Pre-Veterinary Medicine Advising

Area in major Program Plan	GGC Courses
Area A – Essential Skills	ENGL 1101 <i>and</i> ENGL 1102 (English Comp I & II) MATH 1113 (Pre-Calculus) or MATH 2200 (Calculus)
Area B – Institutional Option	ITEC 1001 (Introduction to Computing)
Area C – Humanities/Arts	 MUSC 1100 (Music Appreciation) <i>or</i> ARTS 1100 (Art Appreciation) FILM 1005 (Intro to Film) <i>or</i> ENGL 2110 <i>or</i> ENGL 2100 (Literature) RELN 1100 (World Religions) <i>or</i> GEOG 1101 (Human Geography) <i>or</i> one semester of foreign language
Area D – Science, Mathematics, and Technology	CHEM 1211K and CHEM 1212K (Principles of Chemistry I & II w/Lab) ITEC 2110 (Digital Media) or ITEC 2120 (Introduction to Programming)
Area E – Social Sciences	 HIST 2111 or HIST 2112 (U.S. History I & II) HIST 1111 or HIST 1112 (World History I & II) or HIST 1121 or HIST 1122 (Western Civilization I & II) or HIST 2111 or HIST 2112 (if not taken above) POLS 1101 (American Government) ECON 2100 or ECON 2105 or ECON 2106 (Economics)
Courses required for admissions to most vet schools	BIOL 1107K and BIOL 1108K (Principles of Biology I & II w/Lab) CHEM 2211K and CHEM2212K (Organic Chemistry I &II w/Lab) PHYS 1111K and PHYS 1112K or PHYS 2211K and PHYS 2212K (Physics I &II) BIOL3100K (Biochemistry w/ Lab) BIOL3200K (Genetics w/lab) BIOL3300K (Introductory Microbiology w/lab) BIOL3400K (Cell Biology w/Lab) BIOL3600K (Zoology w/lab) BIOL3600K (Developmental Biology w/lab)
Recommended electives for admissions to most vet schools	MATH 2200 (Calculus I) *BIOL3700K (Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy w/lab) *BIOL4710K (Vertebrate Physiology w/lab)

*Students are <u>strongly advised</u> to check with the program they plan to apply to for specific prerequisites and standardized test requirements; courses not offered at GGC can be taken elsewhere by transient student applications.

Entrance exam requirements:

- 1. Take the *Graduate Record Exam with the Analytical Writing portion: <u>https://www.ets.org/gre</u>.
- 2. Tests must be taken in time for the official results to be received (not postmarked) by the College by September 15th of the year you apply.

What factors are considered in the admission process for vet school students?

- 1. You must achieve one or both of the following: a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or greater and/or a combined score of 1,200 or greater on the verbal and quantitative portions of the GRE exam.
- 2. *GRE Entrance exam scores
- 3. Evaluations from people who can evaluate your background fairly and judge your potential for entering the veterinary profession.
- 4. At least one evaluation form should be completed by a veterinarian you have been employed by or for whom you have done volunteer work.
- 5. A minimum of **250 veterinary experience hours** is required for all applicants.

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University of Georgia -The College of Veterinary Medicine (<u>https://vet.uga.edu/education/dvm-program/dvm-application-process/</u>)

Additional information and tips: American Medical Veterinary Association <u>https://www.avma.org/resources-</u> tools/careers/veterinary-school-admission-101