

Recommended Course Sequence (Prior to PTA Program Admission)

First Semester

English Composition I	ENGL 1113	3 credit hours
American History	HIST 1483 or 1493	3 credit hours
Introduction to Physics	PHYS 1024	4 credit hours
General Psychology	PSYC 1113	
Freshman Year Experience	FYE 1101	3 credit hours
		<u>1 credit hour</u> (recommended not required)
		13 credit hours

Second Semester

English Composition II	ENGL 1213	3 credit hours
American Government	POLS 1113	3 credit hours
Medical Terminology	OIS 1113	3 credit hours
Anatomy & Physiology	BIOL 2114	4 credit hours
		13 credit hours

Required Course Sequence when Accepted in the PTA Program

Third Semester- Summer*

Introduction to Physical Therapy	PHTA 1113	3 credit hours	Mon- Thurs 4 weeks in June 8:30 – 3:50PM with lunch break
Physical Therapy Procedures I	PHTA 1292	<u>2 credit hours</u>	
		5 credit hours	

Fourth Semester- Fall (12 weeks)*

Physical Therapy Procedures II	PHTA 2343	3 credit hours	Fall Class Hours- 12 weeks Mon & Wed 8:30-3:45PM Tues & Thurs 8:30- 2:30PM
Orthopedic Rehabilitation	PHTA 2388	8 credit hours	
Pathology for the PTA	PHTA 2432	2 credit hours	
Clinical Preparation I	PHTA 2321	<u>1 credit hour</u>	
		14 credit hours	

Intersession- Fall (4 weeks)*

Clinical Experience I	PHTA 2333	3 credit hours	4 week of outpatient clinical rotation Mon-Fri 8-5PM**
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Fifth Semester- Spring (16 weeks)*

Kinesiology for PTA	PHTA 2363	3 credit hours	Mon & Wed 8:30-2:30PM Tues & Thurs 8:30-12:15PM
Neurology & Pathology	PHTA 2353	3 credit hours	
Selected Topics in PT	PHTA 2473	3 credit hours	
Rehabilitation	PHTA 2414	<u>4 credit hours</u>	
		13 credit hours	

Sixth Semester- Summer (10 weeks)*

Clinical Experience II	PHTA 2434	4 credit hours	2 clinical rotations 5 weeks each Mon-Fri 8-5PM**
Clinical Experience III	PHTA 2534	<u>4 credit hours</u>	
		8 credit hours	

*Students must be accepted into the program to enroll in these classes.

**The clinical site's hours may differ, but the total time will average 40 hours per week of clinical rotation.

Note: In order to progress through the technical portion of the PTA program, each previous semester must be successfully completed. Prior to the first clinical experience, all courses in that semester must be successfully completed.