# PA Entry-Level: Prerequisite Courses for Stony Brook Undergraduates

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| Two semesters of Biology with Lab                      | **BIO 202** Fundamentals of Biology: Molecular and Cellular Biology  
**AND one of the following:**  
**BIO 201** Fundamentals of Biology: Organisms to Ecosystems  
or  
**BIO 203** Fundamentals of Biology: Cellular and Organ Physiology  
Lab Options:  
**BIO 204** Fundamentals of Scientific Inquiry in the Biological Sciences I  
**AND one of the following:**  
**BIO 205** Fundamentals of Scientific Inquiry in the Biological Sciences IIA  
or  
**BIO 207** Fundamentals of Scientific Inquiry in the Biological Sciences IIB |
| Two Semesters of General Chemistry with Lab (UNLESS accelerated route is taken = One Semester of Molecular Chemistry with Lab) | **CHE 131** General Chemistry IB with  
**CHE 133** General Chemistry Laboratory I  
and  
**CHE 132** General Chemistry II with  
**CHE 134** General Chemistry Laboratory II  
**OR for accelerated route:**  
**CHE 152** Molecular Science I with  
**CHE 154** Molecular Science Laboratory I |
| One Semester of Microbiology (Lab is optional for the Stony Brook PA Program) | **BIO 315** Microbiology  
or  
**BIO 299** Advanced Microbiology for Nursing and Allied Health (Lab Included) |
| One Semester of Human Anatomy                          | **ANP 300** Human Anatomy                                                                   |
| One Semester of Physiology                             | **BIO 203** Fundamentals of Biology: Cellular and Organ Physiology  
(Course cannot be used if it is going towards fulfilling Biology requirement)  
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| One Semester of Statistics             | AMS 102 Elements of Statistics  
or AMS 110 Probability And Statistics For Life Science  
or BIO 211 Statistics and Data Analysis: A Conceptual Approach |
| One semester of Organic Chemistry (Lab is optional for the Stony Brook PA Program) | CHE 321 Organic Chemistry I  
Lab Option: CHE 327 Organic Chemistry Laboratory |
| One semester of Biochemistry           | BIO 361 Biochemistry *(Stony Brook students see BIO 361 prerequisites)         |
| One semester of Genetics               | BIO 320 General Genetics  
or EBH 302 Human Genetics                                                          |
| 3 credits of English Composition, 6 credits of Arts and Humanities, and 9 credits of Social Behavioral Sciences | These will be met by completing your SBC requirements |

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Disclaimer:
- This is a general outline and may not be applicable to all students. AP credits, transfer credits and major can alter the courses that need to be taken.
- It is HIGHLY recommended for SBU undergraduate students to join the Pre-PA club in which they can meet with Pre-PA advisor Audra Perrino once a semester. Please email prepasbu@gmail.com to be added to the mailing list.
- Laboratories DO NOT have to be taken alongside associated courses.
- Upper division science courses have prerequisites that you must complete before registering for them. Refer to the SBU Bulletin Course.
- Courses are subject to change if Stony Brook University no longer offers a course or changes a course.
You are responsible for contacting the programs that you are interested in applying to to see if they accept Anatomy and Physiology as outlined above. If they do not then you need to contact the program and ask them what type of Anatomy and Physiology courses meet their requirements. This cannot be answered by a Stony Brook Advisor.