

ACADEMIC COURSEWORK REQUIREMENTS

All coursework is to be listed in **semester hours**. For those who Received quarter hours instead of semester hours, use conversion chart on right.

CONVERSION CHART

1 quarter hour = 2/3 semester hour
 2 quarter hours = 1 1/3 semester hours
 3 quarter hours = 2 semester hours
 4 quarter hours = 2 2/3 semester hours

A. BASIC COMMUNICATION PROCESSES

Courses providing **FUNDAMENTAL** information applicable to **NORMAL** development and use of speech, hearing, and language. A minimum of fifteen (15) semester hours is required and must include course work in each of the three areas noted below. **Please refer to page 8 for examples of acceptable courses.**

	<u>College/University</u>	<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Check if Graduate Level Course</u>	<u>Semester Hours</u>
Anatomic & Physiologic Bases (min. = 3 s.h.)			Examples Anatomy of the Speech & Hearing Mechanism		
			Neuroanatomy		
			Acoustics		
Communication Sciences (min. = 3 s.h.)			Examples Speech Science		
			Hearing Science		
			Phonetics- can be counted here or under Linguistics		
Linguistic & Psycholinguistic Variables (min. = 3 s.h.)			Examples Language development		
			Language Acquisition		
			Linguistics, Multicultural- Phonetics can be counted here or under Communication Sciences		
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS					
(15 Semester Hour Minimum)					

B. PROFESSIONAL COURSE WORK

If you are applying for a license in **AUDIOLOGY**, at least 30 of the minimum required total of 36 semester hours is required in the major areas of auditory pathology and habilitation/rehabilitation. This must included at least a minimum of six hours in auditory pathology and a minimum of six hours in habilitation/rehabilitation. A maximum of six academic semester credit hours associated with clinical practicum may be counted toward the 36 hour requirement. An abstract of the thesis must be submitted if credit is requested.

AUDIOLOGY COURSEWORK

	<u>College/University</u>	<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Check if Graduate Level Course</u>	<u>Semester Hours</u>
Auditory Pathology (min. = 6 s.h. for license in Audiology)			Examples Audiology		
			Auditory & Vestibular Pathology		
			Pediatric Audiology		
			Tinnitus		
			Electrophysiology		
			Medical Audiology		
Habilitation/ Rehabilitation (min. = 6 s.h. For license in Audiology)			Examples- Hab/Rehab		
			Amplification		
			Hearing Loss Prevention		
Clinical Practicum (maximum 6 s.h.)					

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS
(36 Semester Hour Minimum) _____

C. RELATED AREAS

Courses providing information RELATED to the management of speech, language and hearing disorders. (i.e. Exceptional Children, Child Behavior Management, Advanced Psychology Courses)

College/University	Course Number	Course Title	Check if Graduate Level Course	Semester Hours
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Examples

Multicultural Communication

Exceptional Children;

Child Behavior Management

Advanced Psychology Courses

Research Design; Statistics

Clinical Methods;

Professional Issues

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS _____

SUMMARY OF ACADEMIC COURSEWORK SEMESTER HOUR TOTALS

A. Basic Communication Processes Semester Hour Total(minimum 15 s.h.) _____

B. Professional Areas:

Audiology Semester Hour Total(minimum 36 s.h.) _____

C. Related Area Semester Hour Total _____

OVERALL SEMESTER HOUR TOTAL (Total of A, B. and C above)(minimum 90 s.h.) _____

SECTION III – ACADEMIC AUDIOLOGY CLINICAL PRACTICUM

Audiology applicants must have completed a minimum of 350 supervised patient hours before applying for a temporary license for the fourth-year externship. Each applicant must submit a verified clinical clock hour sheet, signed by the clinic or program director in addition to completion of this application form. Applicant must remain a full-time student and change in status must be reported to the Board of Examiners. These hours MUST HAVE BEEN SUPERVISED BY N.C. LICENSED OR ASHA CERTIFIED AUDIOLOGISTS. At the completion of the fourth-year externship, you will need to submit to the Board written evidence documenting 1,800 clock hours of professional experience before the permanent license can be issued.

Evaluation:

Total Hours Pediatric Evaluation: _____
(Minimum 100 hours)

Total Hours Adult Evaluation: _____
(Minimum 100 hours)

Supervision of Evaluation Hours

Supervisor	N.C. License or ASHA Account#	Site	Adult or Child	# of Hours
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Treatment:

Total Hours Amplification: _____
(Minimum 80 Hours)

Total Hours Aural Rehabilitation: _____
(Minimum 25 Hours)

Supervision of Treatment Hours

Supervisor	N.C. License or ASHA Account#	Site	Adult or Child	# of Hours
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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TOTAL OBERVATION HOURS: _____ TOTAL GRADUATE LEVEL: _____ TOTAL HOURS: _____
(Minimum 350 Hours)

PROGRAM DIRECTOR'S RECOMMENDATION:

This applicant's master's/doctoral degree will be/was officially conferred by this institution on _____.
(Circle one) (Circle one)

This student has passed the comprehensive examination: Yes _____ No _____

As the Director of the program in which this applicant received the major portion of his/her professional training, I recommend that a license be granted if and when all requirements are met by the applicant.

Comment:

Signature of Program Director: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

**Mail the completed application to: N. C. Board of Examiners for SLP & AUD
PO Box 16885
Greensboro, NC 27416-0885**

Listed below are examples of acceptable courses for each area. This list is not to be interpreted as a complete list of all possible acceptable courses. These are the most common examples for each category and this page is intended to aid you in completing your application. Course titles may vary from university to university.

Note that you can divide the hours for courses one time. For example, if your course equals 3 semester hours, you may count 1.5 hours in one area and 1.5 hours in another area or 1 hour in one area and 2 hours in another area.

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Anatomic
Physiologic
Bases
(min. = 3 s.h.)

This area is for NORMAL development and use of speech, hearing, and language.

Anatomy of the Speech & Hearing Mechanism; Neuroanatomy; Acoustics

Communication
Sciences
(min. = 3 s.h.)

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Speech Science; Hearing Science; Phonetics can be counted here or under Linguistics.

Linguistic &
Psycholinguistic
Variables
(min. = 3 s.h.)

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Pathology
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Audiology)

**Audiology; Auditory & Vestibular Pathology; Pediatric Audiology; Tinnitus;
Electrophysiology; Medical Audiology**

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Rehabilitation
(min. = 6 s.h.
for license in
Audiology)

Hab/Rehab; Amplification; Hearing Loss Prevention; Aural Rehab; Cochlear Implants

C. RELATED AREAS

Related Areas

**Multicultural Communication; Exceptional Children; Child Behavior Management;
Advanced Psychology Courses; Research Design; Statistics; Clinical Methods; Professional
Issues**
