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Compulsory Matriculation for Course Achievements and Exams

1. Decision of the Rectorate from 13 November 2007

On 13 November 2007 the Rectorate declared the regulations developed at the plenary session of the Rectors' Conference of the Swiss Universities (CRUS) on 8-9 March 2007, concerning *Deadlines for Course Achievements and Exams before/immediately after the Semester End* as binding for the University of Basel, valid from the fall semester 2007. The amendment "[or individuals]" in item c represents the University of Basel's decision for a more generous interpretation.

a. Course Achievements (including final examinations at the bachelor's and master's level as well as bachelor's and master's theses) are always connected to a specific semester.
b. Course Achievements must always be completed and documented before the end of the semester (31 July or 31 January).
c. Examinations set later for an entire cohort [or individuals] due to the program structure must be taken and documented before week 38 or 8. The same applies for repeat exams.
d. Students must be matriculated at the respective university up until the exams are completed or until they have earned any missing credit points.
e. From week 38 or 8, missing credit points can only be earned by students who are registered for the respective semester and who have paid fees.

2. Implementation and practical examples

If missing credit points are earned or performance examinations are taken from 22 February 2027 (beginning of the lecture period for the spring semester 2027), or written assignments have not yet been graded, it is necessary to re-enroll for the spring semester 2027 (CHF 850.-). The following table provides information on the dates by which performance exams (bachelor's exams, master's and diploma theses etc.) must be completed and graded so that re-enrollment for the subsequent semester is not required.

Registered for	Beginning of lecture period of following semester	Exam grade/ evaluation submitted	Registration for following semester required?
Fall Semester 2026	22 February 2027	by 21 Feb 2027	NO
		from 22 Feb 2027	YES
Spring Semester 2027	20 September 2027	by 19 Sep 2027	NO
		from 20 Sep 2027	YES
Fall Semester 2027	21 February 2028	by 20 Feb 2028	NO
		from 21 Feb 2028	YES