

# AAS: DIETETIC TECHNICIAN

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## Developmental Courses as required based on placement scores

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ENG 91</b> Writing for College 1 – Score of 4 E Code 1 and below, <b>30.01</b> Choose an item.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ENG 92</b> Writing for College 2 – Score of 6 E Code 2, <b>30.02</b> Choose an item.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ENG 99</b> Writing Studio with linked ENG 101+ - Score of 6 E Code 2, <b>30.02</b> OR successful completion of ENG 91
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ESL 94</b> Academic Writing 1 – Score of 5 or 6 E Code 6, <b>20.01</b> .
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ESL 122</b> Academic Writing 2 – Score of 7 E Code 7, <b>21.01</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>MATH 92</b> Pre-Algebra – Arithmetic score 44 and below, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, <b>40.01</b> Choose an
OR <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>MATH 93</b> Beginning Algebra – Arithmetic score 45 and above, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, <b>40.02</b> Choose an item.
	<b>MATH 94</b> Foundations of Mathematical Reasoning – Arithmetic score 45 and above, Elementary Algebra 54 and below, <b>40.02</b> Choose an item.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>READ 93</b> Foundation of College Reading – Score of 57 and below, <b>10.01</b> Choose an item.
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>READ 105</b> Analytical Reading – Score of 58 and higher <b>11.01</b> Choose an item.

## Core Requirements

3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ENG 101</b> – Writing and Research <b>OR ENG 101H</b> Choose an item.
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>ENG 102</b> – Writing and Literature <b>OR ENG 102H</b> Choose an item.
	<b>MATH 117</b> -Contemporary Mathematics <b>OR</b> <b>MATH 130</b> – College Algebra Functions & Models – <b>RECOMMENDED FOR TRANSFER</b>
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>BIOL 121</b> – Anatomy and Physiology 1 and Lab Choose an item.
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>BIOL 123</b> – Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab Choose an item.
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PSYCH 101</b> – General Psychology <b>OR PSYCH 101H</b> Choose an item.
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SOC 101</b> – Introduction to Sociology <b>OR SOC 101H</b> Choose an item.
	<b>THE ARTS, FOREIGN LANGUAGE, or OTHER WORLD CIVILIZATIONS GENERAL ED REQUIREMENTS – Select a 3/4 credit course:</b> <b>ART</b> 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 107H, 108, 109, 109A, 110, 111, 112, 125, 129, 130, 133, 134, 135, 137, 138, 140, 141, 147, 201, 203, 212, 265, <b>DANCE</b> 101, 102, 107, 112, 115, 120, 121, 205, 207, <b>FILM</b> 100, 101, 102, 130 <b>MUSIC</b> 110, 110H, 111, 120, 121, 130, 131, 132, 133, 150, 230, 231, 232, 233, <b>THEAT</b> 111, 113, 201 <b>ARABC</b> 101, 102, <b>CHINS</b> 102, <b>FREN</b> 101, 102, 201, <b>ITAL</b> 101, 102, 103, 201, 201H, 202, 202H, 250, <b>JAPNS</b> 101, 102, <b>RUSSN</b> 101, <b>SPAN</b> 101, 102, 103, 104, 201, 201H, 202, 202H, 203, 204 <b>ANTHR</b> 120, 210, 215H, <b>HIS</b> 119, 128, 129, 131, <b>POLSC</b> 113, <b>ENG</b> 227
3 <input type="checkbox"/> /4 <input type="checkbox"/>	

	<b>AMERICAN HISTORY or WESTERN CIVILIZATION GENERAL ED REQUIREMENTS – Select a 3 credit course:</b> <b>ART 108, 109, HIS 101, 102, 104, 106, 110, 111, 112, 121*, 133**, 134**, POLSC 102, 104, 107</b> <i>*Students who complete this course cannot use HIS 133 or 134 to fulfill degree and/or general education requirements</i> <i>**Students who complete this course cannot use HIS 121 to fulfill degree and/or general education requirements</i>
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	

Degree Requirements	
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 105<sup>1</sup></b> – Nutrition 1: <b>Offered both semesters.</b> Choose an item.
1 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 107</b> – Dietetic Seminar: <b>Offered in Spring semester only.</b> Choose an item.
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 118</b> – Principles of Teaching Health Care: <b>Offered in Spring semester only.</b> Choose an item.
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 120</b> – Foods and Lab: <b>Offered both semesters.</b> Choose an item.
1 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 211</b> – Introduction to Nutrition Care Choose an item.
2 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PEC 110</b> – Health and Sports for Life Choose an item.
	<b>The following 2 courses must be taken together, or taken in the order in which they appear:</b>
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 115<sup>2</sup></b> – Nutrition 2: <b>NUTR 105 or departmental permission are the prerequisites.</b> Offered in Spring semester only. Choose an item.
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 145</b> – Clinical Practicum 1: <b>NUTR 105 or departmental permission are the prerequisites.</b> NUTR 115 may be a pre or co-requisite. Offered in Spring semester only. Choose an item.
	<b>The following 2 courses must be taken together, or taken in the order in which they appear:</b>
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 205</b> – Clinical Nutrition: <b>NUTR 105, NUTR 115, BIOL 121 and BIOL 123 are prerequisites or departmental permission.</b> Offered in Fall semester only. Choose an item.
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 245</b> – Clinical Practicum 2: <b>NUTR 145 is the prerequisite. NUTR 205 is a co-requisite. If only one course can be taken it must be NUTR 205.</b> Offered in Fall semester only. Choose an item.
	<b>The following 2 courses must be taken together, or taken in the order in which they appear:</b>
3 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 123</b> – Food Service Systems Management: <b>NUTR 120 is the prerequisite.</b> Offered in Spring semester only. Choose an item.
4 <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NUTR 247</b> – Clinical Practicum 3: <b>NUTR 245 is the prerequisite or departmental permission. NUTR 123 is a co-requisite.</b> Offered in Spring semester only. Choose an item.

#### SEEN BY:

Completed credits of 64 required

**NOTES:** Courses should be taken in sequence as Core Nutrition courses and Clinical Practicum courses are only offered in the fall and spring semesters. Students enrolled in the Dietetic Technician Program must earn a "C" in all required Core Nutrition and Clinical Practicum courses in order to continue in the program. They must also maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 to remain in the program. A grade of "C" in ALL COURSES is strongly recommended.

**Both semesters:** NUTR 120: Foods and Lab, NUTR 105: Nutrition Care 1, NUTR 123: Food Service Systems Management.

**Fall only:** NUTR 205: Clinical Nutrition, NUTR 245: Clinical Practicum 2

**Spring only:** NUTR 115: Nutrition Care 2, NUTR 145: Clinical Practicum 1, NUTR 118: Principles of Teaching Health Care, NUTR 107: Dietetic Seminar-Nutrition, NUTR 247: Clinical Practicum 3.

<sup>1</sup> **NUTR 105:** Nutrition Care I - Must be ready to take college level mathematics and **ENG 101:** Composition & Literature 1.

<sup>2</sup> **NUTR 105:** Nutrition Care I is prerequisite for **NUTR 115:** Nutrition Care 2. **NUTR 115:** Nutrition Care 2 and **NUTR 145:** Clinical Practicum 1 are co-requisites. If only one course can be taken it must be **NUTR 115:** Nutrition Care 2.

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Academic Plan		Completed credits		of 64 required	
Click here to enter text.		Semester 1 - Fall		Semester 2 - Spring	
<u>Class</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Credits</u>
		GER Basic Communication – ENG 101	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	Major - NUTR 118 – Principles of Teaching Health Care:	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
		NUTR 120 – Foods and Lab	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	The following 2 courses must be taken together, or taken in the order in which they appear: NUTR 115 – Nutrition Care 2	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
		GER Natural Sciences - BIOL 121 – Anatomy and Physiology 1 and Lab	4 <input type="checkbox"/>	NUTR 145 – Clinical Practicum 1: NUTR 115 is a co-requisite.	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
		Major - NUTR 211 – Introduction to Nutrition Care	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	GER Natural Sciences - BIOL 123 – Anatomy and Physiology 2 and Lab	4 <input type="checkbox"/>
		GER Mathematics Choice – MATH 117 or 130* (*Transfer Only)	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	GER Social Sciences – SOC 101	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
		Major – NUTR 105 – Nutrition Care 1	3 <input type="checkbox"/>		
		Semester 3 - Fall		Semester 4 - Spring	
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		NUTR 245– Clinical Practicum 2	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	Major - NUTR 247 – Clinical Practicum 3	4 <input type="checkbox"/>
		Major – PEC 110 – Health & Fitness for Life	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	NUTR 107 – Dietetic Seminar-Nutrition:	1 <input type="checkbox"/>
		GER Humanities – ENG 102	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	GER – Arts, FL or OWC	3 <input type="checkbox"/>
		GER Social Sciences – PSYCH 101	3 <input type="checkbox"/>	GER American History or World Civilization	3 <input type="checkbox"/>

# ***FACTSHEET***

## **Dietetic Technician Program (Nutrition Care) A.A.S.**

The Associate Degree in Applied Science (A.A.S.) Dietetic Technician/Nutrition Care, is one of two dietetics/foods and nutrition programs offered by the Department of Food Service Administration. Students graduating from this program are prepared for employment in the nutrition field immediately upon graduation as a Dietetic Technician.

The Dietetic Technician Program (DT) is accredited by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (AND) and the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND). The program is designed to provide high quality didactic and experiential learning opportunities that will prepare entry level Dietetic Technicians and Dietetic Technicians Registered with the knowledge, skills and competencies needed to compete effectively in the evolving job market of Westchester County and the surrounding area. One unique aspect of this program of study is the 450-hour, supervised clinical practice in area hospitals, nursing homes and community agencies. This experience provides students with an opportunity to implement the skills and principles taught in the classrooms and culinary foods lab, emphasizing the importance of adequate nutrition and diet, as it relates to wellness and a healthy life-style.

Students applying to the DT program are required, at their own expense, to have background (criminal and drug) checks in order to participate at Clinical Practicum sites. Failure to pass these checks may make it impossible to complete the program. There is also a uniform requirement and required medical clearance.

The job outlook for dietetic professionals continues to look positive. Working under the guidance of a Registered Dietitian, the Dietetic Technician is employed in various health-care facilities, nursing homes, health clubs, public health facilities and community agencies. Go to [www.eatright.org](http://www.eatright.org) for profession details.

### **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

- The only accredited A.A.S. Dietetic Technician program in Westchester County
- Access program website at [www.sunywcc.edu/diettech](http://www.sunywcc.edu/diettech)
- Supervised clinical field experience provides opportunities for students to learn in "real work situations"
- Counselor and faculty members available to assist with tutoring, program planning, registration, and financial aid procedures
- Individuals accepted on a part or full-time basis
- "Test prep" to assist in passing the Dietetic Technician Registration exam
- Graduates of the DT program are eligible to become members of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and to sit for the registration exam to become a "Dietetic Technician Registered"

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