



AAS in Dental Hygiene to  
Bachelor of Applied Arts & Sciences  
**Guided Pathway**  
Effective for the 2018-2019 Catalog



**PRE-ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS**

• BIOL 2401 – Anatomy and Physiology I (030)	• BIOL 2420 – Microbiology for Non - Science Majors (030)
• BIOL 2402 – Anatomy and Physiology II (030)	• CHEM 1405 – Introduction to Chemistry I (030)

Total Semester Hours: 16

**First Year - Collin College**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
DHYG 1201 - Orofacial Anatomy, Histology & Embryology	DHYG 1207 - General and Dental Nutrition
DHYG 1304 - Dental Radiology	DHYG 1219 - Dental Materials
DHYG 1431 - Preclinical Dental Hygiene	DHYG 1227 - Preventive Dental Hygiene Care
• ENGL 1301 – Composition I (010)	DHYG 1235 - Pharmacology for the Dental Hygienist
• SPCH 1311 – Intro to Speech Communication* (090)	DHYG 1261 - Clinical I - Dental Hygienist
	• PSYC 2301 - General Psychology (080)

Total Semester Hours: 15

Total Semester Hours: 13

**Second Year - Collin College**

It's best to apply to TAMUC a full semester before you plan to transfer. It will help if you submit a copy of this pathway with your application.

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
DHYG 1211 - Periodontology	DHYG 2102 - Applied Community Dentistry
DHYG 1215 - Community Dentistry	DHYG 2231 - Dental Hygiene Care II (Capstone)
DHYG 1239 - General and Oral Pathology	DHYG 2363 - Clinical III - Dental Hygienist
DHYG 2153 - Dental Hygiene Practice	• PHIL 2306 - Introduction to Ethics (040)
DHYG 2201 - Dental Hygiene Care I	• SOCI 1301 - Introduction to Sociology (080)*
DHYG 2361 - Clinical II - Dental Hygienist	

Total Semester Hours: 12

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You will need to apply for the associate's degree at your community college. Contact your advisor there for more information.

**Third Year – Texas A&M University-Commerce**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
• ENG 1302 - GLB/US-Written Argument/Research	• HIST 1302- U.S. History from 1865
• ANY MATHEMATICS CORE	• ANY DEGREE PATHWAY OPTION (090)
• ANY CREATIVE ARTS CORE	• PSCI 2302 - US/TX Government; Institutions & Policies <sup>2</sup>
• HIST 1301 - U.S. History to 1877	BAAS 326 Tech Techniques & Solutions
• PSCI 2301 - Principles of US and Texas Government <sup>2</sup>	
BAAS 301 Principles of Applied Sciences	

**Fourth Year - Texas A&M University-Commerce**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
TMGT 458 Project Management	TMGT 350 Principles of Technology Management
BAAS 345 Leadership Techniques	BAAS 445 Ethical Decision Making
BAAS 408 Advanced Problem Solving (Pre-Req BAAS 326)	Upper Level Elective
BAAS 351 Financial Tools for Managers (Pre Req BAAS 326)	Upper Level Elective
BAAS 443 Professional Standards	TMGT 303 Technical Communications

**This is not an official degree plan. Check with an advisor; degree plans may change in later catalogs.**

Part-time students may also follow this sequence. Developmental coursework may be required.

\* You may take a different course to meet this requirement. A specific list is available from your advisor.

• This course counts for the Core Curriculum at any public college or university in Texas.

For questions about the University portion of this guided pathway, contact  
the Applied Science Academic Advising Office at (903) 886-5155 or [Misty.Lair@tamuc.edu](mailto:Misty.Lair@tamuc.edu).