

Pharmacy Schools – Marshall University Admissions Guide

Southwest Virginia Community College

Marshall University School of Pharmacy Transfer Guide

Students attending SWCC who elect to pursue the Pharm.D. degree program at Marshall University will take any/all of the courses listed in the articulation plan below through SWCC.



Upon transfer to Marshall University School of Pharmacy, the listed courses will be accepted by Marshall University as meeting the required pre-pharmacy course requirement indicated for that course.

As part of the **memorandum of understanding**, Marshall University School of Pharmacy agrees to grant automatic interviews to SWCC students who select to transfer to the Pharm. D. program and meet the minimum transfer requirements.

The minimum transfer requirements are:

1. Complete online Southwest Admission Application and make sure all required information, including transcripts from other institutions are provided to SWCC Admissions Office;
2. Declare a major in **Science: Specialization Pre-Medical**
3. Meet with Georgia Householder to find out course substitutions that will allow students to obtain an Associate of Arts and Sciences Degree. Email: georgia.householder@sw.edu, Telephone: 276.964.7397
4. Receiving this degree and maintaining a high overall GPA and science GPA will enhance chance for admission to a four-year college or university or professional school
5. No PCAT® required
6. Application to Marshall University Pharmacy School is through the online Pharmacy College Application Service (PharmCAS, at <http://www.pharmcas.org>).
7. Submission of supplemental application.
8. Obtain three strong letters of recommendation.
9. Successful completion of an on-campus admissions interview.
10. Meet Marshall University School of Pharmacy admission standards
Visit <https://www.marshall.edu/pharmacy/pharmd/> for details.
11. Take a virtual tour of the new MUCOP building
<https://www.marshall.edu/pharmacy/>

There is graduate housing available and a research track for students

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Articulation Plan for Marshall University

SUMMER SEMESTER YEAR ONE

#*CHM 111	Chemistry I	4 credits
#*CHM 112	Chemistry II	4 credits
MTH 161	Pre-calculus	3 credits
		Total 11 credits

FALL SEMESTER YEAR ONE

ENG 111	English Composition I	3 credits
#*BIO 101	Biology I	4 credits
*CHM 241/243	Organic Chemistry I & lab	4 credits
MTH 261	Calculus I	3 credits
SDV 101	College Survival Skills	1 credits
		Total 15 credits

SPRING SEMESTER YEAR ONE

ENG 112	English Composition II	3 credits
#*BIO 102	Biology II	4 credits
*CHM 242/244	Organic Chemistry II & lab	4 credits
MTH 245	Statistics	3 credits
CST 100	Principles of Public Speaking	3 credits
		Total 17 credits

SUMMER SEMESTER YEAR TWO

*CHM 260/261	Biochemistry	4 credits
ENG 241	Literature	3 credits

SUMMER SEMESTER YEAR ONE

		Total 7 credits
FALL SEMESTER YEAR TWO		
HIS 101 or 121	History 1	3 credits
*PHY 201	General College Physics I	4 credits
*BIO 141	Anatomy & Physiology I	4 credits
Elective	Social Science	3 credits
Elective	Humanities	3 credits
		Total 17 credits
SPRING SEMESTER YEAR TWO		
**PHY 202	General College Physics II or approved substitute	4 credits
*BIO 142	Anatomy & Physiology II	4 credits
*BIO 205	General Microbiology	4 credits
HLT 143	Medical Terminology	3 credits
		Total 15 credits

TOTAL CREDITS for the Science/Pre-medical Pre-Pharmacy Track for Marshall U. = 82

#CHM 111, 112 or BIO 101, 102 may be taken in Summer Semester Year One.

*These four hour science credit classes consist of three lecture hours and three laboratory hours.

**CHM 260 & 261 may be substituted for PHY 202

Requirements to receive the Associate of Arts and Science Degree Major Science: Specialization in Pre-Medical:

- Math; the student who needs MTH 161 will need 9 hours math, which includes one semester of calculus.
- Social Science electives: ECO, PSY, SOC.
- Humanities electives: ENG, Art Appreciation, Music Appreciation, Foreign Language, REL, PHI.

- Substitutions: HLT 143 is approved for HLT/PED credits.

NOTE: It is strongly recommended that students take the listed math and science classes during their two years at SWCC