

CERTIFIED SURGICAL TECHNICIAN TO AAS IN SURGICAL TECHNOLOGY

Course	Title	Hours
Semester 1		
COLL 101	ORIENTATION TO COLLEGE ¹	0
Writing and Rhetoric (https://wvup-public.courseleaf.com/programs-study/general-education-mission/#wr) Elective		3
Scientific Inquiry (https://wvup-public.courseleaf.com/programs-study/general-education-mission/#si) Elective		4
Free Elective		4
ST 250	DISASTER PREPAREDNESS	4
Hours		15
Semester 2		
ST 255	LEADERSHIP ²	4
Quantitative Reasoning (https://wvup-public.courseleaf.com/programs-study/general-education-mission/#qr) Elective		3
Select two of the following: ³		6
People and Their Worlds (https://wvup-public.courseleaf.com/programs-study/general-education-mission/#ptw) Elective		
Aesthetics, Creativity, and Appreciation (https://wvup-public.courseleaf.com/programs-study/general-education-mission/#aca) Elective		
Human Communication and Interaction (https://wvup-public.courseleaf.com/programs-study/general-education-mission/#hci) Elective		
Hours		13
Semester 3		
Advanced placement credit hours or previous college coursework, for being a board-certified surgical technologist. ⁴		32
Hours		32
Total Hours		60

¹ Required 1-credit hour course, but is not counted in the degree total.

² Students enrolled in ST 255 LEADERSHIP Leadership will be required to be an active member of the Association of Surgical Technology (AST). The current fee for membership is \$80. Price is subject to change by the AST.

³ Selected courses must be from two of the three strands, to equal 6 credit hours.

⁴ Courses listed as "Semester 3" do not require course registration; these credit hours will be completed using previous college coursework or will be awarded (up to 32 hours, considered as Advanced Placement) for being a board-certified surgical technologist.