Pre-requisite courses (required):
Human Biomedical Core series (HTHS) ................................................ 8
(Five more approved credit hours will be needed to fulfill this category of the general education requirements. At least one course in the additional five hours must be a Physical Science approved general education course.)

OR

Anatomy (ZOOL 2100), Physiology (ZOOL 2200), Chemistry (CHEM 1010), Microbiology (MICR 1113) .......................... 14

NOTE: THE BASIC SCIENCE PREREQUISITE COURSES LISTED ABOVE MUST HAVE BEEN TAKEN WITHIN FIVE YEARS OF THE DATE OF ANTICIPATED ENROLLMENT IN THE DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM.

Pathophysiology (HTHS 2230) ................................................................. 3
College Writing (ENGL 1010, 2010) ......................................................... 6
Intro to Psychology (PSY 1010) ............................................................... 3
Principles of Sociology (SOC 1010) ......................................................... 3
Public Speaking (COMM 1020 or COMM 1050) ..................................... 3
Foundations in Nutrition (HLTH 1020) .................................................... 3

TOTAL PREREQUISITE CREDITS 34-40

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS To earn an AS Degree in Dental Hygiene, the student must also complete all General Education Requirements as established by Weber State University. These include:
✓ Quantitative Literacy, Computer Literacy, and American Institutions Requirements.
✓ 6 additional hours of Humanities/Creative Arts; at least 3 of these hours must be in Creative Arts.
✓ See note above regarding the Biomedical Core. Use of the Biomedical Science Core series to fulfill the science pre-requisites for the program will require 5 more approved credit hours in the Life and Physical Sciences to be completed to fulfill General Education Requirements.
✓ These additional General Education requirements may be taken prior to beginning the dental hygiene program or during your enrollment in the program. Permanent

AND
✓ Current CPR Certification throughout the program.

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Dental Hygiene Program Course Curriculum: Two Years of the Dental Hygiene Program - An Associate of Science degree in Dental Hygiene

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Baccalaureate Degree in Dental Hygiene

Prerequisite course: basic research methodology course (upper division, 3 credit hours) is required.

A total of seven additional Dental Science (DENT) credit hours are required:

- DENT 4530 Principles of Evidence-based Dental Hygiene Practice (2 cr)
- DENT 4780 Baccalaureate Thesis (3 cr), (DENT4780- used to fulfill 3 cr hours of WSU scientific inquiry requirement)
- DENT 4890 Advanced Clinical or Community Cooperative Work Experience (2 cr hours)