

2022-2023
TUNXIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE - ASSOCIATE DEGREE GRADUATION GUIDE
DENTAL HYGIENE (J11JB14)

STUDENT _____		BANNER ID# _____						
COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	COURSE TITLE - SUBS.			S.H.	SEM.	GRADE	QUALITY POINTS
		ELECTIVES/TRANS.	CREDIT					
PRIOR TO STARTING PROGRAM:								
BIO*121	General Biology I (a)				4			
BIO*211	Anatomy & Physiology I (a)				4			
BIO*212	Anatomy & Physiology II (a)				4			
BIO*235	Microbiology (a)				4			
CHE*111	Concepts of Chemistry (a)				4			
CSS-101	First Year Experience				3			
ENG*101	Composition (a)				3			
HLT*201	Nutrition for Allied Health Professionals (a) or				3			
DHY*205	Nutrition for Health Professionals (a)							
MAT*137	Intermediate Algebra (a) or				3			
MAT*137L	Intermediate Algebra for Liberal Arts (a)							
PSY*111	General Psychology I (a)				3			
FIRST SEMESTER:								
DHY*209	Fundamentals of Dental Hygiene Theory (a)				3			
DHY*210	Clinic - Fundamentals of Dental Hygiene Theory (a)				2			
DHY*212	Diagnostic Radiography for the Dental Hygienist (a)				4			
DHY*228	Histology & Oral Anatomy for the Dental Hygienist (a)				4			
SECOND SEMESTER:								
DHY*208	Dental Hygiene Professionalism, Ethics & Juris Prudence (a)				2			
DHY*225	Dental Materials for the Dental Hygienist (a)				2			
DHY*233	Oral Medicine & Pathology (a)				2			
DHY*239	Dental Hygiene II Theory (a)				3			
DHY*240	Dental Hygiene II Clinic (a)				3			
SUMMER SESSION:								
DHY*264	Pharmacology (a)				3			
DHY*275	Pain Control & Local Anesthesia for the DH (a)				3			
THIRD SEMESTER:								
DHY*259	Dental Hygiene III Theory (a)				3			
DHY*260	Dental Hygiene III Clinic (a)				4			
DHY*262	Periodontics (a)				2			
DHY*267	Community Oral Health I (a)				3			
WINTER SESSION:								
SOC*101	Principles of Sociology (a)				3			
FOURTH SEMESTER:								
COM*173	Public Speaking (a)				3			

DHY*279	Dental Hygiene IV Theory (a)		2			
DHY*280	Dental Hygiene IV Clinic (a)		4			
DHY*274	Civic Engagement for the Dental Hygienist (a)		3			
OFFICE	Total Program SH		58			
USE	Total Program SH & Quality Points Earned					
ONLY	Total Program Grade Point Average					

(a) Prerequisite and/or corequisite required.

NOTE: The ability to obtain a license may be affected due to a felony conviction.

NOTE: A minimum grade of C or better (75 or above) is required in all courses for progression in the program.

Upon completion of 53 credits, this Guide must be signed below and filed with the Records Office.

Failure to do so may result in a delay in your graduation.

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

ADVISOR SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

The following quality point averages must be earned by students for academic good standing:

- 1.50 GPA up to 11 Semester Hours
- 1.70 GPA completion of 12-30 Semester Hours
- 2.00 GPA completion of 31-60+ Semester Hours

Students with averages less than those cited may have their achievements reviewed by their advisor. Such a review may result in a modified program or other formal action.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS - DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE STUDENTS

In order to qualify for graduation, a student must be accepted in a degree or certificate program and have:

- a. achieved a quality point average of 2.0 or more in the courses required for his/her program.
- b. Achieved a minimum grade of C- in Composition for all degree programs and where indicated for certificates.
- c. Filed with the Records Office, by March 1st or November 1st, a completed application for graduation.
- d. Filed with the Records Office a Program Guide signed by both the student and their advisor.
- e. Fulfilled all financial obligations to the College.
- f. Completed at least 25% of the minimum credit requirements for the degree or certificate at Tunxis Community College.

Graduation Honors: Graduation Honors will be awarded during the presentation of graduates. Honors are based on program grade point average. Honors criteria are listed as follows:

AA/AS Degree - 30 credits at Tunxis

- 3.90 – 4.00 = Highest Honors
- 3.70 – 3.89 = High Honors
- 3.40 – 3.69 = Honors

Certificate - 15 credits at Tunxis

- 3.50 = With Distinction

Note: Credits earned in developmental courses do not satisfy degree or certificate requirements.

THE FINAL AND ONLY OFFICIAL EVALUATION WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE REGISTRAR SUBSEQUENT TO THE ADVISOR'S SIGNATURE.