



## Requirements for Admission to the Medical Laboratory Science Program at Saginaw Valley State University

The professional phase of the medical laboratory science program begins formally in the Winter semester of the Junior year (6th semester). Admission to SVSU is required for, but does not guarantee, acceptance into the medical laboratory science program. The program is planned to accommodate a limited number of students each year; this number may vary depending on available resources. Prospective students must submit an application for admission to the professional program by October 15 preceding the winter semester admission. Applications received after October 15th will be considered for placement only if an opening is available and if all criteria are met. The following admission criteria are required of all applicants and will be used to rank applicants to determine acceptance to the program.

- Complete the equivalent of 4 full time semesters that include pre-medical laboratory science courses listed for freshman through sophomore year. (Preference is given to those who complete all prerequisite courses listed in the Suggested Sequence.)
- Complete MLS 200, Introduction to Medical Laboratory Science.
- Achieve a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 for all pre-professional course work.
- Submit a completed application packet available from the program director.
- Additional considerations for admission into the program include evaluation of science GPA, quantity of science courses, letters of recommendation, experience in a clinical laboratory or healthcare field, and completion of a formal essay. Guidelines for the essay will be available with the application form.

### SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY Transfer Credit Guide for Delta College

Basic Skills and General Education requirements for degree programs at Saginaw Valley State University (2010-2011). This guide applies to students enrolling at SVSU Fall 2010 and after. This guide is subject to change without notice.

#### **BASIC SKILLS**

Composition -- ENG 111

Reading -- Test at SVSU

Mathematics -- MTH 097 (no transferable credit)

**Additional Basic Skills courses may be required depending on placement test results and/or transfer credits.**

**GENERAL EDUCATION** – The following are the Delta College courses that may be used to satisfy or partially satisfy the 10 General Education categories at SVSU. This guide may include courses that are currently inactive at Delta College, but that may appear on student transcripts. Please contact SVSU for inactive courses not included on this guide.

1. **Literature** (3 cr.) – **IHU** 245; **LIT** 220, 221, 222, 223, 228, 229, 230, 241, 242, 245, 246, 260, 268, 283
2. **Arts** (3 cr.) – **ART** 105, 151\*, 152\*; **COM** 215, 216, 222; **IHU** 101, 226; **LIT** 226; **MUS** 100, 111, 112, 118, 119, 120, 131, 132  
\*ART 151, 152 count in General Education for non-ART majors only
3. **Numerical Understanding** (4 cr.) – **MTH** 120, 121, 122, 151, 160, 161, 208
4. **Natural Sciences** (7 cr., two **SVSU** departments, one lab course) – **AST** 111/111L; **BIO** 101, 110, 111, 116, 119, 130, 140, 152, 153, 171, 199, 219, 221, 230, 240, 241; **CHM** 107, 111; **GEO** 103, 111; **GLG** 102, 111, 112, 115, 118, 130, 267; **PHY** 111, 211; **PSC** 101, 102
5. **History/Philosophy** (3 cr.) – **HIS** 111, 112, 214, 215, 217, 221, 222, 225, 268; **PHL** 203, 205, 207, 210, 211, 213, 215, 230, 240, 250
6. **Social Science Methods** (3 cr.) – **PSY** 211; **SOC** 231
7. **Social Institutions** (3 cr.) – **CJ** 110; **ECN** 221; **MGT** 251; **POL** 103, 104; **SOC** 211, 221
8. **International Systems** (3 cr.) – **ECN** 268; **ED** 268; **GEO** 113, 222, 223, 255; **HIS** 268; **IHU** 120, 161, 162; **MGT** 265; **POL** 222, 225, 268; **SOC** 161, 162, 265, 268; **SSI** 120
9. **Oral Communication** (3 cr.) – **COM** 112, 114; **FR** 111, 112, 211; **GE** 111, 112, 211; **SPA** 105, 106, 111, 112, 211
10. **Written Communication** (3 cr.) **ENG** 112, 113, 211; **IHU** 201H; **LIT** 201H; **PHL** 221

Saginaw Valley State University's General Education requirements also include two Communication Intensive courses selected from Categories 2 - 8. Delta College Writing Intensive courses may apply. Additional information may be required for transfer credit evaluation.

No courses may be counted in more than one General Education category but may be counted toward majors and minors.

**Please note**-Category 4 requires a minimum of two SVSU departments.

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