UND Admission Guidelines for Students
Educated in Nicaragua Schools

Please note: These are minimum requirements. The university reserves the right to enforce higher requirements as needed without notice to meet the university’s enrollment needs.

**Freshman Applicants**

**Minimum High School Course Preparation**

- 4 years of native language
- 3 years of Mathematics (including beginning algebra, geometry, and advanced algebra)
- 3 years of Science (including one year each of two of the following: biology, chemistry or physics or physical science)
- 2 years of Social Studies

**Minimum Academic Requirements**

- Applicants must have a B- or (70 out of 100) cumulative grade point average in academic subjects at the secondary level. The following subjects are not included in the CGPA: character development, work and occupational education, music home economics, and physical education.
- Students who do not meet the CGPA requirement above but who rank in the top half of their high school graduating class will be given consideration upon receipt of their official rank from the school.

**SAT and/or ACT**

- The SAT and/or ACT is not required for admission for students educated outside the US or Canada. However, to qualify for UND freshmen scholarship the SAT and/or ACT is required and a GPA that fits into the US admission scales.

**Transfer Applicants**

**Minimum Academic Requirements**

- A minimum cumulative grade point average of B- (80 out of 100) in all transferable courses is required for admission.
- Transfer work completed within the United States requires a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 on a 4 point scale.
- Students attending higher national diploma programs should be aware that transfer credits are not awarded for vocationally-oriented subjects.