

Nashville State Community College

ESOL and Learning Support Course Requirements

Occupational Therapy Assistant Program Application

Per Nashville State Community College requirements, all students are required to demonstrate college level readiness for college course participation and degree completion.

To that end, students must demonstrate college level readiness in Reading, English/Writing, and Math.

If a student is required by the college to complete Learning Support coursework, this work must be successfully completed BEFORE applying to the Occupational Therapy Assistant Program.

English/Writing

- If a student requires Learning Support for English/Writing, students **MUST** complete the college level course and Learning Support co-requisite BEFORE applying to the OTA Program.
- *Impact on OTA Application process:* Students **MUST** complete ENGL 1010 with ENGL 0815 BEFORE applying to the OTA Program.
- For more information download [Advising for Learning Support English and Reading PDF](#)

Reading

- If a student requires Learning Support for Reading, students **MUST** complete the college level course and Learning Support co-requisite BEFORE applying to the OTA Program.
- *Impact on OTA Application process:* Students **MUST** complete one of the following courses with READ 0815 BEFORE applying to the OTA Program:
ART 1030 MUS 1030 PSYC 1030 THEA 1030 ENGL 1010
- For more information download [Advising for Learning Support English and Reading PDF](#)

Math

- The OTA Program does NOT require a math course at the college level. **HOWEVER**, all students must meet the college requirement to be college ready in math skills.
- *Impact on OTA Application process:* If a student requires Learning Support for Math, students **MUST** complete MATH 0810 BEFORE applying to the OTA Program.
- For more information download [Advising for Learning Support Math PDF](#)
- This course requires permission from the Academic Dean for enrollment.
 - Contact Julie Williams, Dean of Social and Life Sciences, Julie.williams@nsc.edu, 615-353-3346

English as a Second Language

- If a student tests into recommended English as a Second Language coursework, students **MUST** complete ALL recommended ESOL coursework BEFORE applying to the OTA Program.
- Signing of ESOL course waiver does not constitute completion of this requirement. Students who waive ESOL recommended coursework are ineligible for the NSCC OTA Program.