Provisional admission is available to first-time OU North America and Europe (formerly Advanced Programs) applicants who have been awarded an undergraduate degree from a regionally accredited institution. Provisional admission provides applicants an opportunity to enroll in coursework while completing the admission process.

Provisionally admitted students are neither guaranteed nor promised admission to a graduate degree program at the University of Oklahoma. Admission to a graduate program at the University of Oklahoma is based on an evaluation of an applicant’s overall record, experience, and proposed area of study. The Graduate College does not set minimum GPA requirements and allows departments to evaluate applications holistically, but in general, successful graduate applicants possess a 3.0 cumulative GPA from their undergraduate and/or graduate work. Academic programs may set more stringent admission requirements. Please contact the program to which you are applying in order to determine any program specific requirements.

Applicants with international transcripts and/or applicants seeking admission as a visiting graduate student or unclassified graduate student may be admitted as a provisional graduate student, but must meet additional admission requirements before being admitted to a degree program. Please review the Graduate College Bulletin for details on required credentials.

While in provisional graduate student status:

- Provisionally admitted students are permitted to enroll in a maximum of three credit hours of letter-graded coursework.
  - It is the student’s responsibility to limit enrollment to three credit hours of letter-graded coursework.

- If a student does not upload a transcript of the last conferred degree at the time of application, it is the student’s responsibility to provide this transcript to PaCS Registration and Records as soon as possible, but no later than 30 days after submitting the application for admission.

- If the last degree-conferring transcript is not received within 30 days after submitting the application for admission, provisionally admitted students will not be permitted to enroll in further coursework at the University of Oklahoma.

- Provisionally admitted students may enroll only in courses offered through OU North America and Europe (formerly Advanced Programs).