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Virginia Commonwealth University

PRE-DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM 2006-07

This advising worksheet outlines the two-year pre-dental hygiene program requirements for application to the Division of Dental Hygiene, MCV Campus of VCU. Students are encouraged to also apply to professional programs at other institutions. The pre-dental hygiene program requires the courses listed below and 18-22 elective credits, totaling to a minimum of 60 semester credits. Grades of "D" are not acceptable by the Division of Dental Hygiene. Science courses must be completed within 6 years of matriculation. If you are a non-native English speaking applicant, you must have a minimum TOEFL score of 580 and a minimum Test of Written English (TWE) score of 4.5. Student may be required to complete CHEM 100 prior to enrollment in CHEM 101 depending on Chemistry Placement Test results

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Writing	Credits	Grade
ENGL 101 Writing & Rhetoric I (If you place out of ENGL 101 you must take an additional ENGL writing course. You must present 6 credits of ENGL writing courses.)		
ENGL 200 Writing & Rhetoric II Students must complete 24 credits before enrolling in ENGL 200.		

Math & Statistical Reasoning: Placement test or previous college credit required before enrolling.		
MATH 151 Pre-Calculus		
STAT 210 Basic Principles of Statistics		

General Biology: A grade of "C" or better is required in each before enrolling in other BIOL courses.		
BIOL 101 Biological Concepts		
BIOZ 101L Biological Concepts Lab		

Anatomy and Physiology		
BIOL 205 Basic Human Anatomy		
PHIS/BIO 206L Human Physiology		
PHIZ/BIOZ 206L Human Physiology Lab		

Medical Microbiology:		
BIOL 209 Medical Microbiology		
BIOZ 209L Medical Microbiology Lab		

General Chemistry:		
CHEM 101 General Chemistry I		
CHEZ 101L General Chemistry I Lab		

Introduction to Psychology:		
PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology		

❑ Has VCCS Associate Degree

General Sociology:	Credits	Grade
SOCY 101 General Sociology		

Effective Speech:		
SPCH 121 Effective Speech		

Humanities: Select a course from ARTH, Foreign Language, HIST, PHIL, POLI, RELS, Literature, or Music Appreciation.		

Visual & Performing Arts: Take 3 credits from Approved List E. It is recommended for students to take courses where they can develop fine motor skills and hand eye coordination. Students must present some kind of documentation of an experience where they developed these skills upon applying to the DH program.		

Electives: Take courses to make a minimum total of 60 credit hours. DENS 101 is highly recommended and is taught only in the spring semester.	Credits	Grade

❑ 60 Total Earned Hours