

2015 - 2016 Old Dominion University Catalog

Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene

*Sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses based on placement into STAT 130M. ** Students may re-order as needed.*

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (26 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (13 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (13 credits)	
<u>General Education Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>General Education Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>
*ENGL 110C English Composition I	3	*ENGL 211C or 231C English Comp. II.	3
*CHEM 105N & 106N Intro to Chemistry	4	*BIOL 103 Basic Bacteriology	4
*SOC 201S Intro to Sociology	3	*PSYC 201S Intro to Psychology	3
Human Creativity (or other Gen Ed)	3	Interpreting the Past (or other Gen Ed)	3

SUMMER SEMESTER (OPTIONAL - 8 credits)

Consider taking BIOL 251-251 in summer so all sciences are complete at time of application

YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (26 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (13 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (13 credits)	
<u>General Education Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>General Education Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>
*BIOL 250 Anatomy & Physiology I	4	*BIOL 251 Anatomy & Physiology II	4
Literature (or other Gen Ed)	3	*CHP 318 Principles of Nutrition	3
Impact of Technology (or other Gen Ed)	3	*STAT 130M	3
Option D (300-400 level course outside College of Health Sciences) or Elective	3	Option D (300-400 level course outside College of Health Sciences)	3

At least 3 of 4 required sciences should be completed before applying to program, although completion of all sciences prior to applying is recommended; grades of B+ or better in all required sciences preferred.

YEAR 3 - JUNIOR (38 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (17 credits)	
<u>Major Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Major Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>
DNTH 300 DH Theory I	4	DNTH 305 DH Theory II	3
DNTH 301 DH Services I	3	DNTH 306 DH Services II	3
DNTH 302 Oral Anatomy & Histology	4	DNTH 307 Pharmacology	3
DNTH 303 Applied Dental Materials	3	DNTH 308 Oral Pathology	3
DNTH 304 Oral Radiology I	2	DNTH 309 Oral Radiology II	2
		DNTH 310 DH Therapies	3
SUMMER SEMESTER (5 credits)			
DNTH 316 DH Theory III	3		
DNTH 317 Anxiety & Pain Control	2		

YEAR 4 - SENIOR (33 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (18 credits)		SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	
<u>Major Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Major Coursework:</u>	<u>Credits</u>
DNTH 410 DH Theory IV	3	DNTH 416 Adm Leadership & Prof Dev	3
DNTH 411 DH Services III	6	DNTH 417W DH Theory V	3
DNTH 413 Community OH Planning	3	DNTH 418 DH Services V	6
DNTH 414 Educational Concepts	3	DNTH 419 Community OH Practice	3
DNTH 415 Research Methods	3		

* Program requirement, must be completed with a C or better; C- is not acceptable. Students must complete the following courses prior to entering the School of Dental Hygiene program: BIOL 103, BIOL 250 & 251, CHEM 105N & 106N, ENGL 110C, PSYC 201S, and SOC 201S.

**Students may need MATH prerequisite before taking STAT 130M depending on SAT/ACT score or previous math credit. Score of 460 or higher on Math SAT or 24 or higher on Math ACT or credit for MATH 101M or 102M or 103M with grade of C or better required for placement into STAT 130M.

NOTE: Oral Communication, Philosophy and Ethics, and Information Literacy and Research general education requirements are satisfied in the major. Option D satisfies the Upper Division General Education requirement by completing six (6) credits at the 300-400 level outside of the college of your major. Foreign language may be satisfied with 3 years of 1 or 2 years of 2 languages in high school; graduation from HS prior to 12/31/85, or with AA or AS Degree from VCCS.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major, including prerequisite courses, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours in upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C and ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and a writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.