

A Major Academic Plan (MAP) is one way to complete a degree in a set number of semesters. The *example* below is only one strategy. Actual plans for individual students will vary based on advisor recommendations and academic needs. Official Program Requirements including Major, General Education, Electives, and university requirements (see pg.2) are based on Catalog Year.

Course Subject and Title	Cr.	Min. Grade	*GE, UU or UM	**Sem. Offered	Prerequisite	Co-Requisite
Semester One						
GE Objective 1: ENGL 1101 Writing and Rhetoric I	3	D-	GE	F, S, Su	Appropriate placement score	
*HO 1111: Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology OR BIOL 2227/L: Human Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab OR BIOL 3301/L: Advanced Human Anatomy and Physiology 1 and Lab	4	C		F, S, Su F, S F, S	Appropriate placement score BIOL 1101 or 2227/L	
HO 1106: Medical Terminology OR CPH 2210: Medical Terminology and Communication OR HCA 2210: Medical Terminology and Communication	2	C		F, S		
PTA 1104: Introduction to Kinesiology	3	C		F	PTA 1107 AND BIOL 2227/L or 3301/L or HO 1111	PTA 1107 AND BIOL 2227/L or 3301/L or HO 1111
PTA 1105: Introduction to Physical Therapy	1	C		F	Admission to the PTA Program	
PTA 1107: Procedures I	5	C		F		PTA 1104
Total	18					
Semester Two						
GE Objective 5: BIOL 1101 Biology I	4	C	GE	F, S, Su	Appropriate placement score	BIOL 1101L
GE Objective 5: BIOL 1101L Biology I Lab	0	C	GE	F, S, Su		
*None OR BIOL 2228/L: Human Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab OR BIOL 3302/L: Advanced Human Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab	0-4	C		F, S	BIOL 2227 or 3301 BIOL 1101 or 2227/L	
HO 1107: Medical Law and Ethics OR HCA 4475: Health Law and Bioethics	3	C		F, S	MGT 2261	
HO 2208: Introduction to Pathology OR BIOL 2229: Introduction to Pathobiology OR BIOL 3306: Healthspan	3	C		F, S	HO 1111 OR BIOL 2227/L and 2228/L OR 3301/L and 3302/L BIOL 2228 BIOL 2227 or 3301 AND 2228 or 3302	
PTA 1106: Applied Kinesiology	3	C		S	PTA 1104, 1107	PTA 1108
PTA 1108: Procedures II	5	C		S	HO 2208, PTA 1104, 1107	HO 2208, PTA 1106
Total	18-22					
Semester Three (Summer)						
PTA 2213: Clinical Affiliation I	7	C		Su	PTA 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, BIOL 1101/L, AND HO 1111 or BIOL 3301/L	
Total	7					
Semester Four						
GE Objective 2: COMM 1101 Fundamentals of Oral Comm	3	D-	GE	F, S		
GE Objective 3: MATH 1153 Statistical Reasoning (Preferred)	3	D-	GE	F, S, Su	Appropriate placement score	
GE Objective 6: PSYC 1101 Introduction to Psychology	3	C	GE	F, S		
PTA 2202: Physical Therapy Assessment	4	C		F	PTA 2213	HO 2208, PTA 2205
PTA 2205: Therapeutic Interventions for Musculoskeletal Disorders	3	C		F	PTA 2213	HO 2208, PTA 2202
Total	16					
Semester Five						
PTA 2204: Professional Readiness	2	C			HO 2208, PTA 2202, 2205	PTA 2206, 2207
PTA 2206: Therapeutic Interventions for Neurological Disorders	2	C		S	HO 2208, PTA 2202, 2205	PTA 2204, 2207
PTA 2207: Pediatric Rehabilitation	1	C		S	HO 2208, PTA 2202, 2205	PTA 2204, 2206
PTA 2214: Clinical Affiliation II	7	C		S	HO 2208, PTA 2202, 2205	PTA 2204, 2206, 2207
Total	12					
*GE=General Education Objective, UU=Upper Division University, UM= Upper Division Major **See Course Schedule section of Course Policies page in the e-catalog (or input F, S, Su, etc.)						

2025-2026 Major Requirements	CR	GENERAL EDUCATION OBJECTIVES Satisfy Objectives 1,2,3,4,5,6 (7 or 8) and 9		15 cr. min
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	55-59	1. Written English	ENGL 1101	3
HO 1106: Medical Terminology OR CPH 2210: Medical Terminology and Communication OR HCA 2210: Medical Terminology and Communication	2	2. Spoken English	COMM 1101	3
		3. Mathematics	MATH 1153 (preferred)	3
HO 1107: Medical Law and Ethics OR HCA 4475: Health Law and Bioethics	3	4. Humanities, Fine Arts, Foreign Lang.		
*HO 1111: Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology OR BIOL 2227/L: Human Anatomy and Physiology 1 and Lab AND BIOL 2228/L: Human Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab OR BIOL 3301/L: Advanced Human Anatomy and Physiology 1 and Lab AND BIOL 3302/L: Advanced Human Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab	4-8	5. Natural Sciences		
		BIOL 1101: Biology I		4
		BIOL 1101L: Biology I Lab		0
		6. Behavioral and Social Science		
HO 2208: Introduction to Pathology OR BIOL 2229: Introduction to Pathobiology OR BIOL 3306: Healthspan	3	PSYC 1101: Introduction to Psychology		3
		One Course from EITHER Objective 7 OR 8		
PTA 1104: Introduction to Kinesiology	3	7. Critical Thinking		
PTA 1105: Introduction to Physical Therapy	1	8. Information Literacy		
PTA 1106: Applied Kinesiology	3	9. Cultural Diversity		
PTA 1107: Procedures I	5			
PTA 1108: Procedures II	5	General Education Elective to reach 36 cr. min.		
PTA 2202: Physical Therapy Assessment	4			
PTA 2204: Professional Readiness	2	Total GE		16
PTA 2205: Therapeutic Interventions for Musculoskeletal Disorders	3	Undergraduate Catalog and GE Objectives by Catalog Year http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/programs/		
PTA 2206: Therapeutic Interventions for Neurological Disorders	2			
PTA 2207: Pediatric Rehabilitation	1			
PTA 2213: Clinical Affiliation I	7			
PTA 2214: Clinical Affiliation II	7			
		MAP Credit Summary		CR
		Major		55-59
BIOL 1101/L: Biology I and Lab (counted in GE Obj. 5)		General Education		16
PSYC 1101: Introduction to Psychology (counted in GE Obj. 6)		Upper Division Free Electives to reach 36 credits		0
		Free Electives to reach 120 credits		0
		TOTAL		71-75
		Graduation Requirement Minimum Credit Checklist		Confirmed
		Minimum 36 cr. General Education Objectives (15 cr. AAS)		X
		Minimum 15 cr. Upper Division in Major (0 cr. Associate)		X
		Minimum 36 cr. Upper Division Overall (0 cr. Associate)		X
		Minimum of 120 cr. Total (60 cr. Associate)		X
Advising Notes		MAP Completion Status (for internal use only)		
If a student is pursuing the BSHS, BIOL 3301/L and BIOL 3302/L are preferred.			Date	
		CAA or COT:	JW 10/06/2025	
This is a competitive program with specific admission requirements, such as passing a background check and evidence of a current physical examination and immunizations. Please meet with the PTA Academic Advisor to discuss the process.				
General Education Requirements must be completed with a cumulative 2.0 GPA.		Complete College American Momentum Year Math and English course in first year-Specific GE MATH course identified 9 credits in the Major area in first year 15 credits each semester (or 30 in academic year) Milestone courses		