

Pre dental majors at Snow will want to complete either an Associate of Science (AS) or an Associate of Arts (AA) degree. These are transfer degrees, designed to prepare you to transfer to a four-year college and work on a Bachelor's degree. Preparation for dental school involves curricular and extracurricular experiences which demonstrate communication, leadership, community service, research, and familiarity with the medical profession. Any major is appropriate. Study something you love



Which Classes Should I Take?

Students who wish to transfer to a four-year institution should take the courses recommended below. Note that these recommendations represent a minimal commitment to studying Premed.

Students who have a transfer institution in mind should consult that institution's Premedical Department regarding course transferability as soon as possible.

- BIOL 1010, 2320, 2420 + Labs
 - MATH 1050, 1060, 1210, 1220 (Some schools require more calculus)
 - CHEM 1210, 1220, 2310, 2320 + Labs
 - PHYS 2010 or 2210, 2020 or 2220 + Labs
- } Courses required at U of U

Visit the Life Science Department Website:

<http://www.snow.edu/lifesci/>

Web-site about Snow College Anatomy Class:

<http://www.snow.edu/~paulg/Anatomy/05GardnersAnatomyPage.html>

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Activities and Experiences

Dead Cats Society: DCS has a history rich in interaction between Snow’s faculty and experts in related biology careers. DCS meets weekly to discuss and learn more about the world in which we live. Gatherings include guest lectures, nature walks, and activities to improve habitats. DSC is made up of several committees – activities, trails, shadowing and recycling. Majors and non-majors alike are welcome to join the Dead Cats Society. For more information on DCS contact Paul Gardner (435) 283-7529, paul.gardner@snow.edu

BIOL 1820 Careers Medicine/Related Fields: This course will survey careers in medicine and related fields such as nursing, radiological technology, laboratory technology, physical therapy, dental hygiene, and exercise science. It will also address aspects of each career (character of the work, opportunities, schooling, etc.) as well as resources for learning of careers, factors in selecting a career, and successful preparation and application.

Most Medical Schools like you to have learning experiences outside the classroom. This helps build important skills for your career. Some types of activities and experiences could be volunteering in the community, exposure to clinical medicine, research, leadership ability. You also need to show the capability to handle a significant load of extracurricular activities in addition to your class work. Quality and depth of learning experiences are important, not just “checking things off the list”.

Associate of Science and Art Requirements

American Institutions 3*	ENGL 6	Math 2-5	OC 3
FA 3	HU 3	SS 3	PE 1096 1
Option 1: LS 3	PS 3	Labs 2	Scientific Inquiry 3
Option 2: LS 3	PS 3	Labs 1	Scientific Inquiry 3 MUST be a LS or PS
Associates of Arts requires a Physical Science and a Life Science – but only one science lab. You must complete 4 credits of one language numbered 1020 or above. (Undergraduate tutoring and 2800 special projects excluded.)			

Major preparation information is given only as a guide. Information is subject to change without notice. For most recent information, students must contact their transfer institution directly.

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