

SVSTI ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE IN SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

Surgical Technology candidates are required to enroll and complete the General Education courses via online platform prior to the entrance of the Surgical Technology Program. Once the student has successfully completed the Surgical Technology Program, they will graduate with an Associate of Science degree.

General Education courses are completed in a 16-week semester which will be taken prior to the start of the Surgical Technology Program. Current students already enrolled or graduated will complete the General Education requirements at the end of the Surgical Technology Program. All potential Students will be required to complete the Sterile Processing course as a pre-req. (Unless candidate is currently certified as a Sterile Processing Technician with experience).

***Online General Education Courses**

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
ENG101 English Writing &Composition	48	0	0	3
MAT101 Basic Mathematics for College Students	48	0	0	3
MAT151 College Algebra	64	0	0	4
SPH205 Interpersonal Communication	48	0	0	3
PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	48	0	0	3
CLT102 Computer Concepts	48	0	0	3
Total for General	304	0	0	19

Education courses				
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Surgical Technology Term 1 Lecture (ST1) online

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
BIO165 Anatomy & Physiology I	64	0	0	4
HLTH101 Medical Terminology I	48		0	3
HLTH150 Surgical Instruments I	48	0	0	3
HUM200 Ethics	64	0	0	4
AST150 Surgical Procedures I	64	0	0	4
BIO185 Microbiology	64	0	0	4
Total for ST1 Lecture	352	0	0	22

Surgical Technology Term 1 Lab (ST111)

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
ST111		144	0	9
Total for ST Term 1 for both Lecture & Lab	352	144	0	
	Total Hours 496			Total Credit Hours 31

Surgical Technology Term 2 Lecture (ST2) online

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
BIO175 Anatomy & Physiology II	64	0	0	4

HLTH102 Medical Terminology II	48		0	3
HLTH160 Surgical Instruments II	48	0	0	3
PSY200 Human Behavior	64	0	0	4
AST200 Surgical Procedures II	64	0	0	4
BIO250 Pharmacology	48	0	0	3
Total for ST2 Lecture	336	0	0	21

Surgical Technology Term 2 Lab (ST222)

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
ST222		144	0	9
Total for ST Term 2 for both Lecture & Lab	336	144	0	
	Total Hours 480			Total Credit Hours 29

Surgical Technology Term 3 Lecture (ST3) online& CST Prep

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
ST3	160	0	0	10

Surgical Technology Term 3 Externship (ST333)

Course	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Practical Hours	Semester Credit Hours
ST333	0	0	480	30
Total for ST Term 3 for Externship, Online & CST Prep class	160	0	480	

	Total Hours 640			Total Credit Hours 40
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***All future Surgical Technology students must complete the Associate of Science in Surgical Technology Degree Program.**

Total for General Education Courses ... 304 Credit Hours = 19 Credits

Total for Certificate Program ... 1616 Credit Hours = 100 Credits

Total for AS Degree Program ... 1920 Credit Hours = 119 Credits