

## Admission Requirements for Students Educated in Sweden

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)
- 2 years of social studies [3 years for applicants to our College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS)]
- Applicants to majors in the LAS and Engineering colleges must have 2 years of a single foreign language (English may be used).

#### Minimum Academic Requirements

- Applicants with the *Avgångsbetyg* from *gymnasieskola* or *Komvux* (general studies line only) should have a **13/20** (where MVG=20, VG=15, and G=10) cumulative grade point average in academic subjects
- The following subjects are not included in CGPA: music, art, physical education, vocational and technical courses, or religious subjects.

#### Scholastic Assessment Test 1 (SAT 1)

- The SAT is not *required* for admission to Iowa State for students educated in non-American patterned schools.

### Transfer Applicants

#### Minimum Academic Requirements

- In general, transfer applicants to engineering must meet a higher standard of admission than that required of applicants to other majors. Because of the wide use of the *godkänd/underkänd* grading system, it is difficult to enforce the usual minimum grade point average requirements for applicants from Sweden. Each application is therefore reviewed on its own merits.