

Degree & Certificate Requirements

Dental Assisting One-Year Certificate PROFESSIONAL TECHNICAL 2026-2027 Certificate Requirements

Major Courses

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Qtr. Completed	Comments / Substitution
DAST 101	Introduction to Dental Assisting [RE]	3		
DAST 111	Introduction to Dental Assisting Lab [RE]	3		
DAST 102	Dental Sciences I [RE]	3		
DAST 112	Dental Sciences I Lab [RE]	3		
DAST 103	Head, Neck, & Dental Anatomy [RE]	4		
DAST 104	Introduction to Dental Radiology [RE]	3		
DAST 114	Introduction to Dental Radiology Lab [RE]	2		
DAST 105	Dental Sciences II [RE]	5		
DAST 115	Dental Sciences II Lab [RE]	3		
DAST 106	Infection Control [RE]	3		
DAST 201	Dental Sciences III [RE]	4		
DAST 211	Dental Sciences III Lab [RE]	3		
DAST 202	Dental Sciences IV [RE]	4		
DAST 212	Dental Sciences IV Lab [RE]	2		
DAST 203	Office Management [RE]	2		
DAST 204	Dental Assisting Law & Ethics [RE]	3		
DAST 225	Dental Assistant Clinical Experience [RE]	10		

Subtotal 60

Major Support

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Qtr. Completed	Comments / Substitution
HSCI 147	Medical Terminology [RE]	5		

Subtotal 5

General Education

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Qtr. Completed	Comments / Substitution
PSYC& 100	General Psychology [S/B]	5		
English - select 5 credits from the following:				
ENGL& 101	English Composition I [C]	5		
ENGL& 102	Composition II [C]	5		
ENGL& 235	Technical Writing [C]	5		
Communication - select 5 credits from the following:				
CMST& 101	Introduction to Communication Studies [C]	5		
CMST& 210	Interpersonal Communication [C]	5		
CMST& 220	Public Speaking [C]	5		
CMST 260	Multicultural Communication [C]	5		

Subtotal 15

Total Credits Required 80