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BS-AAS to BS Dental Hygiene Online Completion-Major Code: 2063

This degree is not available in a guaranteed 8-semester plan for qualified freshmen. See your advisor to declare your major and sign an official degree plan.

The AAS-BSDH online completion program is designed for students who have completed an associate degree in dental hygiene from an accredited dental hygiene program and desire to advance their education toward a baccalaureate degree.

The prerequisites and co	requisites of the degree re	equirements are subject to ch	ange.		
PRE-PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: 88 hours					
Courses					
English composition	6 Hours	Note 1	Grade		
Speech	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade		
Mathematics	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade		
Lab science	16 Hours	Note 1 & 5	Grade		
Social sciences	6 Hours	Note 1	Grade		
Computer requirement	2 Hours	Note 3	Grade		
Dental hygiene credit for licensure held in escrow	52 Hours	Note 6	Grade		
SUGGESTED PROGRAM COMPLETION PLAN FO	R				
SPRING ADMISSION					
SPRING SEMESTER - 14 HOURS					
Courses					
DHYG 4542 Public Health Dentistry	2 Hours	Note 2 & 4	Grade		
RHET 3203 Textual Research Methods	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade		
MCOM 2223 Communication Theory	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade		
STAT 2503 Probability and Statistics I	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade		
Fine Arts requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade		
SUMMER TERM: 3 hours					
Courses					
History/Government requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade		
FALL SEMESTER: 15 hours					
Courses					
DHYG 4142 Advanced Dental Hygiene					
Theory for Special Needs Patients	2 Hours	Note 2 & 4	Grade		
HLTH 4103 Research in the Health Sciences	3 Hours	Note 2 & 4	Grade		
PYSC 2963 Developmental Psychology: A Life Span	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade		
SPAN 1304 Beginning Spanish I	4 Hours	Note 2	Grade		
Humanities requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade		

Total Hours: 120 At least 40 hours must be upper level

SUGGESTED PROGRAM COMPLETION PLAN FOR FALL ADMISSION

FALL SEMESTER - 15 HOURS

Courses

DHYG 4142 Advanced Dental Hygiene			
Theory for Special Needs Patients	2 Hours	Note 2 & 4	Grade
RHET 3203 Textual Research Methods	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade
SPAN 1304 Beginning Spanish I	4 Hours	Note 2	Grade
MCOM 2223 Communication Theory	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade
STAT 2503 Probability and Statistics I	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade

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SPRING SEMESTER - 14 HOURS				
Courses				
DHYG 4542 Public Health Dentistry	2 Hours	Note 2 & 4	Grade	
HLTH 4103 Research in the Health Sciences	3 Hours	Note 2 & 4	Grade	
PYSC 2963 Developmental Psychology: A Life Span	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade	
Fine Arts requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade	
Humanities requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade	
SUMMER TERM: 3 hours				
Courses				
History/Government requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade	

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NOTES

- 1. General Education Core Requirements, see Graduation Requirements section of catalog, with the following stipulations: mathematics MATH 1403 or mathematics with MATH 1403 as a prerequisite; lab science, 16 hours BIOL 1463/1461, BIOL 2203/2201, BIOL 2213/2211, and CHEM 1303/1301 are required; social sciences, six hours PSYC 1163 and SOCI 2753 are required.
- 2. These courses are used to determine major courses in residency, see Graduation Requirements section of this catalog.
- 3. ITA requirement, two hours. Select from ITA 1101, 1201, or 1251.
- 4. Enrollment in courses beginning with the DHYG or HLTH prefix requires admission to the dental hygiene program or the dental hygiene online completion program.
- 5. Science courses taken more than five years prior to program application may not be eligible. See advisor for more information and to request a science course evaluation.
- 6. Credit for dental hygiene licensure will be held in escrow. The student will receive credit for the following courses upon successful completion of the program: DHYG 2111 Dental Anatomy and Occlusion, DHYG 2313 Radiology, DHYG 2432 Head and Neck Anatomy, DHYG 3102 Pre-Clinical Dental Hygiene, DHYG 3103 Pre-Clinical Dental Hygiene Theory, DHYG 3412 Oral Embryology and Histology, DHYG 3113 Clinic I Theory, DHYG 3212 Periodontology I, DHYG 3213 Dental Hygiene Clinic I, DHYG 3443 Pharmacology, DHYG 3453 General and Oral Pathology, DHYG 4122 Clinic II Theory, DHYG 4132 Clinic III Theory, DHYG 4224 Dental Hygiene Clinic III, DHYG 4311 Periodontology II, DHYG 4372 Dental Nutrition, DHYG 4463 Dental Materials, DHYG 4512 Local Anesthesia and Nitrous Oxide, DHYG 4522 Ethics and Practice Management, and DHYG 4533 Community Dentistry and Dental Health Education.

A grade of C or better is required in ALL courses applicable to this program.

Prior to graduation students must demonstrate competency in financial literacy by satisfactory completion of FIN 1521 Personal Finance Applications (or an approved substitution) with a grade of C or better, or by a score of 70% or more on a challenge exam for FIN 1521.

Transfer Course Information

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. Students are guaranteed the transfer of applicable credits and the equitable treatment of the application of credits for the admissions and degree requirements. Courses transferability is not guaranteed for courses listed in ACTS as "No Comparable Courses." ACTS-Arkansas Course Transfer System http://acts.adhe.edu -select Course Transfer. See Acceptance of Transfer Credits section of the current academic catalog for a complete list of transfer provisions.

Student Degree Program Requirements

A student's degree program requirements are those specified in the catalog in effect at the time of declaration of program major. Students must meet the above program requirements and the graduation requirements as indicated by institutional and college policy. The program can be changed only with the approval of the official advisor. If original courses are eliminated, students may be required to meet new curriculum requirements in the degree program. If students are not enrolled for two or more consecutive terms (excluding summer terms), they must re-enter under the program requirements of the current catalog. Students are responsible for understanding program requirements and changes. This document is not official until signed and dated by both the student and an authorized university representative.

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Advisor Signature	Date	