

**DENTAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATE DEGREE**  
 Course Articulation for Diablo Valley College students  
 Applying to Santa Rosa Junior College  
 Revised Fall 2015

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Santa Rosa Junior College			Diablo Valley College		
<b>Dental Hygiene Prerequisites:</b>					
*PHYSIO 1 + *ANAT 1	Human Physiology General Human Anatomy	5 5	*BIOSC 140 + *BIOSC 139	Human Physiology Human Anatomy	5 5
*MICRO 5 <i>or</i> *MICRO 60	Microbiology Fundamental Microbiology	5 4	*BIOSC 146 <i>or</i> *BIOSC 119	Principles of Microbiology Fundamentals of Microbiology	5 4
*CHEM 60 <i>or</i> *CHEM 1A + *CHEM 8	Chemistry for Allied Health Sci General Chemistry Intro to Organic Chemistry	5 5 5	*CHEM 108 + *CHEM 109	Introductory Chemistry Introduction to Organic and Biochemistry	4 4
ENGL 1A	College Composition	4	ENGL 122	Freshman English: Composition and Reading	3
ENGL 5 <i>or</i> PHIL 3 <i>or</i> SPCH 3A <i>or</i> SPCH 9	Critical Thinking	3	Any approved CSU GE Area A3 course		3
FDNT 10 <i>or</i> FDNT 62	Elementary Nutrition Nutrition and Diet Therapy	3 3	NUTRI 160 <i>or</i> NUTRI 115	Nutrition: Science and Applications Nutrition and Health: Personal Applications	3 3
<b>Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association Requirements:</b>					
PSYCH 1A <i>or</i> PSYCH 4	General Psychology Child Psychology	3 3	PSYCH 101 <i>or</i> ECE 124	Introduction to Psychology Child Development and Psychology	3 3
SOC 1 <i>or</i> 2 <i>or</i> SOC 10 <i>or</i> 30	Sociology	3	SOCIO 120 <i>or</i> SOCIO 121 <i>or</i> SOCIO 125 <i>or</i> SOCIO 135	Introduction to Sociology Introduction to Social Problems Introduction to Marriage and Family Introduction to Race and Ethnicity	3 3 3 3
SPCH 1A <i>or</i> SPCH 60 <i>or</i> COMM 5 <i>or</i> COMM 6	Introduction to Public Speaking Communication Skills Group Discussion & Problem Solving Interpersonal Communication	3 3 3 3	COMM 120 <i>or</i> COMM 130 <i>or</i> COMM 128	Public Speaking Small Group Communication Interpersonal Communication	3 3 3
<p><b>All courses listed above must be completed prior to the fall semester of application period. All courses taken in conjunction with this program must be completed with a letter grade of "C" or better.</b></p> <p><b>*The science courses listed above must be completed with a combined minimum grade point average of 3.0. A minimum overall grade point average of 2.5 is required for the above six non-science courses combined.</b></p>					

ASSOCIATE DEGREE GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:					
Many of the courses listed above will also meet General Education Requirements. GE requirements must be completed prior to graduation, but it is highly recommended that the following courses be completed prior to entry into the Dental Hygiene Program. Graduation may be delayed if GE requirements are not completed before the start of the program. PLEASE NOTE: a course may be used only once to fulfill requirements in Areas A – G and Area I.					
Humanities	One course from Associate Degree Area E	3	One 3-unit course from DVC GE Area III – Arts and Humanities		3
American Institutions	One course from Associate Degree Area F	3	HIST 120 <i>or</i>	History of the United States before 1865	3
			HIST 121 <i>or</i>	History of the United States after 1865	3
			HIST 170 <i>or</i>	History of Women in the United States before 1877	3
			HIST 171 <i>or</i>	History of Women in the United States after 1865	3
			POLSC 121	Introduction to United States Government	3
American Cultures/ Ethnic Studies	One course from Associate Degree Area G	3	No comparable area		
Global Perspectives and Environmental Literacy (may double count in any other GE area)	One course from Associate Degree Area H	3	No comparable area		
Information Literacy	One course from Associate Degree Area I	1	LS 121	Information Literacy and Research Skills	1
Math Competency: 3-unit course under Communication and Analytical Thinking with a "C" or better or passing score on the Intermediate Algebra Competency Exam (ACE).		3	MATH 120 <i>or</i> higher	Intermediate Algebra	5
<b>Recommended Preparation:</b>					
CS 101A Users	Personal Computers for New	1	COMSC 101	Computer Literacy	4
HLC 160	Medical Terminology	3	HSCI 128	Medical Terminology	3

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