.
- Assistantship
 - Distance Learning Program
 - Fellowship
 - Joint UF Degree
 - 3/2 Program

Upload Supporting Documentation

Accepted File Types: .jpg, .pdf, .gif, .png, .docx

Florida Residency Declaration

❗ A Florida "resident for tuition purposes" is a person who has, or a dependent person whose parent or legal guardian has, established and maintained legal residency in Florida for at least twelve (12) consecutive months preceding the first day of classes of the term for which Florida residency is sought. Residence in Florida must be a bona fide domicile rather than for the purpose of maintaining a residence incident to enrollment at an institution of higher education. To qualify as a Florida resident for tuition purposes, you must be a U.S. citizen, a foreign national in a nonimmigrant visa classification that grants you the legal ability to establish a bona fide domicile in the United States, a permanent resident alien, parolee, asylee, Cuban-Haitian entrant, or legal alien granted indefinite stay by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services. Other persons not meeting the twelve-month legal residence requirements may be classified as Florida residents for tuition purposes only if they fall within one of the limited special categories authorized by the Florida Legislature pursuant to section 1009.21, Florida Statutes. All other persons are ineligible for classification as a Florida "resident for tuition purposes."

Living in or attending school in Florida will not, in itself, establish legal residence. Students who depend upon out-of-state parents for support are presumed to be legal residents of the same state as their parents. Residency for tuition purposes requires the establishment of legal ties to the state of Florida. A student must verify that the student has broken ties to other states if the student or, in the case of a dependent student, his or her parent has moved from another state.

Qualification by Exception

If you do not meet the above criteria, you may qualify for residency based on an exception. Please check if one or more applies.

- (A) I am a **qualified beneficiary** under the terms of the Florida Prepaid College Program (s. 1009.98, Florida Statutes.) (Required: Copy of Florida Prepaid Recipient card)
- (B) I am **married to a person** who has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least the past 12 consecutive months. I now have established legal residence and intend to make Florida my permanent home. (Required: Copy of marriage certificate and/or other documents required to establish residency.)
- (C) I was **previously enrolled at a Florida state postsecondary institution** and classified as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. I am **transferring** to another Florida state postsecondary institution within 12 months of the previous enrollment.
- (D) I was **previously enrolled at a Florida state postsecondary institution** and classified as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. I abandoned my Florida domicile less than 12 months ago and am now **re-establishing Florida legal residence**.
- (E) **Active duty members** of the Armed Services of the United States residing in this state and their spouses and dependent children, and active drilling members of the **Florida National Guard**. (Required: Copy of military orders or DD2058 showing home of record)
- (F) **Active duty members** of the **Armed Services of the United States** and their spouses and dependents attending a Florida College System institution or state university within 50 miles of the military establishment where they are stationed, if such military establishment is within a county contiguous to Florida. (Required: Copy of military orders)
- (G) United States citizens **living on the Isthmus of Panama** who have completed 12 consecutive months of college work at the Florida State University Panama Canal Branch, and their spouses and dependent children. (Required: Copy of marriage certificate or proof of dependency.)
- (H) Full-time instructional and administrative personnel **employed by state public schools and institutions of higher education** and their spouses and dependent children. (Required: Employment verification)
- (I) Students from **Latin America and the Caribbean** who receive scholarships from the federal or state government. Any student classified pursuant to this paragraph shall attend,