

OTA

for Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, Idaho,
Montana, Oregon, Washington,
& Texas Students

Our OTA program is designed to accommodate distance education students with the majority of course work done synchronously online through virtual classrooms. In-person labs occur during the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th semesters and take place at Joyce University in Draper, Utah.**



Skill Lab & Fieldwork (FW) Requirements by Semester

Semester 1

BIO 211 Anatomy and Physiology

Lab requirement: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual asynchronous¹ lab interactions

Semester 2

OTA 120 Occupations of Childhood and Adolescence

Lab requirement: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

OTA 130 Pediatric Skills

Lab requirement: 45 hours; FW I: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

One week of lab (skills pass off) on campus**

- Monday – Friday 8 hours/day (this is typically done in week 12)

One week of level I Fieldwork

- Option 1: complete in your state of residence*
- Option 2: complete in Utah (this is typically done in week 13)

BIO 215 Kinesiology and Functional Movement

Lab requirement: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual asynchronous¹ lab interactions

Semester 3

OTA 150 Occupations of Adulthood

Lab requirement: 45 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

OTA 170 Adulthood Skills Lab

Lab requirement: 45 hours; FW I: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

One week of lab (skills pass off) on campus**

- Monday – Friday 8 hours/day (this is typically done in week 13)

One week of level I Fieldwork

- Option 1: complete in your state of residence*
- Option 2: complete in Utah (this is typically done in week 14)

OTA 180 Foundations and Engagement

Lab requirement: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

OTA 190 Psychosocial Aspects of Occupation

Lab requirement: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

Semester 4

OTA 200 Occupations of Later Adulthood

Lab requirement: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

OTA 230 Later Adulthood Skills

Lab requirement: 45 hours; FW I: 30 hours

- Weekly virtual synchronous² lab interactions

One week of lab (skills pass off) on campus**

- Monday – Friday 8 hours/day (this is typically done in week 11)

One week of level I Fieldwork

- Option 1: complete in your state of residence*
- Option 2: complete in Utah (this is typically done in week 12)

Semester 5

OTA 270 Fieldwork II-A

8 weeks full time fieldwork experience

- Option 1: complete in your state of residence*
- Option 2: complete in Utah

OTA 280 Fieldwork II-B

8 weeks full time fieldwork experience

- Option 1: complete in your state of residence*
- Option 2: complete in Utah

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*Students wishing to complete level I and/or level II fieldwork in their state of residence will need to work with the Academic Fieldwork Coordinator (AFWC) during semester 1 and may be required to assist in identifying a fieldwork site.

** Out-of-state students must attend the Draper, Utah campus location for in-person labs and simulations.

¹Asynchronous courses are taken online based on the student's availability within the timeframe outlined for that lesson in the course syllabus.

²Synchronous courses may be offered online and require the student to be present at a designated time for a live lecture or interaction.