

## Course Syllabus

**Course Title:** Registered Dental Assistant Course and Examination

**Course Number:** DENT 5280

**Course Description:** This course is designed to help prepare the Dental Assistant for the examination required by the TSBDE covering Texas Infection Control, Jurisprudence and Radiology. The student will learn the CDC infection control standards, waste management, and techniques to prevent cross contamination. Licensing, relevant legal terminology, ethics and radiology techniques will also be taught. Included in the course is a TSBDE approved examination.

**Hours:** 8

**Course Prerequisite(s):** Completion of a TSBDE approved Dental Assisting Program or at least 6 months experience in dental assisting.

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

1. Gain an understanding of Infection Control, Jurisprudence, and Radiology
2. Prepare to take the State exam required for Dental Assistants to become a Registered Dental Assistant (RDA).

**Course Objectives:** At the completion of this course, each student will have received preparation for taking the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners exam for Registered Dental Assistants, and will be given instructions for completing the application process for licensure.

**Textbook:**

Materials available in class

**Withdrawal Policy:** See the current *Career Skills Training* catalog for the tuition refund policy.

**Collin College Academic Policies:** See the current *Collin Student Handbook*.

**Americans with Disabilities Act:** Collin College will adhere to all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations and guidelines with respect to providing reasonable accommodations as required to afford equal opportunity. It is the student's responsibility to contact the ACCESS office, SCC-G200 or 972.881.5898 (V/TTD: 972.881.5950) to arrange for appropriate accommodations. See the current *Collin Student Handbook* for additional information.

**Meeting Location:** Central Park Campus

**Method of Evaluation:** Students must achieve a minimum of 70% final average and must be in attendance for 100% of the class time in order to pass competencies.

**Lessons:**

Session 1: Review, prepare, and take state exam