



**10-091-1 VETERINARY TECHNICIAN
2022-2023 PROGRAM CURRICULUM CHECKLIST
NORTHWOOD TECHNICAL COLLEGE
NEW RICHMOND**



Name/ID

Date

CATALOG NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	HOURS PER WEEK	CREDITS	VETERINARY ASSISTANT TECHNICAL DIPLOMA 31-091-3	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN ASSOCIATE DEGREE (Financial Aid Eligible)	DATE COMPLETED	TRANSFER OR GRADE
FIRST TERM							
10091100	Animal Care and Management Prerequisite: Admission to Veterinary Technician plan and Corequisite: 10806105 Principles of Animal Biology	4 hours per week	3 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091101	Veterinary Business Practices Prerequisite: Admission to Veterinary Technician plan and Corequisite: 10091100 Animal Care and Management	4 hours per week	3 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091102	Veterinary Medical Terminology Prerequisite: Admission to Veterinary Technician plan	2 hours per week	2 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10806105	Principles of Animal Biology Prerequisite: Admission to Veterinary Technician plan	5 hours per week	4 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10809198	Introduction to Psychology	3 hours per week	3 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
	FIRST TERM TOTAL	18 hours per week		15 Credits VETERINARY ASSISTANT	15 Credits VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
SECOND TERM							
10091103	Clinical Pathology 1 for Vet Sciences Prerequisites: 10091100 Animal Care and Management, 10091101 Veterinary Business Practices, and 10806105 Principles of Animal Biology	6 hours per week	4 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091108	Veterinary Pharmacology Prerequisite: Admission to Veterinary Technician plan	4 hours per week	3 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091120	Lab Animals and Non-Traditional Pets Corequisite: 10091103 Clinical Pathology 1 for Vet Sciences	4 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10801136	English Composition 1	3 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10806197	Microbiology Prerequisites: 10806177 General Anatomy and Physiology preferably within the last five years or 10806105 Principles of Animal Biology	5 hours per week	4 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
	SECOND TERM TOTAL	21 hours per week		7 Credits VETERINARY ASSISTANT	17 Credits VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		

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THIRD TERM							
10091104	Clinical Pathology 2 for Vet Sciences (FYI: This title will be changing fall 2023 to Clinical Procedures 2 for Vet Sciences) Prerequisite: 10806197 Microbiology and Corequisite: 10091105 Surgical Procedures 1 for Vet Sciences	6 hours per week	4 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091105	Surgical Procedures 1 for Vet Sciences Prerequisite: 10091103 Clinical Pathology 1 for Vet Sciences	4 hours per week	3 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091107	Imaging for Veterinary Sciences Prerequisite: 10091103 Clinical Pathology 1 for Vet Sciences	4 hours per week	3 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10801196	Oral /Interpersonal Communication	3 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
	THIRD TERM TOTAL	17 hours per week		6 Credits VETERINARY ASSISTANT	13 Credits VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
FOURTH TERM							
10091106	Surgical Procedures 2 for Vet Sciences Prerequisites: 10091108 Veterinary Pharmacology and COREQUISITE: 10091113 Anesthesia for Veterinary Sciences (FYI: The corequisite title will be changing fall 2023 to Anesthesia and Dentistry for Veterinary Sciences)	5 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091110	Clinical Skills 1 for Vet Sciences (FYI: This title will be changing fall 2023 to Veterinary Technician Clinical Internship 1) Prerequisites: 10091108 Veterinary Pharmacology and 10091105 Surgical Procedures 1 for Vet Sciences	8 hours per week	2 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091112	Veterinary Technician Certification Review Corequisite: 10091106 Surgical Procedures 2 for Vet Sciences	4 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091113	Anesthesia for Veterinary Sciences (FYI: This title will be changing fall 2023 to Anesthesia and Dentistry for Veterinary Sciences) Prerequisites: 10091108 Veterinary Pharmacology, and Corequisite: 10091106 Surgical Procedures 2 for Vet Sciences	5 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10809166 or 10809196 or 10809172	Introduction to Ethics: Theory and Application or Introduction to Sociology or Introduction to Diversity Studies	3 hours per week	3 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
	FOURTH TERM TOTAL	25 hours per week		2 Credits VETERINARY ASSISTANT	14 Credits VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		

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SUMMER (FIFTH) TERM							
10091111	Clinical Skills 2 for Vet Sciences (FYI: This title will be changing fall 2023 to Veterinary Technician Clinical Internship 2) Prerequisite: 10091110 Clinical Skills 1 for Vet Sciences (Prerequisite title will be changing fall 2023 to Veterinary Technician Clinical Internship 1)	16 hours per week	2 credits	VETERINARY ASSISTANT	VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
10091114	Veterinary Technician Clinical Internship (FYI: This title will be changing fall 2023 to Veterinary Technician Clinical Internship 3) Prerequisite: 10091110 Clinical Skills 1 for Vet Sciences (Prerequisite title will be changing fall 2023 to Veterinary Technician Clinical Internship 1)	32 hours per week	4 credits		VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
	SUMMER TERM TOTAL			2 Credits VETERINARY ASSISTANT	6 Credits VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		
	PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS			32 Credits VETERINARY ASSISTANT	65 Credits VETERINARY TECHNICIAN		



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Course repeat policies exist that allow for only a certain number of retakes within the program (for technical studies/core courses); please refer to the policies for details.

Please be advised that low-enrollment class sections may be canceled. You will be contacted by Student Services with information on other class sections available in alternate formats.

NORTHWOOD TECH GENERAL STUDIES COURSE OPTIONS FOR NORTHWOOD TECH ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Co-enrollment in 99831900 Writing Essentials may be recommended in addition to English Composition 1.

Specific General Studies courses are scheduled as requirements for this program. If you have completed General Studies coursework at another Wisconsin technical college, please refer to the Acceptable Transfer Course document at the following link (find your program) to see if your previous coursework will transfer

[Acceptable Transfer Courses](#)

If you have completed General Studies coursework at Northwood Tech in a prior term, the same options will apply for your program requirements.

Pending Dean approval, technical diploma coursework (i.e. catalog number beginning with 30, 31, or 32) may also be allowed to meet general studies requirements. NOTE: Technical diploma level coursework may not transfer to a baccalaureate program.[^]

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: Although your academic advisor can provide guidance, you are ultimately responsible for selecting courses that meet a program's graduation requirements.

If you do not take courses in the recommended sequence above, it may delay your completion of graduation requirements.

You must earn a grade point of 2.0 or better in all required courses (technical studies/core and general studies)

EARN CREDIT FOR WHAT YOU ALREADY KNOW:

[Visit Credit for Prior Learning for more information](#)

The following sequence is recommended for Pre-Veterinary Technician plan students:

Fall Term:

10801136 English Composition 1

10809198 Introduction to Psychology

10806105 Principles of Animal Biology (prerequisite override required for Pre-Veterinary Technician students by Dean, Skilled Trades)

Spring Term:

10801196 Oral/Interpersonal Communication OR 10801198 Speech

10806197 Microbiology

10809172 Introduction to Diversity Studies (other options available, however Introduction to Diversity Studies is the recommended course)

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[^]If considering transferring into a baccalaureate program, please work with the Transfer Coordinator at the college you are interested in transferring to verify status, including if technical diploma level coursework will transfer and if it will transfer, how the credits will be brought in to your future degree.