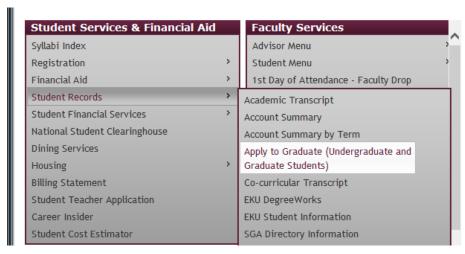
# **EKU Direct Graduation Application FAQs**

## 1. Where do I apply?

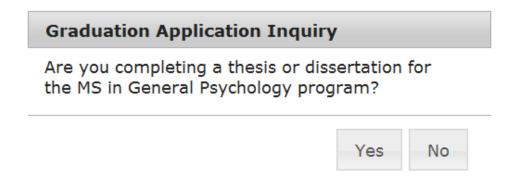
After logging into EKU Direct, select "Student Services & Financial Aid", "Student Records" and "Apply to Graduate".



#### 2. Completing a Thesis or Dissertation?

A popup question will display after choosing your curriculum. <u>"Yes" should only be chosen if you are truly completing a Thesis/Dissertation.</u>

Exit requirement types such as; Research Project, Capstone, Comprehensive Exams, Internships, etc. should select "No".



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#### 3. Pursuing more than one degree program?

A student pursuing both a Masters, Specialist or Doctoral degree AND a University Certificate will need to <u>apply once for each program</u>. Any graduation fees or late fees will apply to each application.

## 4. How much does it cost to graduate?

University Certificate - \$20
Masters/Specialist/Doctorate - \$55
Late Fees (\*After Deadline) - \$50 or \$100 depending on application submission date.

\*See <u>Graduate School Calendar</u> or <u>Graduation & Commencement</u> for deadline dates.

## 5. What are the eligibility rules to apply for graduation?

- Masters/Specialist/Doctoral degree Earned at least 12 graduate level credits with a cumulative GPA of 2.0\* or higher.
- University Certificate Earned at least 3 graduate level credits with a cumulative GPA of 2.0\* or higher.

\*Students must have a cumulative 3.0 at the end of the term they plan to graduate in order to earn their degree.

#### 6. Why can't I select a certain term to graduate?

The application is set up for one calendar year at a time. Example- Fall 2016 will become available after November 30, 2015. No applications will be available for the term after the deadlines below:

- **Spring** Last day to apply is <u>April 30</u>
- **Summer** Last day to apply is <u>July 31</u>
- Fall Last day to apply is November 30