

Graduate Definitions

AFTE (Activity FTE)

A measure of the number of full time equivalent graduate students enrolled based on their course activity (including fee

(# of students) / 3

2. **Term fee programs, continuing fee**

(# of students) / 6

3. **Students enrolled**

Changes to definition:

- Prior to summer 2011, there was no separation of non co op and co op AFTE. All AFTE were

Ministry Full time/Part time Definition:

- A full time graduate student is one who meets at least one of the following criteria:
 - Enrolled in a doctoral program, and not on leave for the term
 - Enrolled in 2 or more courses in the term (undergraduate or graduate)
 - Enrolled in at least 1 designated full time course in the term (designated full time courses: thesis, extended essay, project, capstone, internship)
- A part time graduate student is one who meets the following criteria:
 - Does not fall into the criteria for full time as defined above
 - Is not on leave for the term

Total Department PFTE

The total PFTE for a department is the sum of the co op and non co op PFTE generated by students enrolled in academic programs offered by that department. A student registered in programs in more than one department is split between the departments.

Notes:

- Annual PFTE = summer PFTE + fall PFTE + spring PFTE
- PFTEs are calculated based on enrolment as of the end of the third week of classes each term
- Excludes on leave students

Changes to definition:

- Prior to summer 2010, there was no separation of non co op and co op PFTE. All PFTE were calculated using the formula listed above for non co op PFTE, and a co op term was treated as a regular course in the calculation.
- Prior to summer 2007, PFTE were calculated based on enrolment as of the end of the seventh week of classes each term.

Specialty Fee Flag

- Regular programs are programs where students pay the regular tuition fee.
- Specialty programs are programs where students pay a different fee.

Tuition Type

Graduate students are registered in one of 2 types of programs: per term fee programs and per credit fee programs.

- In **per term** fee programs, students pay a **full time fee** for each term of registration. After (6, 8) completed terms of full time