



Associate in Science (AS) Occupational Therapy Assistant

This Program Map is Part of the **Health Sciences Pathway**

Note: This Program Map is intended to serve as a guide; students should always meet with their Student Success Advisor to develop a personalized Education Plan.

Pre-Admission Courses

Students must have completed these courses when applying to the program.

	Course ID	Course Title	Credits
10 Credits	ENC 1101	College Composition I	3 Credits
	BSC 2085C	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4 Credits
	PSY 2012	General Psychology	3 Credits
Students Must Apply to the Program by September 1-30 for Spring Semester Admission			

Additional General Education Courses

Students may complete these courses at any time before the end of the program, including prior to admission to the program.

	Course ID	Course Title	Credits
16 Credits	BSC 2086C	Human Anatomy and Physiology II (See Note 2 Below)	4 Credits
	HSC 2554	Basic Principles of Disease	3 Credits
	MGF 1106, or MAC 1105, or STA 2023	Topics in Mathematics, or College Algebra, or Introduction to Probability and Statistics (See Note 3 Below)	3 Credits
	POS 2041	American National Government (See Note 4 Below)	3 Credits
	Humanities	Humanities General Education Course (See Note 5 Below)	3 Credits

Program Map for Admitted Students

Admitted Students Begin Program Courses in the Spring Semester

Term	Course ID	Course Title	Credits
Term 1 12 Credits	OTH 1001C	Introduction to Occupational Therapy and Lab	5 Credits
	OTH 1520C	Pediatric Principles and Interventions	4 Credits
	OTH 2300C	Psychosocial Occupational Therapy and Lab	3 Credits
Term 2 2 Credits	OTH 1800	Level I Fieldwork	2 Credits
Term 3 9 Credits	OTH 1014C	Functional Anatomy and Kinesiology I and Lab I	4 Credits
	OTH 2420C	Physical Dysfunction Interventions and Principles	5 Credits
Term 4 13 Credits	OTH 1019C	Functional Anatomy and Kinesiology II and Lab	4 Credits
	OTH 2125C	Therapeutic Modalities and Lab	3 Credits
	OTH 2131C	Activity Analysis and Capstone	6 Credits
Term 5 12 Credits	OTH 2840	Level II Fieldwork: Physical Dysfunction	6 Credits
	OTH 2841	Level II Fieldwork: Psychosocial	6 Credits

Total Required Program Credit Hours: 74



A Few Notes

1. Students must meet all graduation requirements. To learn more about graduation requirements, refer to the last page of this program map and to [the College Catalog](#).
2. BSC 2086C Anatomy and Physiology II must be completed prior to Term 3 of the program if it has not already completed prior to program admission. It is highly recommended that students complete BSC 2086C prior to applying or beginning the OTA program.
3. Students must earn an appropriate score on a placement examination or complete MAT 1033 in order to enroll in MAC 1105 or complete MAT 1100 in order to enroll in MGF 1106 or MGF 1107. MAT 1033 and MAT 1100 are not included in the program of study and do not count toward total required program credit hours.
4. Pursuant to Rule 6A-10.02413 of the Florida Administrative Code, all degree-seeking students must demonstrate competency in civic literacy by both passing the Florida Civic Literacy Exam and by completion of either AMH 1020 (History of the United States: 1877 to the Present) or POS 2041 (American National Government). Students may also use AP or CLEP credit for one of the two courses options.
5. Students must take one of the approved Humanities General Education Courses in this program: ARH 2000, HUM 2020, LIT 1000, MUL 1010, PHI 2010, or THE 1000.

Program: AS-25535 – **2022-23 Catalog Year**



Additional Information



Minimum Graduation Requirements

To qualify for graduation at Polk State College, a student must:

1. Complete all degree-seeking admission requirements, including the submission of all necessary transcripts and other required documents.
2. Complete the required credit hours in a prescribed program of study.
3. Complete any other applicable requirements (e.g., some occupational and technical programs require a grade of C or better in all program courses).
4. Have an overall cumulative GPA of at least 2.00. A minimum cumulative program GPA of 2.0 is required for graduation with a credit or vocational certificate, or an Applied Technology Diploma.
5. **For Associate in Arts and Baccalaureate Degree programs ONLY**, satisfy the foreign language requirement for graduation, which is proficiency at college-level II (or the equivalent).
6. Complete at least 25 percent of the credit hours required for the degree or certificate through instruction offered at Polk State College.

To learn more about graduation requirements, including the foreign language proficiency requirement for AA, BAS, and BS degrees, refer to the College Catalog at <http://catalog.polk.edu/index.php>.



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