



Three (3) Credit Option Form

Student ID#:

Full Name:

I am requesting permission to register for three (3) credit hours of independent study, thesis, or dissertation for the

Semester/Yr:

This will be my last semester. I plan to complete my degree in,

Month/Yr:

I understand that I am ineligible for any kind of Assistantship by selecting this option. If a Work Authorization is offered, I understand I am eligible only one time to work at this reduced course load otherwise I must register for six (6) credits of regular coursework to be eligible.

If I do not finish my degree as stated above I understand that I am required to register full time in all subsequent semesters until my degree is completed. During fall and spring semesters full time enrollment is nine (9) credit hours with no support or twelve (12) credit hours with support. During the summer semester, full time enrollment is six (3) credit hours. Finally, I understand that I cannot use the three (3) credit option again.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Academic Advisor Signature

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Date

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Dean of Center for Graduate Studies

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Date

Note: Registering for less than six (6) credit takes you out of student status for financial aid and will impact loan repayment.