

**Minimum and Maximum Periods of Registration for Students
Admitted with Accredited Prior Learning (APL)**

Regulation 3.36 sets out the standard minimum and maximum periods of registration for all awards and refers users to this appendix for further information with regard to students admitted with APL.

Awards	Admitted with (credits)	To study (credits)	Minimum Period	Maximum Period
Honours Degree	240 180-225 120-165 60-105 15-45	120 135-180 195-240 255-300 305-345	1 year 1½ years 2 years 2½ years 3 years	3 years 4½ years 6 years 7½ years 9 years
Ordinary Degree	180-195 120-165 60-105 15-45	105-120 135-180 195-240 255-285	1 year 1½ years 2 years 2½ years	3 years 4½ years 6 years 7½ years
Foundation Degree / Dip HE / HND	120-150 60-105 15-45	90-120 135-180 195-225	1 year 1½ years 2 years	3 years 4½ years 6 years
Acc Cert / Cert HE / Cert Ed / HNC / Univ Dip / PGCE (Level 6) / PG Dip / Grad Dip	60-75 15-45	45-60 75-105	½ year 1 year	2 years 3 years
Univ Cert	45-60 15-30	45-60 75-90	½ year 1 year	2 years 3 years
Grad Cert	15-45	30-60	½ year	2 years
PG Cert / PGCE (Level 7)	15-30	30-45	½ year	2 years
Masters (second cycle)	120 60-105 15-45	60 75-120 135-165	½ year 1 year 1 year	2 years 3 years 4½ years
Masters (first and integrated)	300-315 240-285 180-225 120-165 60-105 15-45	165-180 195-240 255-300 315-360 375-420 435-465	1½ years 2 years 2½ years 3 years 3½ years 4 years	4½ years 6 years 7½ years 9 years 10½ years 12 years

Please note that these periods apply to all students, irrespective of the mode of study (ie: there is no differential between full-time and part-time students) and include any periods of intermission and additional time required as a result of mitigating circumstances.