

● **CURRICULUM INFORMATION** ●

DIVISION INFORMATION

The Division of Science and Mathematics at Abraham Baldwin is a well-equipped, well-staffed facility capable of producing two-year graduates who can compete at any senior institution. The chemistry, physics, and biology laboratories are equipped as well or better than most two-year colleges and, in some cases, rival those of four-year colleges. The laboratory experiences are conducted by faculty rather than by student assistants. The support courses in mathematics are taught by competent faculty whose students are successful when transferring to senior colleges in order to pursue mathematics or science-related degrees.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

Students interested in receiving the Doctor of Dental Medicine (DMD) degree may obtain an Associate in Science degree with a major in Pre-Dentistry at Abraham Baldwin. Most students have a four-year degree before being admitted to dental school. Those students bound for dental school are well prepared for senior college work while at Abraham Baldwin.

The only dental school in Georgia is located at the Medical College of Georgia in Augusta.

At the Medical College of Georgia, these statistics were true of a recent entering class:

- 143 total students applied
- 57 students were accepted
- 3.44 overall GPA
- 3.41 science GPA

The Dental Admissions Test (DAT) average for this class was:

- Academic - 18.12
- Perceptual-Manual Ability (PMAT) - 18.18

SUGGESTED COURSE OF STUDY

First Year

Fall	Spring
ENGL 1101 (3 hrs)	ENGL 1102 (3 hrs)
BIOL 2107 (3 hrs)	CHEM 1211 (3 hrs)
BIOL 2107L (1 hr)	CHEM 1211L (1 hr)
HIST 2112 (3 hrs)	MATH 1113 (4 hrs)
CISM 2201 (3 hrs)	BIOL 2108 (3 hrs)
ABAC 1000 (1 hr)	BIOL 2108L (1 hr)
PHED (1 hr)	PHED 1100C (2 hrs)
Total 15	Total 17

Second Year

Fall	Spring
PHYS 1111 (3 hrs)	PHYS 1112 (3 hrs)
PHYS 1111L (1 hr)	PHYS 1112L (1 hr)
CHEM 1212 (3 hrs)	ARTS 2213 (3 hrs)
CHEM 1212L (1 hr)	HUMN 2221 (3 hrs)
COMM 1100 (3 hrs)	GEOG 1101 (3 hrs)
POLS 1101 (3 hrs)	PSYC 1101 (3 hrs)
MATH 2053 (4 hrs)	PHED (1 hr)
TOTAL 18	TOTAL 17

CAREER OUTLOOK

Job opportunities for dentists will likely reflect faster than average employment growth. Public awareness of preventative practices in dentistry as well as the need for restorative dental work means an increase in the number of dentists needed in the future. Dentists have among the highest average annual earnings of any occupational group. Dentists in private practice average a net income of above \$100,000.

REPRESENTATIVE FIELDS OF EMPLOYMENT

Private Practice
 Government and Armed Forces

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