

COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

Oklahoma State University is located in Stillwater, which is about 65 miles from Oklahoma City and 69 miles from Tulsa. The Veterinary Medical complex includes three major buildings: the Boren Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital; the Oklahoma Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory; and McElroy Hall, which houses classrooms, basic science departments, and the William E. Brock Memorial Library.

CURRICULUM: The first three years of the curriculum are interdisciplinary and integrated. Electives are offered in years two and three. The fourth year comprises rotations in the veterinary teaching hospital, preceptorships, and electives.

ADMISSION PROCESS: Admission is limited to U.S. citizens and permanent residents. Four positions are available to New Jersey residents and up to two positions are available through the Southern Regional Education Board for Delaware residents.

NONRESIDENT STUDENTS:

- Apply through VMCAS
- Submit Supplemental Application to OSU
- Submit \$25 Processing Fee to OSU

RESIDENT STUDENTS:

- Apply directly to OSU
- If applying to multiple schools, apply through VMCAS (same instructions as above)

See www.cvm.okstate.edu/admissions for Application, Supplemental Application, and processing fee instructions. An admissions committee reviews completed applications in February. Interviews may be required.

SIZE OF ENTERING CLASS: 74

DEADLINE DATE: October 1, 2002

CLASSES BEGIN: late August

PROCESSING FEE: A nonrefundable \$25 processing fee made payable to College of Veterinary Medicine will be assessed to all those applying through VMCAS.

ADMISSION DEPOSIT: A non-refundable deposit paid at the time of acceptance (\$100 for residents; \$500 for non-residents) is required to hold a position in the class.

TUITION AND FEES: \$7,805 resident; \$21,522 non-resident (subject to change for 2002-2003).

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS: Priority is given to Oklahoma residents. Admission of non-resident applicants is limited. Scores from the **Graduate Record Examination (GRE®) General Test and the Biology Subject Test** are required, and the tests must be taken no later than the last available test date in December. (GRE® Code 6558). Tests must have been taken within the four years prior to application. A minimum grade point average of 2.80 on a 4.00 scale is required for prerequisite courses. Any grade lower than C in a

required course is unacceptable. Courses may be repeated but the hours and grade points earned in repeated courses will be averaged with the original courses to arrive at the required course GPA. All coursework except humanities, social science, and English must have been completed within eight years of the fall semester for which application is made. The earliest semester to be counted for 2002 applicants (for 2003 admission) is fall 1994. Applicants must have satisfied all academic requirements by the last day of the spring term of the year in which admission is desired.

LETTERS OF EVALUATION: Applicants are required to have three recommendations in support of their application, one of which must include a veterinarian. Others may be from an employer and/or academic advisor.

Prerequisite courses for entrance into the college must include (course numbers are Oklahoma State University's courses that satisfy the requirement):

Animal Nutrition (ANSI 3543)	3
General Chemistry with lab (CHEM 1314 & 1515)	8-10
Organic Chemistry with lab (CHEM 3015 or the series 3053, 3153, & 3112) Must include aliphatic & aromatic compounds. The 5-hour minimum is acceptable only if a terminal course with lab.	5-8
Biological Sciences –(BIOL 1604 & 1114) General zoology or equivalent and lab Biology elective for science majors	7-8
Genetics (ANSI 3423 or PLNT 3554 or BIOL 3024) Lab recommended but not required	3-4
Biochemistry (BIOC 3653)	3
Microbiology with lab (MICR 2124)	4
Physics (PHYS 1014 or 1114 & 1214)	4-8
Mathematics (MATH 1513) College algebra or higher level course; no statistics	3
English Composition (ENGL 1113 & 1213)	6
English Elective May include technical writing, speech, or literature.	2
Humanities/Social Sciences	6
Elective(s) – (Credit hours will vary according to institution in which coursework is completed. If all of the above courses do not total 60 credit hours, science and/or business electives may be used.)	
Total semester credit hours (minimum)	60

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