

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

UWM Requirements		CONSEQUENCES
English	Score of 637 or better on the English Placement Test, or Earn a grade of "C" or better in English 102, or Transfer to UWM with a grade of "C" or better in a course equivalent to English 102.	Cannot be promoted to junior standing without completing requirement.
Math	Math 105 Intermediate Algebra or higher level math (excluding Math 106)	Cannot be promoted to junior standing without completing requirement.
Foreign Language Requirement	Complete with passing grades at least two years of high school level instruction in a single foreign, or Complete with passing grades at least two semesters (6 credits) of college level instruction in a single foreign language, or Demonstrate foreign language ability by passing an approved placement/proficiency examination.	Must complete foreign language requirement to be eligible for graduation.
General Education Requirements (GER)	Obtain passing grades for courses identified as meeting the following distribution: Fine Arts – 3 credits Social Sciences – 9 credits (integrated into ATEP curriculum) Humanities – 6 credits (3 credits are integrated into ATEP curriculum) Natural Science – 11 credits (integrated into ATEP curriculum) Cultural Diversity – 3 credits*	Must complete to be eligible for graduation. Cultural diversity credits may be taken as part of another requirement (e.g., African Dance I satisfies Fine Art and Cultural Diversity Requirement)

ATEP Requirements		CONSEQUENCES
Admission	1. Cumulative UWM GPA of 2.5 (12 credits minimum), 2. Enrolled in Introduction to Kinesiology (KIN 200), Field Work in Athletic Training (KIN 212) and Responding to Emergencies (KIN 310) courses. 3. Enrolled in Anatomy and Physiology I (Bio Sci 202). (Earned grade of C or better prior to admission)	Ineligible to interview if requirements are not met.
Retention	1. Once admitted into the ATEP, the student must obtain a minimum semester GPA of 2.75 each semester to remain in good standing. 2. To remain eligible for clinical education coursework (KIN 416), students must obtain a grade of B- or better in each of the five competency courses (KIN 416)	1. Failure to obtain a semester GPA of 2.75 or higher will result in the student being placed on academic probation for one semester. A second semester GPA below 2.75 will result in dismissal from the program. 2. Students who fail to obtain the minimum grade of "B-" in any of the competency courses (KIN 416) cannot proceed in the program until the grade requirement for that particular course is met.
Foundation courses	Obtain a grade of " C" or better in each of the following courses prior to the end of the junior year. MATH 105 Intermediate Algebra PSYCH 101 Introduction to Psychology SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology BIO SCI 202 Anatomy and Physiology I BIO SCI 203 Anatomy and Physiology II CHEM 100 Chemical Science PHYS 120 General Physics I (Non-calculus) KIN 200 Introduction to Kinesiology KIN 270 Statistics in the Health Professions CLS 232 Introduction to Nutrition	One-semester appeals may be granted provided student has a 2.5 Cumulative GPA, and is concurrently enrolled in course(s) necessary to satisfy requirement.
Athletic Training Core Courses	To be eligible for placement in an internship, and ultimately eligible for graduation, students must obtain a GPA of 2.75 for the following courses: KIN 216 KIN 412 KIN 410 KIN 312 KIN 315 KIN 413 KIN 314 KIN 316 KIN 414	Must complete all courses with minimum 2.75 GPA to be eligible for internship placement and graduation.
Kinesiology Core Courses	To be eligible for placement in an internship, and ultimately eligible for graduation, students must obtain a GPA of 2.75 for the following courses: KIN 320 KIN 350 KIN 460 KIN 325 KIN 351 KIN 461 KIN 330 KIN 400	Students who fail to obtain the required 2.75 GPA may not be placed in an Internship and may not enroll in Kinesiology Internship and Seminar (KIN 489).
Cumulative UWM GPA	To be eligible for graduation, students must obtain a UWM cumulative Grade Point Average of 2.5.	Students who fail to obtain the required 2.5 Cumulative GPA are not eligible to graduate.

RETENTION CRITERIA

Academic Progression Criteria

Once a student is admitted into the ATEP, they are expected to achieve a GPA of 2.75 for all courses taken during each semester. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the student being placed on academic probation for the next immediate semester (Fall or Spring). Prior to the probation time period, each student meets with the ATEP Director to identify study strategies and time management techniques that may assist him/her in meeting the academic requirements. In some situations, a student may be required to participate in study table hours through the Athletics Department. Any student who fails to meet the academic requirements at the end of probationary time period will be dismissed from the ATEP. For complete details of the academic expectations, refer to the "Academic Requirements" table.

Clinical Progression Criteria

Students must achieve a grade of B- or better in each section of "Competencies in Athletic Training" (KIN 416) to progress in the ATEP. This class grade is based on specific criteria associated with student development and the demonstration of clinical competency and proficiency. The grading policy for "Competencies in Athletic Training" (KIN 416) is such that if a student does not demonstrate an appropriate level of competency and proficiency for all clinical skills identified in the syllabus, s/he will not be allowed to advance in the ATEP until the appropriate level of skill competency is met.

A student not meeting the clinical progression criteria (B- or better in KIN 416) will need to meet with the Director of Clinical Education to establish a plan for either:

- 1) Demonstrating proficiency in clinical skills and behaviors to allow progression to the next semester.
 - a. The KIN 416 instructor and the Director of Clinical Education will establish the clinical skills and behaviors that need remediation. It may be possible for a student to satisfy the requirements of this plan prior to the start of the next semester, thereby, progressing in the ATEP in a timely manner. If the student fails to meet the established criteria on the given schedule, he/she will be dismissed from the program.
- 2) Repeating the course- Since each section of "Competencies in Athletic Training" (KIN 416) is only offered one time each year, a student who is dismissed from the ATEP, must apply for re-entry the following year.

For complete details of the clinical progression expectations, refer to the "Clinical Progression Requirements" chart found in the "Policies" section of the handbook.

GRADUATION CRITERIA

The established graduation criteria include:

- Completion of 130 degree-credits for the B.S Athletic Training degree
- Cumulative UWM GPA of 2.5
- Cumulative GPA of 2.75 for the Athletic Training Core Courses and Kinesiology Core Courses, which includes satisfying minimum grade requirements that have been established for specific courses
- Successful completion of a KIN 489 Athletic Training Internship (640-hours)

Any student meeting the graduation requirements will also have satisfied specific clinical skill criteria, as this requirement is part of the course grade for "Competencies in Athletic Training" (KIN 416).