

DENTAL HYGIENE, A.A.-B.S.

This is a suggested course plan. It is highly recommended that you meet regularly with your academic advisor to determine your course selection and progress toward graduation.

Students who transfer to UNC under the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA) have all lower-level General Education requirements completed, but must complete these requirements through transfer or UNC coursework: Global Language, Research and Discovery, Lifetime Fitness, Communication Beyond Carolina, Campus Life Experience, and, where applicable, Supplemental General Education. Students who do not transfer in under the CAA should work closely with their advisor to determine which requirements apply to them for the IDEAs in Action General Education curriculum (<http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/ideas-in-action/>).

This catalog also includes a complete list of requirements for the Dental Hygiene B.S. degree (<http://catalog.unc.edu/undergraduate/programs-study/dental-hygiene-major-bs/#requirementstext>).

North Carolina Community College UGETC Curriculum

Code	Title	Hours
UGETC	English composition (ENG 111 + ENG 112 = UNC ENGL 105) ¹	6
COM 231	Public Speaking (UNC COMM 113) ^{1,2,3}	3
UGETC	Humanities/Fine Arts/Communications (2 additional courses from at least 1 discipline other than Communication; see UGETC list below)	6
PSY 150	General Psychology (UNC PSYC 101) ¹	3
SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology (UNC SOCI 101) ¹	3
UGETC	Social and Behavioral Sciences (1 additional course; see UGETC list below)	3
UGETC	Mathematics (see UGETC list below)	3-4
CHM 151	General Chemistry I (UNC CHEM 101/101L) ¹	4
Total Hours		31-32

Additional General Education Courses

Code	Title	Hours
XXX 111	Foreign Language Level 1	3
XXX 112	Foreign Language Level 2	3
XXX 211	Foreign Language Level 3 ⁴	3
CHM 152	General Chemistry II (UNC CHEM 102/102L) ¹	4
Elective		0-1
Total Hours		13-14

Other Required Hours

Code	Title	Hours
ACA 122	College Transfer Success (GENR ---)	1
PED 110	Fit and Well for Life (UNC LFIT 998) ²	2
Select One From: ¹		3-4
BIO 175	General Microbiology (UNC MCRO 251)	
BIO 275	Microbiology (UNC MCRO 251)	
Select One From: ¹		5-8
BIO 163	Basic Anat & Physiology (UNC BIOL 252/252L)	

BIO 165 & BIO 166	Anatomy and Physiology I&II (UNC BIOL 252/252L + BIOL 253/253L)	
BIO 168 & BIO 169	Anatomy and Physiology I&II (BIO 168 + BIO 169 = UNC BIOL 252/252L + BIOL 253/253L) ⁵	
Electives		0-4
Total Hours		15

Code	Title	Hours
Total Community College Hours		60

¹ Prerequisite for the major.

² IDEAs In Action Requirements: COMM 113 fulfills COMMBEYOND, LFIT 998 fulfills LIFE-FIT.

³ As the two years of Dental Hygiene coursework at UNC allow very few available hours for completing remaining General Education requirements, students are encouraged to take courses at the NC Community College that will satisfy these requirements through transfer credit where they are able.

⁴ All NC Community College Language courses numbered 211 are approved to transfer to UNC-Chapel Hill as a course that completes the GLBL-LANG IDEAs in Action requirement.

⁵ BIO 168 and BIO 169 taken together are awarded BIOL 252, BIOL 252L, BIOL 253, and BIOL 253L at UNC. Either course taken alone would be awarded BIOL 290 and BIOL 290L.

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Semester 5

Code	Title	Hours
CBPH 741	Introduction to Human Anatomy	3
DHYG 241	Nutrition	2
DHYG 252	Dental Radiology	3
DHYG 253	Dental Embryology, Histology, and Anatomy	3
DHYG 257	Introduction to Dental Hygiene	2
DHYG 257L	Preclinical Dental Hygiene	3
Total Hours		16

Semester 6



Code	Title	Hours
DHYG 261	Dental Pharmacology	2
DHYG 262	Dental Health Education	2
DHYG 263	Periodontology	2
DHYG 264	Histology	1
DHYG 265	Dental Materials	3
DHYG 267	Dental Hygiene Theory I	3
DHYG 267L	Dental Hygiene Clinic I	3
DHYG 414	Radiographic Interpretation	1
Total Hours		17

Semester 7

Code	Title	Hours
DHYG 351	General and Oral Pathology	2
DHYG 352	Community Dental Health	3
DHYG 357	Dental Hygiene Theory II	2
DHYG 401	Oral Microbiology	2
DHYG 402	Special Care in Dentistry	2

DHYG 403	Current Concepts in Periodontics	2
Total Hours		13

Semester 8

Code	Title	Hours
DHYG 362	 Community Dental Health Internship	2
DHYG 363	Dental Ethics and Jurisprudence	1
DHYG 367	Dental Hygiene Theory III	3
DHYG 393	Dental Hygiene Specialty Practicum	5
Dental hygiene elective (one to two hours) chosen from:		1-2
DHYG 390	Current Topics in Dental Hygiene	
DHYG 411	Death and Dying During Life's Experience	
DHYG 415	Advanced Clinical Dental Hygiene	
DHYG 417	Introduction to Dental Office Management	
DHYG 421	INTRO TO CLIN TEACH	
DHYG 422	Dental Hygiene Service Learning	
DHYG 423	Community-Based Dental Hygiene Service Learning	
DHYG 495	 Research Methodology ²	
Total Hours		12-13

¹ All major requirements must be completed at UNC. More information about the Dental Hygiene program can be found on the program's website (<https://www.dentistry.unc.edu/academicprograms/dh/undergrad/>).

² IDEAs In Action Requirements: DHYG 495 fulfills RESEARCH.

UGETC Course List (A.A. Curriculum)

Code	Title	Hours
English Composition (two courses)		6
ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry ¹	
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines ¹	
Humanities/Fine Arts (three courses from at least two different disciplines)		9
ART 111	Art Appreciation (UNC GENR 111)	
ART 114	Art History Survey I (UNC ARTH 151)	
ART 115	Art History Survey II (UNC ARTH 152)	
COM 120	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication (UNC COMM 120), OR	
COM 231	Public Speaking (UNC COMM 113)	
DRA 111	Theatre Appreciation (UNC DRAM 116)	
ENG 231	American Literature I (UNC ENGL 128) ²	
ENG 232	American Literature II (UNC ENGL 128) ²	
ENG 241	British Literature I (UNC ENGL 120) ²	
ENG 242	British Literature II (UNC ENGL 121) ²	
MUS 110	Music Appreciation (UNC MUSC 141)	
MUS 112	Introduction to Jazz (UNC MUSC 145)	
PHI 215	Philosophical Issues (UNC PHIL 101) ²	
PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics (UNC PHIL 160) ²	
Social/Behavioral Science (three courses from at least two different disciplines)		9
ECO 251	Principles of Microeconomics (UNC GENR 119) ³	
ECO 252	Principles of Macroeconomics (UNC GENR 119) ³	

HIS 111	World Civilizations I (UNC GENR 113)	
HIS 112	World Civilizations II (UNC GENR 113)	
HIS 131	American History I (UNC HIST 127)	
HIS 132	American History II (UNC HIST 128)	
POL 120	American Government (UNC POLI 100)	
PSY 150	General Psychology (UNC PSYC 101)	
SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology (UNC SOCI 101)	
Mathematics (select one course)		3-4
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy (UNC MATH 118)	
MAT 152	Statistical Methods I (UNC STOR 155)	
MAT 171	Pre-calculus Algebra (UNC MATH 110P)	
Natural Sciences (select 4 SCH from the following courses):		4
AST 111/111A	Descriptive Astronomy I and Lab (UNC ASTR 101/100L)	
AST 151/151A	General Astronomy I and Lab I (UNC ASTR 101/100L)	
BIO 110	Principles of Biology (UNC GENR 116)	
BIO 111	General Biology (UNC BIOL 101/101L + BIOL 103)	
CHM 151	General Chemistry I (UNC CHEM 101/101L)	
GEL 111	Introduction Geology (UNC GEOL 101/101L)	
PHY 110/110A	Conceptual Physics and Lab (UNC PHYS 101)	
Total Hours		31-32

IDEAs In Action Requirements not covered by the North Carolina Comprehensive Articulation Agreement that could be completed at the Community College:

COM 231 (UNC COMM 113) can fulfill COMMBEYOND; COM 120 (UNC COMM 120), CHM 251² (UNC CHEM 261 + CHEM 262L) or CHM 252² (UNC CHEM 262 + CHEM 262L) can fulfill RESEARCH, and PED 110 (LFIT 998) can fulfill LIFE-FIT.

¹ Students who complete both ENG 111 and 112 receive credit for UNC ENGL 100 + ENGL 105.

² Course may have prerequisite(s). Consult the North Carolina Community College Combined Course Library (<https://www.ncccommunitycolleges.edu/academic-programs/combined-course-library/>) for most current information.

³ ECO 251 + 252 = UNC ECON 101 + UNC GENR 119.

Additional Resources

Applying to Carolina

- The Office of Undergraduate Admissions (<https://admissions.unc.edu/apply/types-of-applications/transfer/>) provides information about the application process for transfer students.

Advising and Community College Course Selection

- For UGETC, Pre-Major, Elective, or GEC course options, please refer to the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement transfer course list (<https://www.ncccommunitycolleges.edu/academic-programs/college-transferarticulation-agreements/comprehensive-articulation-agreement-caa/>).
- Students should work with their community college academic advisor to ensure appropriate course selection for AA/AS degree completion.

Additional Resources

- To find out how your N.C. community college coursework will transfer to UNC, please view the transfer credit

list (https://tes.collegesource.com/publicview/TES_publicview01.aspx?rid=ff81c5a2-3ec7-4b31-a7fb-04e2fd5f0345&aid=ca8ebc64-42ca-4a2d-b16b-f8f68bbb6767)
for your community college campus.