

MSAT Admission Procedure:

Post-baccalaureate students pursuing admission will be required to hold a Bachelor's degree with a minimum undergraduate 2.75 GPA and have completed all prerequisites for program admission. The 2020 CAATE standards require students to have prerequisite courses in biology, chemistry, physics, psychology, anatomy, and physiology at the postsecondary level (Standard 54). Additionally, students must gain foundational knowledge in statistics, research design, epidemiology, pathophysiology, biomechanics and pathomechanics, nutrition, pharmacology, public health, and health care delivery and payor systems incorporated into prerequisite coursework or as a component of the professional program. Prospective students will apply for admission to the Graduate School, submit their MSAT admission packet, and complete a personal interview before the formal selection and admittance. The MSAT admission materials packet includes:

Admission Materials Packet for MSAT:

- 1. Completed application for the MSAT
- 2. Letter of interest
- 3. Three letters of recommendation (i.e., teachers, coaches, advisors, employers, etc.)
- 4. Official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended
- 5. Health examination by a licensed medical professional
- 6. Immunization records, including HBV, TB, and Influenza
- 7. Signed technical standards (American with Disabilities Act Statement)
- 8. Student liability insurance
- 9. Personal health insurance
- 10. Hold current CPR/AED/First Aid certification from a nationally accredited organization
- 11. Complete and successfully pass a background screening
- 12. Verification of 100 observation hours by a Certified Athletic Trainer
- 13. Successful completion of the following required courses with a C or higher:
 - a. Human Anatomy and Physiology: 3-4 credit hours
 - b. Medical Terminology: 3 credit hours
 - c. Biomechanics/Kinesiology: 3 credit hours
 - d. Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries: 3 credit hours
 - e. Exercise Physiology: 3-4 credit hours
 - f. Elementary Statistics: 3 credit hours
 - g. General Psychology: 3 credit hours
 - h. General Chemistry: 3-4 credit hours
 - i. Nutrition: 3 credit hours
 - j. General Physics: 3-4 credit hours
 - k. General Biology: 3-4 credit hours

Please contact Dr. Rich Bomgardner or Dr. Lindsay Luinstra for more information on the application process.

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