### REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF ARTS
#### COLLEGE OF ATMOSPHERIC AND GEOGRAPHIC SCIENCES
#### THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

**Academic Year**
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education
Summer 2019 through Spring 2020

**General Requirements**

| Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) | 30 |
| Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) | 36 |

### THESIS OPTION

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**Electives**
Choose 18-20 hours

**Total Credit Hours**
30

1Must include two seminars or graduate level courses in Geography; slashlisted courses, independent studies and research courses will not satisfy this requirement.

### NON-THESIS OPTION

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**Electives**
Choose 30 hours

**Total Credit Hours**
30

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### GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL MASTER'S DEGREES

The master’s degree requires the equivalent of at least two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master’s degree must carry graduate credit.

Master’s degree programs which require a thesis consist of at least 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master’s degree programs require at least 32 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may not be applied to the master’s degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master’s degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.