

# **Chung Yuan Christian University (CYCU)**

## **Regulations for Early Graduation based upon Academic Merit**

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- Article 1 Regulations for Early Graduation based upon Academic Merit (hereinafter the Regulations) are established pursuant to Item 2 of Article 26 of the University Act of Taiwan.
- Article 2 A baccalaureate student who satisfies the qualifications described below and who has completed the minimum credits required for graduation in such student's department may request graduation one semester or one academic year ahead of the regular time for study and graduation:
1. Students who rank in the top five percent (5%) of their class in their department and grade years for the previous three years (students studying in the Department of Architecture and Economic & Law for the previous four (4) years), may be allowed to apply for early graduation. However, undergraduate students who served in the military during the semester are not subject to this limit.
  2. Students who have never been recorded for more than two (2) demerits.
  3. Students of Physical Education whose academic performance has reached more than seventy (70) points.
- Article 3 After the close of the immediate semester when an early graduation application is submitted, if the student meets the minimum requirement for graduation credits prescribed by their department but does not satisfy the above-described qualifications for early graduation, they may not graduate ahead of time and shall continue enrollment and studying at CYCU.
- Article 4 A student, who wishes to apply for early graduation, after grades are confirmed, shall be approved by the CYCU Office of Academic Affairs for early graduation in accordance with CYCU policies and regulations.
- Article 5 All other relevant matters not covered in these policies shall be handled in accordance with the CYCU Academic Policies.
- Article 6 These regulations, rules, and policies and any amendments to them shall be promulgated and enacted after approval by the CYCU Meeting of Academic Affairs and reported to the Ministry of Education of Taiwan.