

Sample Biology BS Pre-Dental 4-year plan

Fall – 14 hours	Spring – 15 hours
BIOL 1800: Intro to the Biology Major (1)	BIOL 1821: Intro Bio: Organisms and the Environment* (5)
Math 1030: College Algebra (3)	CHEM 1111: Introductory Chemistry I* (5)
ENGL 1100: First Year Writing I* (3)	Math 1035: Trigonometry (2)
Core: US History and Government (3)	Comm 1040: Public Speaking (3)
Explore: Social Sciences (Psych 1003) (3)	
INTDSC 1003: University Studies (1)	
Activities: Get involved in student organizations, Start researching dentists to shadow. Volunteer/community service	Activities: Get to know faculty so that you can start inquiring about research opportunities, Volunteer/Community Service
Fall – 16 or 18 hours	Spring – 15 hours
CHEM 1121: Introductory Chemistry II* (5)	BIOL 2012: Genetics (3) **
BIOL 1831: Intro Bio: From Molecules to Organ* (5)	Chem 2612: Organic Chemistry I* (3)
Math 1100: Basic Calculus (3) or Math 1800: Analytical Geometry (5) *	BIOL 3802: Vertebrate Physiology* (3)
PHIL 2256: Bioethics* (3)	BIOL 3803: Vertebrate Physiology lab* (2)
	PHY 1011: Basic Physics I* (3)
	PHY 1011: Basic Physics Lab I* (1)
Activities: Patient experience exposure, shadowing, community service /volunteer	Activities: Patient experience exposure, shadowing, community service; Line up Research lab opportunities with faculty for the fall
Fall – 16 hours	Spring – 16 hours
English 3160: Writing in the Sciences* (3)	BIOL 3302: Evolution (3)
Math 1320: Intro to Probability & Statistics* (3)	Physics 1012: Basic Physics II (3)
CHEM 2633: Organic Chemistry Lab* (2)	Physics 1012: Basic Physics II lab (1)
CHEM 2622: Organic Chemistry II* (3)	BIOL 4732: Principles of Biochemistry *(3)
BIOL 2402: Vertebrate Anatomy* (3)	Explore: Humanities & Fine Arts (3)
BIOL 2403: Vertebrate Anatomy lab* (2)	Explore: Social Science (3)
DAT Preparation (if applicable)	Take the DAT exam no later than May
Take a Practice Exam	https://www.ada.org/education/testing/exams/dental-admission-test-dat
Fall – 16 hours	Spring – 12 hours
BIOL 3622: Cell Biology (3) **	BIOL 4889: Senior Seminar (2)
BIOL Diversity Course: Microbiology (3) **	Explore: Humanities & Fine Arts (3)
BIOL 2000 level Lab: Microbiology Lab (2)	Explore: Social Science (3) -also satisfy Cultural Diversity
BIOL 4000 level Lecture (3)	Advanced course to support Application (3) recommend BIOL 4652**
BIOL 4000 level Lab (2)	Elective (1) *needed if Math 1100 is completed
Explore: Humanities & Fine Arts (3)	
DAT School Interviews start – Good luck!	

- ✓ This plan was designed for students who plan to apply to dental school after their Junior (third) year of college with plans to begin dental school right after graduation. This plan is for a first-time college student. For students transferring credits, plans may differ.
- ✓ If you are not a biology major, you can meet with your major advisor to create a specific plan for your degree. Please keep in mind the activities and timeline for DAT preparation and testing. Depending on when you are applying to dental school, all pre-reqs should be completed before taking the test.
- ✓ Please keep in mind that each dental school may have their own set up specific requirements. You should contact the school of your choice to get a list of requirements that are needed for admission into their program.
- ✓ Each dental school determines its individual deadline date, which is the last date applicants can submit their ADEA AADSAS® applications to that school. <https://www.adea.org/GoDental/AADSAS-SchoolSpecificDeadlines/>

*Required before taking the DAT

**Recommended courses to take to support your application and admission