

Samford University  
**McWhorter School of Pharmacy**  
**Pre-Pharmacy Prerequisite Course Guide**  
for  
**Athens State University**

| <b>SUBJECT AREA</b>           | <b>COURSE #'s</b>  |
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| ENGLISH COMPOSITION           | English Comp 1 & 2   |
| LITERATURE (EH)               | Any Sophomore level or higher Literature                         |
| MATHEMATICS (MA)              | 301  |
| MATHEMATICS SELECTIVE         | <b>BI 312/312L (recommended)</b> or MA 303                       |
| BIOLOGY (BI)                  | Biology I, 361/361L, 424/424L                                    |
| BIOLOGY SELECTIVE*            | <b>415/415L (recommended)</b>                                    |
| CHEMISTRY (CH)                | General Chemistry 1 & 2<br>311/311L, 312/312L                    |
| HISTORY (HY)                  | World History 1 or 2<br>OR the two course sequence of US History |
| SPEECH                        | Public Speaking  |
| HEALTH and WELLNESS (HWM/HPE) | 354  |
| LIBERAL ARTS **               | <b>9 HOURS REQUIRED</b>  |

**This course guide shows the minimum credits needed to apply to the school of pharmacy. Please be aware that matriculating students with <72 total credits are not eligible for full graduate level financial aid. Please discuss with our pre-pharmacy advisor for more information.**

*\*Biology selective course options (200/2000 level or higher): Foundations of Biology I, Microbiology, or Introduction to Pharmacology*

*\*\* Liberal Arts selective course options:*

- *one selective must be from a specific social science course; Psychology (PSYC 201), Sociology (SOC 101), Political Science, Geography, or Economics*
- *the other two liberal arts selectives can be any liberal arts, including social sciences or humanities/fine arts; History, Literature, Foreign Languages, Philosophy, Religion, and either Art, Music, or Drama Appreciation (no more than three credits may be in appreciation courses).*

**BOLDED** courses are the selective courses recommended by first year Pharmacy faculty.

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