• Five years to complete four seasons of eligibility
  • May use one redshirt season to extend four seasons over five years
    • May not participate in any contest that season
    • 1 second in a contest = 1 season used
    • Football student-athlete may participate in up to four games in one season without using a season of eligibility
  • Medical hardship
    • Must meet NCAA criteria and qualifications
    • Never assume you will meet this exception!
• 6th Year Exception
  • Redshirt freshman year (Coach’s decision) + lost season due to injury
  • Deprived of more than one season due to circumstances beyond the student-athlete’s or the institution’s control
ACADEMIC & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

• NCAA benchmarks for each semester and each year
  – Undergraduates must be enrolled full-time at 12 credits per semester
• Graduate students must be enrolled in at least 9 credits per semester
  – Final semester exception
• Must pass minimum of 6 credits every semester
• Freshman must earn 24 credits in their first academic year.
• All other student-athletes must earn 18 credits in each academic year.
• Total amount of credit hours received:

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• Any academic fraud/misconduct will not be tolerated
• You have an ethical obligation to complete your own assignments
  – Tutors are not intended to, and may not, complete any of your assignments
• Misconduct = Ineligible/Expulsion
  – Plagiarism
  – Cheating
  – Falsification
  – Tampering
  – Incorrect Grades
• Always be honest & forthcoming when approached by university or athletics administrators
• Anytime a student-athlete asks for a grade change, the professor will record it