

DENTAL ASSISTING - DIPLOMA

Offered at: Big Sandy Community and Technical College, West Kentucky Community and Technical College

Program Plan Number: 5106024019

Progression in the Dental Assisting and Dental Hygiene Program is contingent upon the achievement of a grade of "C" or better in each (DAS) course, (DAH) course, and approved science courses.

Course	Title	Credits
General Education Classes		
<i>Program Related Classes</i>		
Select one of the following two options:		4-8
BIO 135	Basic Anatomy and Physiology with Laboratory	
BIO 137 & BIO 139	Human Anatomy and Physiology I with Laboratory and Human Anatomy and Physiology II with Laboratory	
Select one of the following three options:		3
Written Communication		
Oral Communications		
Heritage/Humanities		
PSY 110	General Psychology (Required at Big Sandy CTC, recommended at West Kentucky CTC)	0-3
Subtotal		7-14
<i>Integrated Classes</i>		
DAH 101	Infection Control & Medical Emergencies	2
DAH 121	Dental Sciences	3
DAH 124	Materials In Dentistry	2
DAH 131	Oral Pathology	3
DAH 135	Oral Radiology	2
DAH 235	Practice Management	1
Subtotal		13
<i>Dental Assisting Only Classes</i>		
DAS 125	Dental Assisting I	6
DAS 130	Seminar I	2
DAS 225	Dental Assisting II	2
DAS 230	Seminar II	1
DAS 245	Preventive Dentistry	2
DAS 250	Clinical Externship	5
Subtotal		18
Total Credits		38-45