

## TRANSFER GUIDE

### AAS Dental Assisting transferring into BS Dental Hygiene

Kaskaskia College Courses			
AAS Dental Assisting– 65 hours			
ENGL 101-3	English Composition I	DNTA 128-3	Dental Assisting Procedures I
MATH 130-3	Intro to Contemporary Math	DNTA 129-3	Dental Assisting Procedures II
PSYH 101-3	Psychology	DNTA 130-3	Dental Radiology I
SOCO 101-3	Sociology	DNTA 131-2	Dental Radiology II
BIOL 215-4	Microbiology	DNTA 132-2	Dental Materials II
HLTH 102-3	Human Health & Wellness	DNTA 133-2	Therapeutics & Emergencies
DNTA 110-3	Dental Science I	DNTA 135-2	Infection Control
DNTA 111-2	Dental Science II	DNTA 136-6	Clinical Practice
DNTA 112-3	Dental Anatomy & Physiology	DNTA 139-1	Dental Prevention
DNTA 114-3	Dental Materials	DNTA 140-2	Dental Office Management
DNTA 122-1	Dental Ethics & Jurisprudence	DNTA 141-1	Dental Nutrition
DNTA 126-1	Dental Terminology	DNTA 142-1	Dental Board Review
DNTA 127-2	Dental Expanded Functions	COMM 204-3	Interpersonal Communication
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses Capstone Option			
BS Dental Hygiene (DH)– 56 hours			
CMST 101-3	Intro Oral Communication	DH 410-3	Ethics, Practice Mgmt & Effective Comm
Elective-3	Humanities	DH 417-3	Multicultural/Geriatrics/IPC
CHEM 106-3	Chemistry & Society	DH 417I-1	Multicultural Internship
Elective-3	Fine Arts	DH 440-3	Research Methods
AH 105-2	Medical Terminology	DH 441-3	Advanced Periodontics
DH 401-2	Dental Hygiene Practicum	DH 441C-3	Dental Hygiene Clinic IV
DH 401L-2	Dental Hygiene Practicum Lab	Electives-22	300/400 level
Total Hours to Bachelor Degree: 121 Hours			

### Questions? Contact Us!

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**Salary Range:** \$40,000-\$80,000

**Possible Careers:** Lead Dental Hygienist  
 Pediatric Dental Hygienist  
 Registered Dental Hygienist

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## Baccalaureate Degree Requirements

Each candidate for a bachelor's degree must complete the requirements listed:

**Hour Requirements.** Student must complete at least 120 semester hrs of credit. Each student must have at least 42 hrs in courses that number 300 or above from a four-year institution.

**Residence Requirements.** Student must complete the residency requirement by taking a total of 42 semester hrs at SIU Carbondale.

**Grade Point Average Requirements.** Student must have a C average for all work taken at SIU Carbondale. Some academic programs may require a higher graduating major GPA.

## Compact Agreement

SIU Carbondale has recognized Illinois regionally accredited community college transferable baccalaureate-oriented Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degrees under the Compact Agreement since 1970. SIUC will continue to recognize the baccalaureate oriented associate degree (A.A. or A.S. degree) under the Illinois Articulation Initiative as satisfying SIU University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirements. The Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.), Associate in Engineering Science (A.E.S.), the Associate in General Studies (A.G.S.), and the Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) are not covered under the Compact Agreement and do not carry the same benefits as the A.A. and A.S. degrees.

## Saluki Transfer Pathways

[Saluki Transfer Pathways](#) is the university's dual admission program that allows baccalaureate-oriented students at eligible community colleges intending to transfer to SIU Carbondale to benefit from early admission and pre-advisement for a baccalaureate program at SIUC. Saluki Transfer Pathways allows students to be conditionally admitted to SIU Carbondale up to two years in advance of their intended transfer term so they have access to transfer credit evaluation and the university's degree audit system. This allows students to address major specific requirements that may not be automatically fulfilled with the completion of an associate degree. Students apply to Saluki Transfer Pathways by completing the Application for Undergraduate Admission and indicating an interest in the program. To participate, students must have at least two semesters remaining at their community college. Direct questions about the Saluki Transfer Pathways program to [transfer@siu.edu](mailto:transfer@siu.edu).

## DegreeWorks

DegreeWorks is an easy-to-use, online degree audit tool specifically designed for students. Once admitted to SIU Carbondale, you can use it monitor your progress toward your degree in [Salukinet](#).

## Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal (STEP)

The [Saluki Transfer Estimator Portal](#) (STEP) is a web-based tool that integrates institutional course equivalency and degree audit data to provide an unofficial credit estimation and a more seamless transfer process. STEP gives transfer students a clear roadmap for timely degree completion by providing key information about how transfer credits apply to your intended program at SIU.