

NCAA Division I

If you want to participate in athletics or receive an athletics scholarship during your first year, you must:

- **Graduate from high school**

- **Complete these 16 core courses:**

- 4 years of English
 - 3 years of math (Algebra 1 or higher)
 - 2 years of natural or physical science (including one year of lab science if offered by your high school)
 - 1 extra year of English, math, or natural or physical science
 - 2 years of social science
 - 4 years of extra core courses (from any category above, or foreign language, nondoctrinal religion or philosophy);
- Earn a minimum required grade-point average in your core courses; and

- **Earn a combined SAT or ACT sum score that matches your core-course grade-point average and test score sliding scale (for example, a 2.400 core-course grade-point average needs an 860 SAT).**

To German Standards a 2.4 PGA equals 2,7. The Abitur and Fachhochschulreife are both in the so called category I according to international standards and meet the core course requirements.