## UNIVERSITY POLICIES
- Refer to the SU catalog for approved prerequisites and General Education courses.
- Requirements may not equal 120 credit hours. Students must register for additional electives to complete 120 credits required for graduation.
- All graduates must have a minimum of 30 credits of 300/400-level courses with a grade of C or above; at least 15 of these credits must be taken at SU.
- Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 for graduation.
- Students must complete at least 30 credit hours by direct classroom instruction and/or laboratory experience.
- Students must take 30 of the last 37 credit hours at SU.
- It is the student's responsibility to satisfy graduation requirements. Please refer to the SU catalog for detailed major requirements.

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

To be considered for admission to the upper-division courses, students must fulfill the following requirements:
- Be admitted to Salisbury University.
- All transcripts from all previous institutions attended must be on file in the SU Admissions Office.
- Ordinarily, students must have completed all SU General Education requirements.
- Successfully complete or have a plan to complete all respiratory therapy prerequisite courses with a grade of C or better prior to the fall semester in which they plan to begin upper-division coursework. These courses include: BIOL211, 215, 216; CHEM121, 122; MATH135, 155; and RESP 210.
- Submit the Intent to Enroll form prior to February 10 of each year. This form is available on the program Web site.
- A GPA of 2.5 is required for admission, but does not guarantee acceptance to the program.

### GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

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<th>Course No. &amp; Title</th>
<th>#Credits</th>
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<td>Group I: English Composition and Literature (2 courses)</td>
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<td>A. C or better in ENGL 103 or HONR 111</td>
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<td>B. Literature course from either ENGL or MDFL Depts.</td>
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<td>Group II: History (2 courses)</td>
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<td>A. HIST101, 102, or 103</td>
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<td>B. HIST101, 102, 103 or a HIST course above 103</td>
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<td>Group III: Humanities and Social Sciences (3 courses)</td>
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<td>A. Select one course from one of the following seven areas: ART, CMAT, DANC or THEA, MDFL, MUSC, PHIL, HONR 211</td>
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<td>B. Select one course from one of the following eight areas: ANTH, CADR, ECON or FINA, ENVR, Human GEOG, PSYC, PSYD, SOCI, HONR 112</td>
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<td>C. Select one course from either Group IIIA or IIIB (course must be from a different area than previously selected)</td>
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<td>Group IV: Natural Science, Math and Computer Science (4 courses)</td>
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<td>A. Select courses with laboratories from at least two of the following four areas: BIOL, CHEM, GEOG or Physical GEOG, PHYS</td>
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<td>B. Select one additional course (need not be a lab) from Group IVA or ENVR or ENVR or COSC or MATH or HONR 212</td>
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<td>C. Select one course from MATH</td>
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<td>Group V: Health Fitness (1 course)</td>
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<td>FTWL106 - Lifelong Fitness and Wellness</td>
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**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (4 courses)**

Complete the following with a C or better:
- BIOL215 - Human Anatomy and Physiology I
- CHEM121 - General Chemistry I
- MATH135 - College Algebra
- MATH155 - Modern Statistics

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS (4 courses)**

Complete the following with a C or better:
- BIOL216 - Human Anatomy and Physiology II
- CHEM122 - General Chemistry II
- RESP210 - Foundation Studies in Respiratory Therapy

**PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS (15 courses)**

- RESP301 - Patient Care Procedures
- RESP302 - Basic Respiratory Procedures/Clinical Practicum
- RESP303 - Cardiopulmonary Physiology
- RESP304 - Cardiopulmonary Disease
- RESP321 - Advanced Respiratory Care
- RESP322 - Pharmacology
- RESP323 - Clinical Practicum II
- RESP400 - Fundamentals of Respiratory Care Research
- RESP401 - Neonatal and Pediatric Respiratory Care
- RESP402 - Cardiopulmonary Diagnostics and Rehabilitation
- RESP403 - Clinical Practicum III
- RESP404 - Management Practices in Health Services
- RESP420 - Respiratory Care Seminar
- RESP424 - Critical Care Specialization
- RESP425 - Diagnostics Specialization