

DIDACTIC COURSE SCHEDULE

Day	Unit	Skills	Assessment's
Week 1	1.1 Overview of TDC Academy	- Student packet, textbook, Schedules, responsibilities, etc.	
	1.2 Intro Basic Dentistry	- Positions, Specialties, Rules, Guidelines, basic anatomy	
	1.3 Dental Terminology	- Vocabulary used on a daily basis to communicate	
Week 2	2.1 Dental Law	- Patient privacy, laws, regulations, and dental practice act	Unit 1 Exam
	2.2 Infection Control	- Bloodborne pathogens, Transmission, Prevention	
		- Universal Precautions, Disinfection, Sterilization	
Week 3	3.1 Dental Instruments	- Identification and uses of instruments / equipment	Unit 2 Exam
	3.2 Dental Equipment	- Name, use, function, proper care of instruments	
Week 4	4.1 Dental Anatomy	- Head and Neck, Oral and Dental Anatomy	Unit 3 Exam
Week 5	5.1 Front Office Admin.	- Intro to scheduling, phone skills, billing, claims, etc.	Unit 4 Exam
	5.2 Lab Technician	- Intro to scanning, design, milling, printing, etc.	
	5.3 Ortho Assistant	- Basic ortho assisting, instruments, procedures, etc.	
Week 6	6.1 Oral Pathology/Periodontics	- Caries, Periodontal Disease, Soft Tissue	Unit 5 Exam
	6.2 Preventative Oral Health	- Periodontal disease, assisting, charting, etc	
	6.2 Sealants/Coronal Polishing	- Materials and equipment used, purpose.	
Week 7	7.1 Dental Radiology	- Radiation, Protection, Machine, Film, Techniques, etc	Unit 6 Exam
	7.2 Dental Anesthesia	- Terminology, uses, medical history, armamentarium	
		- Proper care and safety of all anesthesia	
Week 8	8.1 Nitrous Oxide	- Properties, effects, placement, dosage, etc.	Unit 7 Exam
	8.2 Clinical Records	- Charting and note taking	
Week 9	9.1 Temporary Crowns	- Indications, types of Provisionals, homecare	Unit 8 Exam
Weeks	9.2 High Speed	- Types, Uses, maintenance, regulations	ome o zam
Week 10	10.1 Medical Emergencies	- Most Common medical emergencies in dental setting	Unit 9 Exam
		- Needle stick exposure - guidelines	
Week 11	11.1 Resume / Interview skills	- Resume building, job interview skills, etc	Unit 10 Exam
	11.2 Retakes	,	
Week 12	12.1 Mock Interviews	- Learn how to interview for your new position	
	12.2 Graduation	- Questions, answers, communication skills, etc	
		- Luncheon - GRADUATION	

Dental Specialties

Ortho		Lab Tech		Front Office
-Banding brackets	-Tooth numbering	- Scanning	- Sintering	- Insurance Billing
-Consultations	-Charting	- Design	- Stain and Glaze	- Scheduling
-Molar band fitting	-Debanding	- 3D Print	- Seat	- Accounts Receivable
- Wire staging		- Milling		- Financial Arrangements



CLINICAL COURSE SCHEDULE

Day	Unit	Skills	
Week 1	1.1 Overview of Clinic	- Roles, responsibilities of each team member	
	1.2 Office, Clinic, Operatory	- Become familiar with office, clinic, and operatory	- January 13 th
	1.3 PPE's / Infection Control	- Handwashing, PPE, Universal precautions.	
	1.4 Suction, Isolate, Retract	- Instruction on suction, air/water, isolation, retraction	
	1.5 Restoration Procedure	- Setup operatory for restoration procedures, etc.	
Week 2	2.1 Dental Law	- Understand HIPPA violations and learn OSHA protocol	
	2.2 Infection Control Continued	- Sterilization of instruments, and use of equipment	- January 20 th
	2.3 Impression taking	- Tray selection, material, and proper techniques	
	2.4 Temporary Crown	- Fabrication of a functional provisional crown, materials.	
	2.5 Crown Procedure	- Setup operatory for crown prep and crown seat, etc.	
Week 3	3.1 Dental Instruments	- Tray and operatory set-up for dental procedures	
	3.2 Dental Equipment	- Identify dental equipment & basic operating instructions	- January 27 th
	3.3 Models	- Pour models and casting.	
	3.4 Endo Procedure	- Setup operatory for endodontic procedures, etc.	
Week 4	4.1 Dental Anatomy	- Clinically identify basic oral anatomy	
	4.2 Dental Materials	- Identify Different dental materials	- February 3 rd
	4.3 Denture Adjustments, etc.	- Denture procedures, with reline and adjustments	
	4.4 Surgery, Implant Procedure	- Setup operatory for Surgical / Implant procedures, etc.	
Week 5	5.1 Front Office Admin.	- Intro to scheduling, phone skills, billing, claims, etc.	
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	5.3 Ortho Assistant	- Basic ortho assisting, instruments, procedures, etc.	- Tebruary 10
Week 6	6.1 Preventative Oral Health	- Comprehensive Exam, FMX, Cone Beam, Panoramic,	
VVEERO	6.2 Sealants/Polishing	photographs, periodontal charting	- February 17 th
	6.3 Fluoride	- Sealant placement and fluoride	- Tebruary 17
	6.4 Hygiene Procedure/Setup	- Coronal polishing and paste selection	
Week 7	7.1 Dental Radiology	- Placement, exposure, infection control, software	
VVCCK 7	7.2 Syringe armamentarium	- Setup anesthetic syringe, safety and disposing	- February 24 th
	7.3 Dental Anesthesia	- Topical anesthetic & correct needle selection	- Tebruary 24
	7.4 Crown Seat Procedure	- Crown seat procedure setup and breakdown, etc.	
Week 8	8.1 Nitrous Oxide	- Administering and Monitoring N2O, note taking	
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	4.2 Dental Charting	- Charting, note taking, information gathering	- Water 5
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Week 9	9.1 Sealants, polishing, x-rays,	- Mock competency for live clinic with family members.	
	Impression, temp crown,	- Prepare for indicated procedures	- March 10 th
	anesthesia, nitrous		
Week 10	10.1 Dental Emergencies	- First Aid Kit, Spill Kit, AED, Sharps, BP, Pulse, etc.	
	10.2 CPR	- CPR	- March 17 th
Week 11	11.1 Live Clinical Competencies	- Pass all competencies on family member for clinic final	
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Week 12	GRADUATION!!	- Luncheon - GRADUATION	
			- March 31 st