Elmhurst University

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EXPLANATION OF ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT

Elmhurst College proudly became Elmhurst University on July 1, 2020.

ACCREDITATIONS

The University is accredited by the following organizations:

- · Higher Learning Commission (hlcommission.org), a regional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education
- The Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education
- The Illinois State Board of Education
- · American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Council on Academic Accreditation in Audiology and Speech Language Pathology (graduate programs)
- Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA)
- American Chemical Society (baccalaureate)

CALENDAR

Since September 1968, Elmhurst University has used a 4-1-4 calendar with Fall (Term I) and Spring (Term II) of 14-16 weeks and a 3-4 week January Term (name changed from Interim/Winter Term in 1995). The calendar also includes an eight-week Summer term, equivalent to a standard college semester. Certain extension programs operate on an equivalent calendar but with terms and courses beginning and ending at nontraditional times of the year. Prior to September 1968, the College used a semester calendar.

CREDIT

The course unit is the measure of credit at Elmhurst University. One full course credit (1.00) is the equivalent to four (4) semester hours or six (6) quarter hours. Courses of greater or lesser value than one unit carry proportionately more or less credit in semester or quarter systems. .75 = 3 semester hours; .50 = 2 semester hours; .25 = 1 semester hour.

PROTECTION OF STUDENT'S PRIVACY

The enclosed transcript of a student's academic record is provided upon the condition that you, your agents or employees will not permit any other party to have access to this information, in personally identifiable form, without first obtaining written consent of the student.

VALIDATION

Official Transcripts bear the signature of the Registrar, in blue ink, and the seal of the University. Transcripts are delivered to a student or third party upon written request from the student or former student.

HONORS PROGRAM

Honors Program Member indicates completion of a minimum of 4.75 Honors credits (19 semester hours), with at least one Honors course at the 300/400 level, earned within the Elmhurst University Honors Program with a grade of B or better.

Honors Program Scholar indicates completion of a minimum of 6.5 Honors credits (26 semester hours), with a grade of B or better. This total must include a research component earned through Honors Independent Research (see course number 495 within each academic department) and/or the Honors Interdisciplinary Seminar (see HON 404) and/or a non-credit bearing CASE summer fellowship.

Honors Program Global Scholar (the highest distinction) meets all the Honors Program Scholar requirements and indicates completion of a credit-bearing international study experience.

GRADING SYSTEM

Grade	Grade Pts.	Description	
А	4.0	Excellent	
A-	3.7		
B+	3.3		
В	3.0	Good	
B-	2.7		
C+	2.3		
С	2.0	Satisfactory	
C-	1.7		
D+	1.3		
D	1.0	Poor	
F	0.0	Failure	
NF	0.0	Failure for non-attendance	

Courses with AU, I, NG, NP, P, S, U and W grade symbols are not computed in the grade-point average.

Repeated courses are designated with an "R" on the record with only the last grade being used to compute the grade-point average.

MISCELLANEOUS

Prior to June 1965, grade points assigned were "A" = 3 points; "B" = 2; "C" = 1; "D" = 0; "F" = 0 points. Grade symbols no longer in use: "NA" = Non-attendance, student either never attended or attending only during the open sessions of the course but did not officially withdraw; "WP" = Withdrawn passing; "WD" = Withdrawn below average; "WF" = Withdrawn failing.

DEGREES AWARDED

Degrees awarded to students between 1984 and 2002 (inclusive) are posted within the last term in which the degree was earned. The degrees awarded to students after 2002 are posted at the end of the transcript.

TO TEST FOR AUTHENTICITY: The face of this transcript is printed on blue SCRIP-SAFE® paper with the name of the institution appearing in white type over the face of the entire document.

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