

**The University of Texas at Austin**  
**Requirements for Completion of the Didactic Program in Dietetics**  
**2010 - 2012 Catalog**

In order to receive a Didactic Program in Dietetics Verification Statement from the University of Texas at Austin, the student must fulfill the following criteria:

1. Baccalaureate degree (does not have to be in nutrition or related field)
2. Completion of the following courses or transfer equivalent with a grade of C - or better (courses cannot be taken on a pass/fail basis)
3. Completion of at least four upper-division nutrition courses in residence at UT Austin.

**Science**

CH 301 Principles of Chemistry I  
CH 302 Principles of Chemistry II  
CH 204 Introduction to Chemical Practice  
CH 310M Organic Chemistry I  
CH 369 (or CH 339K and CH 339L)  
Fundamentals of Biochemistry  
BIO 311C Introductory Biology I  
BIO 325 Genetics (or BIO 365R  
Vertebrate Neurobiology)  
BIO 365S Vertebrate Systems Physiology

**General Education**

GOV 310L Government or equivalent  
Social Sciences, 6 hours – chosen from  
PSY 301, ANT 302, SOC 302, ECO  
304K, ECO 304L, or HDFS 313&113L  
Statistics – chosen from SSC 303, SSC  
304, SSC 305  
ACC 310F Foundations of Accounting

**Research**

NTR 338W Issues in Nutrition and Health  
**AND** three hours chosen from NTR  
324/124L, NTR 355, NTR 366L, NTR  
379H, SSC 318, SSC 318M, SSC  
321, SSC 352  
(or by petition either NTR 352 Field  
Experience in Nutrition or NTR 353  
Field Experience in International  
Nutrition)

**Professional Development**

NTR 162 Standards, Ethics and  
Credentialing for Dietetics Practice

**Nutritional Sciences**

NTR 312/112L Introductory Nutrition and  
Lab  
NTR 326 Cellular and Molecular Nutrition  
NTR 126L Nutritional Sciences Lab  
NTR 342 Advanced Nutrition I  
NTR 365 Topics in Nutritional Science  
(any topic)

**Behavioral/Clinical Nutrition**

NTR 315 Nutrition through the Life Cycle  
NTR 218/118L Assessment of Nutritional  
Status and Lab  
NTR 332 Community Nutrition  
NTR 370 Medical Nutrition Therapy I  
NTR 371 Medical Nutrition Therapy II  
Three hours chosen from  
NTR 330 Nutrition Education and  
Counseling *or*  
NTR 365 Nutrition and Genes

**Food Science**

NTR 307/107L Introduction to Food  
Science and Lab

**Food Systems Management**

NTR 334/234L Foodservice Systems  
Management and Lab  
NTR 355M Advanced Food Systems  
Management

Note: On dietetic internship applications  
Science DPD courses refer to those  
specifically listed in the **Science**  
section of this form. All others are  
referred to as **Other DPD courses**.