

Catalog Year is the university's method of determining which Academic Catalog your degree requirements will be based upon. Your Catalog Year is preset as the year you entered the university, however you can change your catalog year to any year following your original enrollment year. You cannot change your Catalog year to any year prior to enrollment, unless you are a transfer student. The University changes program requirements on a yearly basis; however you do not have to make those changes with the university. Your Catalog Year is locked in, unless you choose to change it. The changes the university makes may or may not be beneficial to you and should be discussed with your faculty advisor based upon your educational and career goals. Your Major, Minor and LACC requirements must be followed out of a single catalog; you cannot mix two catalogs for your requirements. If you choose to make the change please refer to the requirements for all components of your degree in an effort to make an informed decision. You can follow the requirements of a specific catalog for five years, after that five year period; you must change your catalog year to remain within that five year window. Starting with the 2010-2011 Catalog, the university will allow students to follow the requirements of a specific catalog for seven years, rather than the previous limit of five.