PRE-ATHLETIC TRAINING PLANNING GUIDE

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REQUIREMENTS	OPTIONS AT KU	KU CORE	NOTES
Biology w∕lab	BIOL 100 & BIOL 102 or BIOL 150* & BIOL 154	3N	
Human Anatomy w⁄lab	BIOL 240 & BIOL 241		
Human Physiology w⁄lab	BIOL 246 & BIOL 247		
Human Movement Analysis	HSES 369* or HSES 470*		Must be admitted to the Exercise Science program or receive special permission.
Exercise Physiology	HSES 372		Must be admitted to the Exercise Science program or receive special permission.
Personal Health	HSES 260		
Nutrition	HSES 330		
Psychology	PSYC 104	3S	
Physics	PHSX 114*	1.1	
Chemistry	CHEM 110* or CHEM 130*	1.2	
Statistics	MATH 365*, PSYC 210 or HSES 310		

IMPORTANT NOTES

- No grades lower than a C will be accepted.
- One combined Anatomy/Physiology course that is at least 5 hours with a lab component may be used to fulfill BOTH the anatomy and physiology requirements.
- Preference is given to applicants with 80% or higher completion of program pre-requisites at the time of application.
- In order to be admitted, students will be asked to verify that they can meet the non-academic technical standards with or without accommodations.
- The application process includes a personal statement and three references. One of those references must be from a credentialed athletic training and the other two should be from a faculty member, advisor, or employer.
- Applicants must possess a general understanding of health care and athletic training. A minimum of 40 hours of observation or volunteer experience with a credentialed athletic trainer is recommended.

*Courses marked with an asterisk have pre-requisites not already listed above.

Questions? Please contact a JAA Pre-Health Advisor by emailing prehealth@ku.edu.

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