# REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF ARTS
## COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES
### THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

#### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

| Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) | 32 |
| Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) | 32 |

#### REQUIRED COURSES

**REQUIRED COURSES (15-18 hours):**

- MATH 5353, Abstract Algebra I
- MATH 5363, Abstract Algebra II
- MATH 5453, Real Analysis I
- MATH 5463, Real Analysis II
- MATH 5853, Topology I
- MATH 5863, Topology II

**CORE COURSES (0-6 hours):**

If only fifteen hours are taken from the required courses above, then another six hour sequence at the 5000 or 6000 level must be completed:

**ELECTIVES:**

Additional hours, selected in consultation with the student’s adviser and committee, to bring total applicable hours to 32.

The master’s degree requires the equivalent of at least two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master’s degree must carry graduate credit.

Master’s degree programs which require a thesis consist of at least 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master’s degree programs require at least 32 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master’s degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

A student who has done satisfactory graduate work and has earned a 3.0 grade point average may file for master’s candidacy.

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