

<b>Degree:</b> Certificate <b>Major:</b> Physical Therapist Aide <b>Division:</b> Health Sciences	Program Code: (067)  Minimum Ret/Grad GPA . . . . 2.00 Minimum Total Hours . . . . . 35
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GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23 HOURS)	MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (12 HOURS)
<b>English Composition - 6 hours</b> ( <i>Select Both</i> ) ___ ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I ___ ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II  <b>U.S. History - 3 hours</b> ( <i>Select One</i> ) ___ HIST 1483 Am His 1492-1865 or HIST 1493 Am His 1865-Pr  <b>U.S. Government - 3 hours</b> ( <i>Select One</i> ) ___ POS 1113 American Federal Government  <b>Science – 8 hours</b> ( <i>Select Both</i> ) ___ ZOO 2124 Human Anatomy ___ ZOO 2114 Human Physiology <sup>1,2</sup>  <b>Required Course in General Education – 3 hours</b> ___ PSY 1113 Introduction to Psychology	<b>Required Courses – 12 hours</b> ( <i>First Year Program Courses</i> ) ___ PHTA 1113 Introduction to Physical Therapy ___ PHTA 1203 Applied Anatomy and Physiology ___ PHTA 1231 Clinical Orientation ___ PHTA 1283 Physical Disabilities ___ PHTA 1292 Physical Therapy Procedures I
<b>Totals: ----- Credit Hours: 23</b>	<b>Totals: ----- Credit Hours: 12</b>

Notation:

<sup>1</sup>By permission of Science or Health Science advisor

<sup>2</sup>Prerequisite of CHEM 1115

Special Graduation Note: “C” grade or better is required in all coursework.

Students are required to complete the following General Education & Major Requirement courses. Only currently admitted, former, or graduated PTA students are eligible for the certificate upon first year of the PTA program. Please consult PTA director for information.

**Semester-by-Semester Degree Plan**  
Physical Therapist Aide, Cert (067)

Course Number – Course Description	Hours
Freshman Year 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester – Fall <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I <input type="checkbox"/> PHTA 1113 Introduction to Physical Therapy <input type="checkbox"/> PHTA 1283 Physical Disabilities <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 1113 Intro to Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> ZOO 2124 Human Anatomy  Total:	3 3 3 3 4 <b>16</b>
Freshman Year 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester – Spring <input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1483 or 1493 American History <input type="checkbox"/> PHTA 1203 Anatomy and Physiology for PTA’s <input type="checkbox"/> PHTA 1231 Clinical Orientation <input type="checkbox"/> PHTA 1292 Physical Therapy Procedures I <input type="checkbox"/> ZOO 2114 Human Physiology  Total:	3 3 3 1 2 4 <b>16</b>
Freshman Year (Summer Semester) <input type="checkbox"/> POS 1113 American Federal Government  Total:	3  <b>3</b>
Graduation Requirements: 35 cr-hrs, 2.00 GPA	<b>Total Hours: 35</b>

**How to Use this “Semester by Semester Degree Plan”:** Courses are listed in the order courses should be taken and in what term. Students must be admitted to the PTA program and enrolled with the assistance of their academic advisor.

**Estimated Program Cost:** Students can complete this degree in 2 semesters. *Students should consult the PTA Department for a breakdown of tuition, fees, textbook charges, exam fees, uniforms, travel, supplies, and other expenses ...*