East Tennessee State University

Master of Science in Speech - Language Pathology Guide map

Required Courses to Complete Prior to Application

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BIOL 1110/1110L: Principles of Biology I/Lab (4 credit hours)		MATH 2100: Introductory Statistics (3 credit hours)	
PSY 1010: Introduction to Psychology (3 credit hours)		PSY 3080: Abnormal Psychology (3 credit hours)	
PSY 2210: Psychology of Child Development, PSY 2220: Psychology of Adolescent and Adulthood, or PSY 2230: Psychology of Aging (3 credit hours) Complete 2 of 3 options			
CHEM 1110/1110L: General Chemistry I/Lab (4 Credit Hours) or PHYS 1030/1030L: General Physics - Mechanics & Heat/Lab (4 Credit Hours)*			
*courses require higher math completion of MATH 1130: College Algebra and MATH 1830: Calculus for Management, Life, and Social Sciences			
ETSU Online Course Required Prior to Application			
A least fifteen (15) credit-hours in basic human communication processes, non-disorders courses with at least two (2) credits in each of the following areas of speech, language, and hearing: the anatomic and physiologic bases; the physical and psychophysical bases; and the linguistic and psycholinguistic aspects. ETSU offers two semesters of pre-requisite coursework in speech-language pathology solely online. Register as a non-degree seeking special student, using the undergrad course. Then you would apply for the 2-year graduate program			
CDIS 4000, Communication Sciences and Disorders (3 credit hours) Fall semester only		CDIS 4017, Speech and Hearing Science I (4 credit hours) Fall semester only	
CDIS 4037, Anatomy & Physiology of the Speech & Hearing Systems (3 credit hours) Fall semester only		CDIS 4027, Speech and Hearing Science II (4 credit hours) Spring semester only	
CDIS 4060, Language Development (3 credit hours) Spring semester only		CDIS 4200, The Clinical Process (3 credit hours) Spring semester only	
UTC Credit for Online ETSU Courses			
CDIS courses are transferable to UTC for college credit, and are awarded to students as upper division general elective hours. These credits will apply to meet degree requirements only if students are majoring in areas with general elective hours available. Students should consult with their major advisor on how the CDIS courses will apply to their major specifically.			
Clinical Observation			
A log of at least 25 clinical observation hours under the supervision of a Speech-Language Pathologist who is ASHA certified, must be completed prior to application.			
Application Requirements			
Fees	Test Scores and Degr	ee Requirements	Personal Essay
\$55 non-refundable application fee paid to ETSU graduate school Completed Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution. Submission of competitive GRE scores. Competitive scores for the program are: • Verbal: 151.35 • Quantitative: 147.38 • Analytical Writing: 4.35		150-300 words, detailing interests in ETSU. May be written either on online application or on a separate hard copy	