

Mathematics Fast Track Program

For students interested in pursuing graduate studies in Mathematical Sciences, the Mathematics Department offers an accelerated B.S./M.S. Fast Track that involves taking graduate courses instead of several advanced undergraduate courses. Acceptance into the Fast Track is based on the student's attaining a GPA of at least 3.20 in all mathematics classes and being within 30 hours of graduation. Fast Track students may, during their senior year, take 15 graduate hours which may be used to complete the baccalaureate degree. After admission to the graduate program, these 15 graduate hours may also satisfy requirements for the master's degree. Fast Track programs are offered in math, applied math, and statistics. It is *important to note* that the Fast Track Program is internal to UTD. **Graduate courses taken for undergraduate credit will not transfer as graduate hours to any other college or university.**

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- Applications can be obtained at the Natural Sciences and Mathematics Undergraduate or Graduate Advising Office.
- Students are responsible for taking the completed fast track application to the Registrar's Office.

Benefits of Fast Track

- If accepted into the program, undergraduate can take up to 15 hours of graduate level coursework.
- If accepted into the program, undergraduates will not have to take the GRE (Graduate Records Exam.)

Fast Track Registration

- Students must complete the "Petition for undergraduate student to take graduate courses" form. Under options, student must pick option 3 (the fast track option)
- The registration form can be obtained at the Natural Science and Mathematics Undergraduate or Graduate Advising office.
- Students are responsible for obtaining all signatures for the registration form and taking the completed registration form to the Registrar's office.