# REQUIREMENTS FOR STUDENTS MATRICULATING IN OR BEFORE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022

Learn more about Graduate College Academic Regulation 7.0 ([http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70](http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/#70)).

## Thesis Option

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|        | **Focus Area Requirements**                               |       |
|        | Select 9 focus area hours                                  | 9     |
|        | Select 6 Thesis hours                                      | 6     |

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## Non-Thesis Option

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|        | **Focus Area Requirements**                               |       |
|        | Select 12 focus area hours                                 | 12    |
|        | Select 3 Creative Component or Internship hours            | 3     |

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**Graduate College Master’s Program Requirements**

Learn more about Graduate College 2021-2022 Master’s Degree Program Requirements ([http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/](http://catalog.okstate.edu/graduate-college/)). Check the General Graduate College academic regulations for minimal GPA, language proficiency and other general requirements.