

Physical Therapy (DPT) Prerequisites

	General Biology (with lab)	General Chemistry (with lab)	Organic Chemistry (with lab)	Physics (with lab)	Statistics	Human Anatomy (with lab)	Physiology (with lab)	Kinesiology	Exercise Physiology	General Psychology	Additional Psychology	Behavioral Science	English Composition	Communication	Medical terminology	Other
George Fox University	6 Units	12 Units	Recommended	12 Units 3 Units 12 Units (w/ dissection & lab prefe		on & lab preferred)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Recomended: Biochemistry, Neurobiology, Genetics, Microbiology, and Advanced Anatomy	
Mount Saint Mary's University	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	Recommended	Recommended	13.5	Units	-	-	4.5 Units Written; 4.5 Units Spoken	-	Required: 4.5 Units Upper Division Science; Recommended: Critical Thinking, Ethics, Motor Learning/Developm ent, and Neuroscience
University of Utah	-	1 Year	-	1 Year	1 Quarter	1 Quarter	1 Quarter (w/ lab preferred)	-	1 Quarter	1 Quarter	1 Quarter	-	-	-	-	Required: 1 Quarter of Math (Trigonometry, Calculus, or Pre- Calculus)
Whitworth University	3 Quarters	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	6 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	6 Units	-	-	-	-	-	-
Azusa University	1 Quarter (or Cell Bio w/ Lab)	3 Quarters (General or Organic Chemistry)		3 Quarters	1 Quarter	1 Quarter	1 Quarter	Recommended	1 Quarter	2 Quarters (w/ General Psychology Required)		-	1 Quarter (& 2 Additional Humanities/Arts Courses) Required; Writing Course Recommended)	-	-	Required: 1 Additional Biology Course; Recommended: Athletic Training, Exercise Science, and Nutrition)
Boston University	4.5-6 Units	9-12 Units	-	9-12 Units	4.5-6 Units	4.5-6 Units	4.5-6 Units	-	4.5-6 Units		(General or tal Psychology)	-	-	-	-	-
Columbia University	12 Units	12 Units (Gene Chen	eral or Organic nistry)	12 Units	4.5 Units	4.5 Units (w/ Lab Preferred)	4.5 Units (w/ Lab preferred)	-	-	9 Units		22.5 Units	-	-	-	Required: 1 Additional Biology Course
CSU Fresno	5-6 Units	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	4 Units	-	-	-	-	8 Units (4 Units General or Developmental/Lifespan Psychology; 4 Units Abnormal Psychology)		-	-	-	-	-
CSU Long Beach	3 Quarters	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	1 Quarter	3 Qua	erters	-	ē	1 Quarter	-	-	-	-	ē	-
CSU Northridge	5 Units (or Microbiology)	10 Units (Gene Chen	eral or Organic nistry)	10 Units	4 Units	5 Units	5 Units	-	-	4 Units	4 Units	-	-	-	-	-
CSU Sacramento	-	12-15 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	4.5 Units	4.5 Units	4.5 Units	4.5 Units	-	-	-	-	-
Chapman University	2 Quarters (Any Bio w/ Lab)	3 Quarters (General or Organic Chemistry)		3 Quarters	1 Quarter	3 Quarters		-	-	1 Quarter			-	-	÷	-
Loma linda University	2 Quarters	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	Required	Required	Required	-	-	Required	Required (Developmental/ Lifespan Psychology)	-	-	1 Quarter	Required	-
Samuel Merritt University	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	3 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	3 Units	-	-	-	-	-	-
San Diego State University	3 Quarters (at lease 1 General & 1 Upper-Division)	3 Quarters	-	3 Quarters	1 Quarter	3 Qua	rters	-	-	1 Quarter	1 Quarter	-	1 Quarter	-	-	-
UCSF/San_ Francisco State University	12-15 Units	12-15 Units	Recommended	12-15 Units	4 Units	4 Units	5 Units	Recommended	Recommended	-	4 Units Abnormal Psychology; Developmental Psychology Recommended	-	-	-	-	Recommended: Neuroscience/Neuro anatomy and Motor Learning/Control/De velopment
University of Southern California	12 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	9 (Jnits	-	-	-	-	Recomended: Geometry or Trigonometry
University of St. Augustine	9 Units (General or Upper Level)	12 Units	-	12 Units	-	12 U	nits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Required	Required: 13.5 Units of Social Sciences
University of the Pacific	9 Units (Includeing an upper division bio with or without lab)	12 Units	-	12 Units	4 Units	5 Units	5 Units	-	4 Units	-	4 Units of Abnormal Psychology	-	-	-	2-4 Units	-
West Coast University	4.5 Units	12 Units	-	12 Units	4.5 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	-	-	9 Units (Life span Development Preferred)	-	-	=	-
Western University of Health Sciences	-	12 Units	-	12 Units	4 Units	6 Units	6 Units	-	-	8 Units (Abnorma Psychology F	l or Developmental Recommended	-	4 Units	-	-	-
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Units shown are quarter units. Some requirements shown are estimated equivalents to semester units.

If a school appears to have no requirements, then that school admissions requirements are based on competencies, not courses. See school website for details.

If you have any questions, contact the school or visit the school website.

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