

OZARKS TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Occupational Therapy Assistant

Preferred Course Sequence

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Preadmission Requirements		Fall I	Spring I	Summer I	Fall II	Spring II
¹ Composition I ENG 101 3	² Communication COM 100 3	OT Foundations OTA 100 2	Task Analysis I OTA 205 1		Practicum II OTA 241 3	**Practicum III OTA 285 6
Intro to Psychology PSY 110 3	Sociology SOC 101 3	Documentation And Reimbursement OTA 105 2	Practicum I OTA 211 2		Task Analysis II OTA 245 1	**Practicum IV OTA 286 6
Human Anatomy BCS 165 4	American Gov't And Politics PLS 101 3	Musculoskeletal Structure & Function OTA 110 3	Therapeutic Interventions & Adaptations OTA 215 5		Therapeutic Interventions & Adaptations II OTA 255 5	Professional Development Seminar OTA 270 1
10	Human Physiology BCS 205 4	Neuromuscular Movement Analysis OTA 115 2	Group Dynamics OTA 220 2		Screening & Assessment for the OTA II OTA 265 2	13
	13	Neurological Structure & Function OTA 130 3	Evidence- Based Practice for the OTA I OTA 222 1		Conditions in OT II OTA 275 2	
		Human Development in Occupational Therapy OTA 150 2	Conditions in OT I OTA 225 2		Emerging Practice & Special Issues OTA 276 2	
AAS Degree		14	Screening & Assessment for the OTA I OTA 235 2		Evidence-Based Practice for the OTA II OTA 280 2	
82 Total Hours			15		17	

¹ENG 100 (Composition I w/support) or ENG 102 (Composition II) may be taken as an alternative to ENG 101

²COM 105 or COM 200 may be taken as an alternative to COM 100

****OTA 285 and OTA 286 must be completed within 18 months of completion of all other OTC coursework.**

EXCEPTIONS: Contact Allied Health Admissions (alliedhealthadmissions@otc.edu) if any of these apply:

- ✓ If you have taken BCS 120, BCS 145, or BCS 146, prior to the FA 18 semester.
- ✓ All BCS course(s) were completed more than 5 years ago.
- ✓ If a passing grade is not achieved after two attempts in any program preadmission requirement, an applicant may not be considered for the program. See the OTC policy for repeat course grades:
<https://students.otc.edu/registrar/course-repeat-policy/>
- ✓ If a 6 hour anatomy & physiology course has been taken at an accredited institution other than OTC and it has been taken within the last 5 years (based on final review of official transcript and in accordance with specific transfer credit), BCS 205 would be required to complete the 8 credit hour A&P progression.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT PREADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- **Application Deadline: April 15**
- The overall GPA must be 2.5 in the preadmission requirements to be considered for the interview process.
- Mid-term grades will be used if completing preadmission requirements in the spring semester.
- Preadmission requirements should be completed by the end of the semester in which the student is applying for highest score possible.
- The student may complete preadmission requirements in the summer but will only receive admission points for the courses completed by the admissions deadline.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Review the "[Application Checklist](#)" to complete the application process.
- The courses within the bold border represent the selective admission portion of the program.
- This block diagram is provided to aid in advising students and tracking course completion.
- OTC reserves the right to modify course titles, sequences, and content in accordance with college procedures.
- For more information, visit the OTA webpage at: <https://academics.otc.edu/alliedhealth/occupational-therapy-assistant/>.
- You may also contact Allied Health Admissions at (417) 447- 8965 or alliedhealthadmissions@otc.edu.

Background Check – Students with a felony or a significant criminal history may not be able to participate in clinical experiences at some of our sites and may not be able to apply for a license to practice. Contact the Allied Health Office for additional information (alliedhealth@otc.edu).

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