

UAB CREDIT HOUR PRODUCTION BY COURSE COLLEGE¹ AND ACHE LEVEL

Spring 2026 Compared with Spring 2025

Arts and Sciences

ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	60,798	61,867	1,069	1.8%
Upper Division UG	17,060	16,924	(136)	-0.8%
Graduate One	7,502	5,119	(2,383)	-31.8%
Graduate Two	2,365	2,175	(190)	-8.0%
Total	87,725	86,085	(1,640)	-1.9%

Business

ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	7,313	7,526	213	2.9%
Upper Division UG	13,785	14,135	350	2.5%
Graduate One	6,018	5,178	(840)	-14.0%
Total	27,116	26,839	(277)	-1.0%

Dentistry³

ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	144	144	-	0.0%
Total	144	144	-	0.0%

Education and Human Sciences

ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	3,146	3,063	(83)	-2.6%
Upper Division UG	4,087	3,871	(216)	-5.3%
Graduate One	3,295	2,884	(411)	-12.5%
Graduate Two	303	233	(70)	-23.1%
Total	10,831	10,051	(780)	-7.2%

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Engineering				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	2,995	3,496	501	16.7%
Upper Division UG	3,940	4,013	73	1.9%
Graduate One	3,411	2,600	(811)	-23.8%
Graduate Two	649	594	(55)	-8.5%
Total	10,995	10,703	(292)	-2.7%

Graduate School				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Graduate One	914	829	(85)	-9.3%
Graduate Two	482	321	(161)	-33.4%
Total	1,396	1,150	(246)	-17.6%

Health Professions				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	1,602	1,797	195	12.2%
Upper Division UG	7,103	6,628	(475)	-6.7%
Graduate One	7,542	8,175	633	8.4%
Graduate Two	4,945	5,031	86	1.7%
Total	21,192	21,631	439	2.1%

Honors College⁴				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	1,230	1,304	74	6.0%
Upper Division UG	660	540	(120)	-18.2%
Total	1,890	1,844	(46)	-2.4%

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Joint Health Sciences⁵				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	408	469	61	15.0%
Upper Division UG	1,944	1,910	(34)	-1.7%
Graduate One	733	640	(93)	-12.7%
Graduate Two	3,452	3,600	148	4.3%
Total	6,537	6,619	82	1.3%

Medicine⁶				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Upper Division UG	-	12	12	#DIV/0!
Graduate One	405	639	234	57.8%
Graduate Two	-	33	33	#DIV/0!
Total	405	639	234	57.8%

Nursing				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	105	195	90	85.7%
Upper Division UG	8,883	9,078	195	2.2%
Graduate One	6,176	6,433	257	4.2%
Graduate Two	6,345	6,663	318	5.0%
Total	21,509	22,369	860	4.0%

Optometry⁷				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Graduate One	59	68	9	15.3%
Graduate Two	128	111	(17)	-13.3%
Total	187	179	(8)	-4.3%

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Provost⁸				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	596	468	(128)	-21.5%
Upper Division UG	367	219	(148)	-40.3%
Total	963	687	(276)	-28.7%

Public Health				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	2,226	2,796	570	25.6%
Upper Division UG	966	1,103	137	14.2%
Graduate One	4,122	3,392	(730)	-17.7%
Graduate Two	527	481	(46)	-8.7%
Total	7,841	7,772	(69)	-0.9%

Total UAB				
ACHE Academic Level ²	Spring 2025	Spring 2026	Credit Hour Change	% Change from Spring 2025
Lower Division UG	80,563	83,125	2,562	3.2%
Upper Division UG	58,795	58,433	(362)	-0.6%
Graduate One	40,177	35,957	(4,220)	-10.5%
Graduate Two	19,196	19,242	46	0.2%
Total	198,731	196,757	(1,974)	-1.0%

¹ Course credits are assigned based on the course college/school offering the course. Courses leading to the D.M.D., M.D., and O.D. degrees in Dentistry, Medicine, and Optometry do not generate reported credit hours.

² Alabama Commission on Higher Education (ACHE) Academic Levels: Division of academic activity into four categories of instructional content designated as lower division and upper division undergraduate and graduate levels one and two. Note that these course level definitions apply to the instructional content of the academic activity not to the participant (student level).

³ Dental Assisting Program courses are counted under the School of Dentistry for credit hour reporting.

⁴ Honors College credit hours exclude honors-designated courses taught by other schools or colleges for which credit is awarded outside the Honors College.

⁵ Includes courses taught in course departments of Clinical Dentistry and Oral Biology which are within the School of Dentistry.

⁶ Includes credit hours from courses offered by the Department of Undergraduate Medical Education within the School of Medicine.

⁷ Includes credit hours from Vision Science courses within the School of Optometry.

⁸ The Provost's area includes credit hours from ROTC and Cooperative Education courses.

SOURCE: Institutional Effectiveness & Analysis 08/12/2026