

Estimated Total Number of Required Hours of Student Work Per Week

| Units | 15-week (f/sp) | 10-week | 8-week | 6-week | 3-week | TOTAL WORK HOURS |
|-------|-------------------|---------|--------|--------|--------|------------------------|
| 1 | 3 | 4.5 | 6 | 7.5 | 15 | 45 |
| 2 | 6 | 9 | 12 | 15 | 30 | 90 |
| 3 | 9 | 13.5 | 17 | 22.5 | 45 | 135 |
| 4 | 12 | 18 | 22.5 | 30 | 60 | 180 |
| 5 | 15 | 22.5 | 28.5 | 37.5 | 75 | 225 |
| 6 | 18 | 27 | 34 | 45 | 90 | 270 |

Contact hours + Outside work hours = Total Work Hours

To calculate total work hours per week for varying term lengths:

$$\frac{(\text{number of units}) \times 3 \times 15}{\text{number of weeks}} = \text{number of required hours of work per week}$$

Academic Senate Regulation 760: “The value of a course in units shall be reckoned at the rate of one unit for three hours’ work per week per term on the part of a student, or the equivalent.”