

DENTAL SCHOOLS PREREQUISITE COURSES TIME LINE

This **example timeline** presents the pre-dental course requirements for Texas and most out-of-state U.S. dental schools. *Please see our website for course numbers.*

For **COURSE OPTIONS** and **DETAILS** see the **PREREQUISITE COURSES** on the [PRE-DENTAL PATHWAY](#)

4 – YEAR PLAN

Your personal timeline may differ from this sample.

Work with your academic advisor to incorporate these courses into your personal degree plan.

SEMESTER 1

- Principles of Chemistry I
- Intro to Chemical Practice I (lab)
- Intro Biology I
- Rhetoric

SEMESTER 2

- Principles of Chemistry II
- Intro to Chemical Practice II (lab)
- Intro Biology II
- Statistics

Summer

SEMESTER 3

- Organic Chemistry I
- Genetics
- Biology lab
- Literature

SEMESTER 4

- Organic Chemistry II
- Organic Chemistry lab
- Microbiology

Summer

SEMESTER 5

- Physics I
- Physics I lab
- Biochemistry
- Anatomy

SEMESTER 6

- Physics II
- Physics II lab
- Physiology

Summer

Apply early June
Interviews start in August

DAT in Jan or Feb

SEMESTER 7

Interviews and pre-dental activities to become well-prepared for dental school and to strengthen your competitiveness if it becomes necessary to reapply.

SEMESTER 8

Summer