# How much time does a student spend doing homework?

A student should spend 2.5 hours a week per credit of a course. So, if you are taking a 3 credit course you should spend 8 hours a week on that course, with 3 hours of those being in class hours. Therefore, you should spend 5 hours a week on the 3 credit course a week, either reviewing notes or doing homework. Depending on the assignments though, you may not spend all 5 hours doing homework. 5 hours should be set aside for the course, but if they’re not all used consider it free time!