Occupational Therapy Assistant

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Student must have SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED ALL REQUIREMENTS listed below PRIOR TO APPLYING to the Occupational Therapy Assistant Program.

1. APPLICATION FORM: FOR ADMISSION TO THE COLLEGE, apply online at STLCC.edu.

2. DEGREE SEEKING STATUS
   A. Official College Transcripts — An official transcript from each college attended must be sent directly from the college attended to STLCC-Registrar’s Office, 5600 Oakland Avenue, St. Louis, 63110 or email: csr@stlcc.edu. Hand carried or faxed transcripts will NOT be accepted. For more information on transferring credit to STLCC - https://stlcc.edu/admissions/transfer-planning/transferring-credit-to-stlcc.aspx
   B. High School Transcript or GED — required only for students with fewer than 15 hours of college level work or those who have satisfied the science requirements in high school. Current high school students must submit a final high school transcript before applying to the OTA Program.

3. MINIMUM CUMULATIVE GPA of 2.5 in high school or for 15 hours (minimum) of college work. Students with fewer than 15 hours of college credit must have both a 2.5 GPA in high school and 2.5 GPA in college.
   - GED Applicants: must have 15 hours of (100 level) college credits with a 2.5 GPA.
   - STLCC students with at least 15 college level credits with a 2.5 GPA: will have met this requirement, regardless of the GPA at other colleges.
   - College transfer students with fewer than 15 STLCC credits: must have a cumulative 2.5 GPA in college level credits earned at all colleges attended.

   NOTE: Developmental courses (numbered below 100) will NOT be counted toward the 15 hours of college work and will NOT be included in the GPA for admission to the program.

4. READING: COMPLETE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TO MEET THE READING PREREQUISITE
   - Composite ACT score of 21 or higher OR SAT verbal score of 500 or higher (within the last 3 years)
   - Accuplacer (Next Gen) score of 263 or higher OR Accuplacer (Classic) score of 86 or higher OR Compass score of 91 or higher on the Reading Portion (within the last 3 years)
   - Completion of RDG 100 Introduction to College Reading with a “C” or higher
   - Completion of Bachelor degree or higher.

5. ENGLISH: COMPLETE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TO MEET THE ENGLISH PREREQUISITE
   - Composite ACT score of 21 or higher OR SAT verbal score of 500 or higher (within the last 3 years)
   - Accuplacer (Next Gen) score of 250 or higher OR Accuplacer (Classic) score of 83 or higher OR Compass score of 70 or higher on the Writing Skills Portion (within the last 3 years)
   - Completion of ENG 030 Foundations of College Writing OR ENG 070 Academic English for Non-native Speakers III with a “C” or higher

6. MATH: COMPLETE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TO MEET THE MATH PREREQUISITE
   - Math ACT score of 22 or higher OR SAT math score of 580 or higher (within the last 3 years)
   - Place into MTH: 140 Intermediate Algebra or higher on the Accuplacer (Next Gen or Classic) OR Compass (within the last 3 years)
   - Completion of MTH 050 Mathematical Literacy or higher level math with a “C” or higher

7. SCIENCE REQUIREMENT: (beginning August 1, 2020)
   - BIO 207 Anatomy and Physiology I: completion with a grade of “C” or higher within the last 5 years

8. PSYCHOLOGY REQUIREMENT: (beginning August 1, 2020)
   - PSY 200 General Psychology: completion with a grade of “C” or higher within the last 5 years

9. When the above criteria have been met, students must submit a separate OTA Program application signed by an advisor, and returned to the OTA office at cchambers@stlcc.edu on the Meramec campus. (See an advisor to obtain OTA Program application.)

   NOTE: Emailed applications are preferred but will be accepted in person.