

DENTAL HYGIENE B.S. -- UMMC

JCJC CURRICULUM SHEET

The sample plan of study is designed to prepare students for the University of Mississippi Medical Center's (UMMC) Department of Dental Hygiene. Following successful completion of all requirements, students will be awarded a bachelor of science degree in Dental Hygiene from the University of Mississippi Medical Center and will be eligible to apply to take national and state board examinations for certification and licensure as registered dental hygienists.

Students are urged to begin the application process early in the sophomore year and plan to take the Dental Hygiene Candidate Admission Test in the fall of the sophomore year. Admission is not automatic with the completion of the courses in the sample program. Application deadline is March 1, currently.

Students are advised to consult the UMMC catalog for additional details concerning the application process and deadlines. Confirmation of Hepatitis B vaccination must be provided at the time the student enrolls at UMMC. **The asterisk (*) identifies specifically required courses.**

FRESHMAN YEAR

ENGLISH COMPOSITION (6 HRS)

ENG 1113 English Comp. I* 3
ENG 1123 English Comp. II* 3

HISTORY (6 HRS)

HIS 1113 Western Civ. I 3
HIS 1123 Western Civ. II 3

SOCIAL SCIENCE (6 HRS)

PSY 1513 General Psychology* 3
SOC 2113 Sociology* 3

MATH (3 HRS)

MAT 1313 College Algebra* 3

BIOLOGICAL LAB SCIENCE (4 HRS)*

BIO 1134 Biology I or 4
BIO 2414 Zoology I 4
(choose one)

PHYSICAL LAB SCIENCE (8 HRS)

CHE 1214 General Chemistry I* 4
CHE 1224 General Chemistry II* 4

Note: Students pursuing a degree in Dental Hygiene at UMMC must observe in a dental office for 8 clock hours.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

HUMANITIES (6 HRS)

ENG 2323 English Lit. I 3
ENG 2333 English Lit. II 3
ENG 2413 World Lit. 3
PHI 2113 Intro to Philosophy 3
(choose two)

ACCOUNTING (3 HRS)

ACC 1213 Accounting I* 3

SOCIAL SCIENCE (9 HRS)

EPY 2513 Human Growth & Dev.* 3
PSC 1113 Am. Nat. Govt.* 3

FINE ARTS (3 HRS)*

ART 1113 Art Appreciation or
MUS 1113 Music Appreciation 3
(choose one)

COMPUTER SCIENCE (3 HRS)

CSC 1113 Computer Concepts* 3

BIOLOGICAL LAB SCIENCE (12 HRS)

BIO 2514 Anat. & Physiology I* 4
BIO 2524 Anat. & Physiology II* 4
BIO 2924 Microbiology* 4
**Prerequisite is a biology or chemistry course*

SPEECH (3 HRS)

SPT 1113 Speech* 3

NUTRITION (3 HRS)

FCS 1253 Nutrition* 3

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DENTAL HYGIENE B.S. -- NOTES:

A minimum of 63 semester hours must be completed prior to transfer to UMMC.

Students without an adequate high school math background, which includes a minimum of Algebra II, should enroll in a preparatory math course, such as Basic Math, Beginning Algebra or Intermediate Algebra, prior to College Algebra. Preparatory math courses will not transfer to other institutions.

This CHECK SHEET should be used to keep a careful record of grades for each of the courses and should be presented to the student's advisor for planning the schedule of courses each semester at JCJC.