

DOCTOR OF OPTOMETRY PREREQUISITES



OPTOMETRY

(O.D.)

Specific prerequisite courses can vary by school-- always double-check the website of each optometry school you are applying to for specific requirements. Please review the CSUSB Catalog as a guide to completing the CSUSB prerequisites and recommended coursework.

Required Common Prerequisites



Biology

One year or two semesters of general biology with lab	BIOL 2010 & BIOL 2020
One semester of microbiology with lab	BIOL 2200 OR BIOL 3200

Chemistry

One year or two semesters of general chemistry with lab	CHEM 2100 & 2100L and CHEM 2200 & 2200L
One year or two semesters of organic chemistry with lab	CHEM 2400 & 2400L and CHEM 2500 & 2500L
One semester of biochemistry	CHEM 4100 & 4100L

Physics

One year or two semesters of general physics with lab <i>Check institution requirements as some institutions will require General Physics</i>	PHYS 2000 & 2010 OR PHYS 2500 & 2510
--	--------------------------------------



OPTOMETRY

(O.D.)

Specific prerequisite courses can vary by school-- always double-check the website of each optometry school you are applying to for specific requirements. Please review the CSUSB Catalog as a guide to completing the CSUSB prerequisites and recommended coursework.

Required Common Prerequisites



Math

One semester of statistics	Math 1201 OR MATH 1202 and MATH 1203
One semester of calculus	MATH 2210

Psychology

One semester of psychology	PSYC 1100 OR PSYC 2201
----------------------------	------------------------