2020 Dental Hygiene Application Process Information Session
• Dental Hygiene BAS admission: Summer 2020
• Full Time
• Program length: 8 quarters, including two 8 week summer quarters
• Accreditation:
  • Lake Washington Institute of Technology is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities at the associate degree level and at the baccalaureate level.
Estimated Program Costs

Estimated costs do not include pre-requisite coursework. These numbers are estimates and are subject to change.

- 128 Credits, 8 Quarters
- Estimated Tuition & Fee Cost: $18,816
- Estimated Books and Supplies: $13,600
- Estimated Class/ Lab Fees: $8,440
- Estimated Campus and Technology Fees: $2,867
- Total Program Cost: $43,723
Application Deadlines

- Quarter Start
  - Summer 2020
- Application Deadline
  - March 27, 2020
Locating the Application

The Dental Hygiene BAS application is an online application

• The Dental Hygiene BAS application and information is available online at Lwtech.edu/dental. If you require a paper application, please email selective.admission@lwtech.edu
Online Application

• Once your application is completed, make sure to click the "Submit Application" button on the last page.

• If you do not "Submit" your application is considered incomplete and will not be reviewed.
Application Requirements

- Completed prerequisite courses with a minimum 2.5 GPA/B-
- Completed selective admissions application
- Registered Dental Hygienist Observations
- TEAS Test
- High school diploma or GED is completed and noted on application.
- Onsite essay for the top 75 selected applicants only.
- Vaccinations
Required Courses for Application

- Meet or exceed a 2.5/B- in the following prerequisite courses prior to application.
  - BIOL&241 and BIOL&242
  - CHEM&121 and CHEM&131
  - BIOL&260
  - ENGL&101

- Meet or exceed a 2.5/B- in the following courses by end of spring quarter preceding start of the Dental Hygiene program. These courses are not tabulated in the cumulative GPA scoring.
  - NUTR&101
  - PSYC&100 OR 200
  - CMST&210 OR 220
  - SOC&101
  - MATH&146
  - CMST&150 OR HUM&215
  - ENGL&102
Chairside Dental Assisting

Dental Hygiene BAS applicants
Optional chairside assisting documentation

- Optional Points - 5 Points Max
- 1000 hours of Chairside Dental Assisting
- Job description filled out by the applicant and not the employer.
- The Chairside Dental Assisting form is part of the online Dental Hygiene Application, you will self report these hours.
Checking Application Status

You will receive an admissions decision within 3-4 weeks from the Selective Admissions Office.

- You can check on the progress of your admission decision status by logging into your Self-Service Center.
- Requirement status will be updated manually, when admission staff process and verify your application documents.
- This field does not update automatically.

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Application Decision Status

• The final decision **status** will be available on your online account. You can check decision status by logging into your Self-Service Center.

• To accept the offer of admission, you must return an accept/decline form.
  • Click ‘Respond’ in the top-right of this letter and submit online
    • If you experience any difficulty with this form, please email **selective.admission@lwtech.edu** or call (425) 739-8104 to get assistance
  • Stop by the Enrollment Services windows – West Building W201 walk-up windows and ask for the Accept/Decline form.
Paying for College @LWTech

• Apply to financial aid—the most common applications are the FAFSA and the WASFA
  • To learn more go to lwtech.edu/financialaid
  • The application is FREE
  • Once submitted, your application will take 6-8 weeks to process. Apply for financial aid before you apply to the program so that you are not delayed in receiving funding.

• Apply for other forms of funding such as scholarships
  • lwtech.edu/scholarships

• Apply for Workforce Development funding
  • lwtech.edu/wfd
Dental Hygiene Information & Advising Planning Session

Visit the Dental Hygiene program page at lwtech.edu/dental for dates, times, and locations

- This session is open to current and prospective students.
- This interactive information session will provide students the opportunity to learn about the LWTech Dental Hygiene BAS admission process and to meet with a Student Success Navigator for assistance with planning for taking pre-requisite courses.
- Students will have the opportunity to ask questions about
  - the admissions process
  - bring their transcripts for an initial evaluation
  - create a tentative academic plan outlining their pre-requisites in preparation for applying to the Dental Hygiene BAS program.