



## Sauk Valley Community College

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Dixon, IL 61021  
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Required Pre-Pharmacy Prerequisite Coursework	Required Number of Courses <sup>1</sup>	Suggested Sauk Valley Community College Prerequisite Course(s) <sup>2</sup>
	Semester	
<b>I. Communication</b>		
Written communication	1	ENG 101 or 103
Verbal communication	1	COM 131 or 151
Additional (written or verbal)	1	Select a third course from above or verify the use of a course not listed. <sup>2</sup>
<b>II. Life Sciences</b>		
General Biology with labs	2	BIO (105, 131)
Anatomy and Physiology	2	BIO (109, 110)
Microbiology with lab	1	BIO 111
<b>III. Physical Sciences</b>		
General (inorganic) chemistry with labs	2	CHE (105, 106)
Organic Chemistry with labs	2	CHE (201, 202)
Physics	1	PHY 201
Biochemistry	1	No equivalent
<b>IV. Mathematics/Statistics</b>		
Calculus (integrals and derivatives)	1	MAT 203
Statistics	1	MAT 240
<b>V. Humanities</b>	1	Courses such as history, philosophy, religion, literature, art appreciation
<b>VI. Social and Behavioral Sciences</b>	1	Courses such as sociology, psychology, anthropology, political science, economics, geography
<b>Total required courses</b>	<b>18 semester courses</b>	<b>2.50 minimum GPA</b>
<sup>1</sup> Each course must be a minimum of 3 semester or 4 quarter credits. <sup>2</sup> If you have another course that you would like us to consider, please email <a href="mailto:pharmd@uic.edu">pharmd@uic.edu</a> or phone 312-996-7242.  Note: If science coursework was taken more than five years prior to admission, students must have their transcripts evaluated by the Retzky College of Pharmacy.		UIC Retzky College of Pharmacy Office of Student Affairs 833 South Wood Street Chicago, IL <a href="mailto:pharmd@uic.edu">pharmd@uic.edu</a> 312-996-7242 <a href="http://pharmacy.uic.edu">pharmacy.uic.edu</a>
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