I. General Information
   A. This program is based on entrance requirements for the master’s-level Physician Assistant program at Wichita State University. Students applying to a different institution may find that the school of their choice requires slightly different courses. Pre-physician assistant students must complete general education courses as outlined in the catalog. Previously, students interested in pre-PA have completed our pre-medical and pre-osteopathic medicine program. However, that program no longer closely matches with the W.S.U. PA program.
   B. General education requirements must be met, as specified in the General Catalog of the College. These include 45 hours of courses at the 300 level or higher.
   C. Students must have a minimum grade point average of 2.2 for all biology courses on the major contract to graduate as a biology B.S. major.

Biology Requirements (45 hours)

- GB 140-141 Principles of Biology & Lab……………. 4 hours
- BO 212-213 Biology of Plants & Lab………………… 4 hours
- ZO 214-215 Biology of Animals & Lab……………… 4 hours
- MC 316-317 Microbiology & Lab…………………….. 4 hours
- MC 350-351 Molecular and Cellular Biology & Lab 4 hours
- GB 425-426 General Genetics & Lab………………. 4 hours
- GB 325 Bioscientific Terminology……………… 1 hour
- EB 480 Principles of Ecology………………………. 3 hours
- ZO 365 Pathophysiology ………………………….. 3 hours
- ZO 570 Mammalian Physiology…………………. 3 hours
- GB 480 Senior Experience in Biology ……….. 1 hour

Upper division electives in Biology...... 10 hours

Required Physical Science and Math Courses (23 hours)

- CH 123-124 Chemistry I & Lab…………………….. 5 hours
- CH 126-127 Chemistry II & Lab……………………. 5 hours
- CH 370-371 General Organic Chemistry I & Lab… 5 hours
- PH 140-141 College Physics I & Lab..................... 5 hours
- PY 520 Statistics…………………………………….. 3 hours

Additional Requirement by the PA schools (5 hours)
ZO 362-363… Human Anatomy and Physiology & Lab..5 hours

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