



Optical Technician Certificate

This program map represents one possible path for completing this program. **Please see a counselor** to create an educational plan that is customized to meet your needs. This path is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2026-27

Total Units: 17

First Year

Semester 1

9 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
Maj	AH 106	Communication for Allied Health Careers	2
Maj	OPT 101	Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology of the Eye	3
Maj	OPT 102 [^]	Optical Materials Theory I	3
Maj	OPT 103 [^]	Optical Materials Skills Lab I	1

^Corequisite for OPT 102: OPT 103

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Semester 2

8 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
Maj	CISA 315	Introduction to Electronic Spreadsheets	2
Maj	OPT 104 [^]	Optical Dispensing Theory I	3
Maj	OPT 105 ^{+^}	Optical Dispensing Clinical Lab I	2
Maj	OPT 106	Review Course for American Board of Opticianry (ABO) Certification Exam	1

^Corequisite for OPT 104: OPT 105

+Prerequisite for OPT 105: OPT 101, 102, and 103 with grades of "C" or better; or concurrent enrollment with OPT 101, OPT 102 and OPT 103 can be taken currently for a full-time student taking the certificate in one 16 week semester

^Corequisite for OPT 105: OPT 104

Legend

- **(H)** - Honors
- **Elec** - Elective
- **GE** - General Education
- **Maj** - Required Core
- **ME** - Major Elective

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PLEASE SEE AN SCC COUNSELOR.

Certificate of Achievement Requirements

Certificates of Achievement require a grade of "C" or better in each major course.

Notes

Contact Lens Technician and Optical Technician are stackable certificates that have 7 units of common coursework. It is recommended that the Optical

Technician certificate be completed before beginning the Contact Lens Technician Certificate Program.

Important Links

- [SCC General Counseling](#)
- [Optical Technology](#)
- [Health and Health Professions](#)

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