

Degree & Certificate Requirements

Dental Assisting Associate of Applied Science (AAS) PROFESSIONAL TECHNICAL 2026-2027 Degree 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		
BIOL& 241	Human A&P 1 W/ Lab [M/S]	5-6		
BIOL& 242	Human A&P 2 W/ Lab [M/S]	5-6		
BIOL& 260	Microbiology W/ Lab [M/S]	5-6		
Subtotal		20-23		

General Education

Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Qtr. Completed	Comments / Substitution
MATH& 146	Introduction to Stats [M/S] [Q/SR]	5		
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		20		
Total Credits Required		100-103		