

Sauk Valley Community College 2014-2015

Fall 2014 Spring 2015, and Summer 2015
Please see the NIU *Undergraduate Catalog* for specific admission information

Athletic Training

Department of Kinesiology and Physical Education
www.cedu.niu.edu/knpe
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1. A minimum overall GPA of at least 2.50 on a 4.00 scale (as calculated by NIU), including all transfer work
2. Completion of all of the following pre-admission courses at the time of application with a grade of C or better in each course:

NIU Courses	Sauk Valley Equivalents
ENGL 103 Rhetoric and Composition I (3) <i>or</i>	ENG 101
ENGL 104 Rhetoric and Composition II (3)	ENG 103
PSYC 102 Introduction to Psychology (3)	PSY 103
CHEM 110 Chemistry (3) <i>or</i>	CHE 102
<i>One of NIU's mathematics core competency courses (excluding MATH 201) for example:</i>	
MATH 101 Core Competency in Mathematics (3) <i>or</i>	N/A
MATH 155 Trigonometry and Elementary Functions (3) <i>or</i>	MAT 122
MATH 206 Introductory Discrete Mathematics (3) <i>or</i>	MAT 230
MATH 210 Finite Mathematics (3) <i>or</i>	MAT 220
MATH 211 Calculus for Business and Social Sciences (3) <i>or</i>	MAT 221
MATH 229 Calculus I (4)	MAT 203

Transfer students are advised to complete these courses prior to transfer, if possible:	Sauk Valley Equivalents
BIOS 103 (3) and BIOS 105 (1)	BIO 103, 104 or 105
BIOS 311 Functional Human Anatomy (4) <i>or</i>	N/A
BIOS 357 Human Anatomy and Physiology (5)	BIO 109 & 110
PHHE 206 Contemporary Health Concepts (3)	BIO 120

3. Admission into Athletic Training is competitive and all students who meet the above pre-admission requirements will be required to complete the Athletic Training application form including one or more essays (see Item #6).
4. Students must provide documentation with a BOC (Board of Certification) certified Athletic Trainer's signature of observation or experience in an Athletic Training setting within the last 10 months prior to application (paid or voluntary), minimum of 50 hours.
5. Students must provide two recommendations with at least one, but preferably both, from a certified athletic trainer, from people who are familiar with and/or have supervised the applicant's professional work related or volunteer experiences.
6. Students must complete a limited admission application packet that may be obtained online via the department website.
7. Transfer students who have met the pre-admission requirements for the major in Athletic Training, prior to applying for admission to the university, should obtain an Athletic Training limited admission application via the department website and apply for admission through the Department of Kinesiology and P.E. at the same time they apply for admission to the university.
8. Students must be admitted to the major in Athletic Training before they can enroll in KNPE 264 Principles of Injury Prevention and Care (3), KNPE 265 Practicum in Athletic Training (3), and KNPE 266 Emergency Medical Response (3). **Since these courses are not available in transfer, it is recommended that students transfer to NIU after one year at the community college with the available pre-admission courses completed.**
9. Provide evidence of current first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) certification from a nationally recognized organization (i.e., American Red Cross).
10. Complete the Athletic Training Technical Standards form (included in application packet) with signature.
11. Provide the contract of Understanding for Athletic training (included in the application packet) with signature.
12. Provide a copy of academic transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended.

Program application deadline: February 15 for following fall semester
(Notification of admission status will be made by March 15.)

Students intending to transfer to NIU should seek academic advisement from their community college counselor.