

Degree Works is an online tool available to both advisors and students. It provides a real-time comparison of a student's academic coursework against program specific requirements.

To access Degree Works:

- 1. Log in to MyIUP
- 2. Click the Academics tab
- Under Advising Tools, click Degree Evaluation: Degree Works

For students:

- 1. Log into MyIUP
- 2. Click the Academics tab
- Under Academic Record, click Degree Works Academic Progress

The Notes tab in Degree Works is a feature solely for advisors. It's a simple way to keep track of any academic advice given to a student. These notes are visible to students, advisors, and deans, and they cannot be deleted once they

Degree Works is great way to look at a student's academic progress in terms of their major, as well as understanding what requirements they still need to meet. Degree Works outlines:

Major and minor credits received and required

Liberal Studies credits received and required

AP and transfer credits

Elective credits available for substitution of a requirement (if applicable)

The "What-If" option, found on the left hand side of the Degree Works page, allows an advisor or student to fill in a potential major or minor and see how those requirements would align with the credits a student has already earned. This is especially helpful for late major changes or declaring a second major. It ensures that students understand the new credits they will need to take and allows them to project how long the completion will take.

The GPA "What-If" Calculator is used by the student to see the impact of a particular grade on semester GPA and overall CGPA. The tool calculates a projected term and overall GPA based on previous and current courses. Various grades can be selected for exclusion via the repeat policy. The student's Banner ID must be entered to use this tool.

The GPA "What-If" calculator can be found through the Academics tab, under Advising Tools. For students it's listed under Advising in the Academics tab.

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