

National Taiwan Ocean University

Regulations for Early Graduation of Undergraduates for Outstanding Academic Performance

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- Article 1 These Regulations are established in accordance with Article 26 and its enforcement rules in Article 20 of the University Act, as well as Article 38 of the University's Academic Regulations.
- Article 2 Bachelor's degree students who meet the graduation qualifications and fulfill the following criteria for outstanding academic performance may apply for early graduation by one semester or one academic year:
1. Conduct grade of at least 80 each semester.

2. An overall academic grade average of at least 80 **and** ranking within the **top 25%** of their department, year, and class.

3. A physical education grade average of at least 70.

4. English proficiency:

(1) Daytime program students: Equivalent to or more than 600 points on the TOEIC test.

(2) Continuing education program students: Equivalent to or more than 550 points on the TOEIC test.

Article 3 Students eligible for early graduation due to outstanding academic performance must, after the confirmation of their grades for the graduation semester, submit an "Application for Early Graduation of Undergraduates for Outstanding Academic Performance." Upon completion of the review process for graduation qualifications, they may be granted graduation.

Article 4 Applicants for early graduation must complete an application form and attach copies of their transcripts and proof of ranking.

Article 5 Students who complete the required courses and credits for their department before the end of the prescribed duration of study but do not meet the criteria for early graduation must still register and enroll. The credits they need to complete will be handled in accordance with the University's course selection regulations.

Article 6 Transfer students in their third year are not eligible to apply for early graduation due to the brief duration of transfer and incomplete studies.

Article 7 These Regulations shall be implemented after approval by the Academic Affairs Meeting and reported to the Ministry of Education for reference.

(These Regulations apply to students admitted in the 2018 academic year and onwards.)

Note: These regulations are formulated in Chinese. In case of any discrepancies between the English and Chinese versions, the Chinese version shall prevail.