

# DEGREES AND CREDENTIALS

## GENERAL REGULATIONS

Fresno State College is authorized to grant the bachelor of arts, bachelor of science, bachelor of education, bachelor of vocational education, master of arts, master of science, master of business administration, and master of social work degrees. Public school credentials for which the college is authorized to recommend candidates are listed at the end of this section.

### APPLICATION FOR DEGREE OR CREDENTIAL

Application for degree or credential must be obtained and filed in the Evaluations Office at the beginning of the semester or summer session term during which the candidate expects to complete requirements. Dates for filing applications are listed in the *College Calendar*. All applications for degrees or credentials filed after the published dates incur a fine of \$2; failure to make application will delay the granting of the degree or credential. Diplomas for those completing degree requirements during summer sessions and the fall semester will be awarded at the following June commencement exercises. See *Fees and Expenses*.

### POST-BACCALAUREATE CREDIT

Effective fall 1964, upper division units earned at Fresno State College in the semester or summer session in which the bachelor's degree is granted but which are not needed in any way for such a degree will be listed on the student's record as *post-baccalaureate credit* subject to the following limitations: The student, at the beginning of the last semester, is within nine units of his bachelor's degree and is in good academic standing (not on academic probation). Only credit for courses in which grades A, B, C, or P are earned, may be counted.

Use of such credit for graduate degrees at Fresno State College requires special approval (consult Graduate Office). Use of such credit for other purposes is to be determined by the appropriate authority.

### BACHELOR'S DEGREES

#### EVALUATIONS

Transfer students are provided with an advanced standing evaluation as part of the admissions process. Other students, following the completion of 60 semester units, should file a request for an advanced standing evaluation at the Evaluations Office. This evaluation is a summary of general education courses completed and of requirements yet to be fulfilled for a degree. Due to staff limitations only one evaluation can be made for each student.

After evaluation, all transcripts become the property of the Records Office and are not returnable, even on loan. It is suggested that the student obtain duplicate copies of his record from his former schools and keep them for his personal file and for any other purpose for which they may be needed.

#### ELECTION OF REGULATIONS

A student remaining in continuous attendance in regular sessions and continuing on the same curriculum may, for purposes of meeting graduation requirements, elect to meet the graduation requirements in effect either at the time of his entering the curriculum or at the time of his graduation. The *General Catalog* lists the official graduation requirements for each year.