To participate in graduation exercises and graduate with a Baccalaureate degree from Bethel University, each student must fulfill the following requirements:

1. Complete a minimum of 128 college-credit semester hours (a minimum of 25% numbered 300 and above) with an academic average of C (2.0 GPA).

2. Complete the requirements of the University Parallel/General Education Core Curriculum for a Bachelor’s degree.

3. Complete a major concentration of courses with no grade below C and a minor concentration (if required) with an average of C (2.0 GPA).

4. Complete all required assessment procedures related to the major field and/or the core curriculum no later than the last day of classes for the term in which graduation occurs.

5. Complete the Application for Graduation form through the student portal on the Bethel student web site by September 30 for fall graduation, by February 18 for spring graduation, and by June 7 for August graduation.

6. Complete the Bethel University College of Arts & Sciences residency requirements
   - Complete at least 32 hours of the final 38 semester hours through Bethel University.
   - AND
   - Complete at least 18 semester hours in a major field and at least nine semester hours in a minor field through Bethel University.