



TRANSFER GUIDE

AAS Dental Hygiene Transferring into BS Dental Hygiene

Carl Sandburg College Courses			
AAS Dental Hygiene – 78.5 hours			
ENG 101-3	Freshman Composition I	DHG 125-4	Dental Hygiene Practice 2
SPE 120-3	Intro to Public Speaking	DHG 200-2	Dental Hygiene 3
PSY 101-3	Intro to Psychology	DHG 205-3	Dental Hygiene Practice 3
SOC 101-3	Intro to Sociology	DHG 210-2	Dental Hygiene 4
BIO 200-4	General Microbiology	DHG 211-2	Community Dental Health
NUT 100-2	Intro to Nutrition	DHG 212-2	Pathology
DHG 109-1.5	Preclinic Laboratory	DHG 213-2	Pharmacology
DHG 110-2	Fundamentals of Dental Hygiene	DHG 215-5	Dental Hygiene Practice 4
DHG 112-3	Dental Radiology	DHG 217-1	Clinical Apps Pain/Anxiety Control
DHG 113-2	Preventative Dentistry	DHG 218-2	Dental Office Mgmt & Jurisprudence
DHG 114-3	Head/Neck & Oral Anatomy	DHG 219-2	Periodontology 2
DHG 115-2	Dental Hygiene Practice 1	DHG 220-2	Dental Hygiene 5
DHG 118-1	Oral History & Embryology	DHG 225-5	Dental Hygiene Practice 5
DHG 119-2	Periodontology 1	BIO 211-4	Anatomy & Physiology I
DHG 120-2	Dental Hygiene 2	BIO 212-4	Anatomy & Physiology II
Southern Illinois University Carbondale Courses Capstone Option			
BS Dental Hygiene (DH) – 56 hours			
MATH 101/108-3	Intro Contemp Math/Coll Algebra	DH 410-3	Ethics, Practice Mgmt Effect 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: 134.5 Hours			

Questions? Contact Us!

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

Possible Careers: Dental Hygienist
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.

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.