



WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Glen Oaks Community College

Fall 2016

Western Michigan University Dietetics Curriculum Guide

Pre-dietetics requirements:

- Students are admitted to the Pre-dietetics program for the first two years, and most apply for admission to the major (years 3 and 4) at the end of the second semester of the sophomore year.
- The application deadline is May 15 of each academic year, and must include the Didactic Program of Dietetics (DPD) application form, a letter of application, a non-refundable \$20 application fee, and official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended.
- Minimum admissions requirements:
 - Attainment of a cumulative GPA of 3.0;
 - Completion of a letter of application stating reasons for selecting dietetics as a career, and short- and long-term professional goals;
 - Completion of the following pre-dietetics courses:

WMU courses

GO course equivalents

MATH 1110

MATH 104

(The above course may be waived by ACT, SAT, or math placement score)

FCS 1000

No equivalent

FCS 1650

No equivalent

FCS 2250 or CIS 1020

CIS 101

FCS 2600*

No equivalent

ENGL 1050*

ENG 121 or 122

(meets Prof. 1)

BIOS 1120*

BIO 120

(meets Area VI)

BIOS 2320*

BIO 230 or ALH 230

BIOS 2400*

No equivalent

CHEM 1100/1110*

CHEM 133

(meets AREA VI)

CHEM 1120/1130*

CHEM 134

CHEM 3700/3710*

No equivalent

COM 1700

COM 110

(meets Prof. 4)

PSY 1000

PSY 101

(meets Area V)

SOC 2000	SOC 120	(meets Area V)
STAT 3660	No equivalent	
PHIL 3340	ALH 250	(meets Area VII)

*Students must have completed or be enrolled in the courses with asterisks, and have a minimum 3.0 GPA at the time of application. This program requires a 2.0 (C) or higher in all courses.

Important notes:

- In the third and fourth years of this program, there are other expenses that you will incur. Examples are: \$50 for a professional membership fee and \$10 for liability insurance.
- Admission to the last three semesters is determined by a selection committee.
- There are specific requirements for the application process, such as format for the letter of application, and where the application is to be sent, and to whom. For more information visit the dietetics program website, linked in the WMU website’s “Academics” (undergraduate) directory pages.

General education requirements:

- Please see the WMU [general education program transfer guide](#).
- Students from Glen Oaks should choose one class each from Areas I, II, III, and VIII.

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