FALL 2025 COHORT SELECTIVE ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

All prerequisites must be completed before applying to the Occupational Therapy Assistant program, or if currently enrolled in a prerequisite course, official grades must be posted to your SLCC Degree Works transcript before the application deadline. If you are waiting for transfer courses to be evaluated, you can submit your application materials and then add the grades once they are available prior to the application deadline.

Note: OTA 1040 or BIOL 2320, and BIOL 2325 must be completed with a grade of a C or better, within five years of the start of the program; limited to two attempts per course. OTA 1020 must be completed with a grade of B or better within five years of the start of the program; limited to two attempts per course. The remaining prerequisites must be completed with a C grade or better.

Course Number	Course Title	Credits
Any Composition (EN) Course*		3
Any QL or MATH 1010**	Quantitative Literacy/Intermediate Algebra	3-4
OTA 1040 or BIOL 2320 & 2325	Anatomy and Physiology for Occupational Therapy/Human Anatomy and Anatomy Lab	4
COMM 1010 or COMM 2110	Elements of Effective Communication/Interpersonal Comm	3
PSY 1100 or FHS 1500	Lifespan Growth & Develop	3
OTA 1020	Introduction to Occupational Therapy	3

^{*}APA Referencing section **Math 1040 or 1045 preferred

IMPORTANT NOTES ABOUT TRANSFER CREDIT

- It is the applicant's responsibility to make sure their transfer credit has been fully transferred to SLCC prior to the program's application deadlines.
- If a student has courses they are transferring from another school, their transcripts
 must be evaluated by the SLCC Transfer Evaluation Office, and their grades must
 be posted to SLCC DegreeWorks (their MySLCC account) before the program's
 application deadline (priority and final application deadlines apply). IT CAN TAKE
 SEVERAL WEEKS FOR TRANSCRIPTS TO BE EVALUATED.

 Students should declare Health Sciences as their Area of Study and Occupational Therapy Assistant as the Program of Study when applying to SLCC. If the program of study does not match the information submitted on the transfer evaluation request, courses applicable to the program may not be transferred to SLCC.

VERIFICATION OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION OR EQUIVALENT (GED)

Proof of high school graduation is required to apply. Documentation may include a transcript, diploma, or a letter of explanation if you do not have supporting documentation. **You will be required to upload this information as part of your application.**

MANDATORY MULTIPLE MINI-INTERVIEW (MMI)

Prior to acceptance, qualified candidates will be contacted within 10 days after the application submission period ends to sign up for a *mandatory* Multiple Mini Interview (MMI) at the Jordan Campus. MMI's will be held on Tuesday, June 3 and Wednesday, June 4 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Candidates will be required to sign up for a one-hour time slot on one of the days to complete the MMI.

PREFERRED BUT NOT REQUIRED

- Graduated from an AHEC program or completed a MA or CNA certification within the last five years – Must submit certification.
- Community Engagement Applicants that have demonstrated a willingness to serve others
 through volunteer community engagement will receive additional consideration on their
 application. Community engagement can be volunteering at food banks, homeless shelters,
 emergency assistance programs, neighborhood cleanup programs, etc.

Community Engagement Criteria:

- Engagement should have occurred within the last five years and since high school graduation
- Must be performed within the state of Utah
- Continual experiences encouraged
- Must be served without payment or reward
- Service engagement with underserved groups or populations is encouraged
- Only one experience will be considered for the application

Submit a letter of recommendation from the mentor who supervised community engagement as part of your application. The letter must discuss the type of service, length of time committed to serving, and where the service was performed.

Any document or information you wish to have considered on your application must be uploaded while completing your application. Additional documentation cannot be considered once you have submitted your application.

Extra consideration will be given for students with the following:

 Prior Associates and/or Bachelor's degree. Degree(s) must be posted on official college transcript. • Verified Veteran's status through the Veteran's Service office.

HOW TO APPLY

First-time applicants to the Health Sciences admissions portal will be required to register to use the site. You can register here https://slcc.my.salesforce-sites.com/HealthSciencesRegistration/ERx_Forms_PageMaker?pageId=Registration.

To login to your applications once you've registered, https://slcc.my.site.com/HealthSciences/ERx_Forms_Portal_Login.