

Jefferson State Community College

Physical Therapist Assistant Program – Introduction to PTA Seminar

Prospective PTA Students

Prospective PTA Students can earn bonus points to go towards their PTA application. Options for qualified candidates include:

- (1) Completion of PHS 112 (Physical Science 112) with a grade of C or higher; **or**
- (2) Completion of any 3-semester unit Physics course with a grade of C or higher; **or**
- (3) Completion of the **Introduction to PTA Seminar**

Prospective PTA students may qualify for additional points by enrolling in and completing **PTA 120 Introduction to Kinesiology**

Intro to PTA Seminar

The introductory seminar will help the interested student learn more about the Physical Therapist Assistant Program here at Jefferson State Community College. This is a great opportunity for prospective students to: learn more about the profession of physical therapy; explore issues related to physical therapy and rehabilitation; define the role of the physical therapist assistant (PTA); differentiate the roles and responsibilities of the Physical Therapist (PT), the Physical Therapist Assistant (PTA) and unlicensed physical therapy personnel; recognize the educational requirements and expectations of the PTA program; participate in learning experiences; demonstrate the attributes, characteristics, and behaviors expected of a professional student. We will also provide information on PTA 120 Introduction to Kinesiology.

Commitment

To qualify for the 2-point bonus, the student must attend a half-day session (9am-11am). Students are expected to demonstrate professional behavior. Please refer to the Jefferson State Community College Catalog & Student Handbook for the Code of Student Conduct.

When

May 6, 2025

August 4, 2025

December 4, 2025

9am – 11am

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Deadline to Register

April 22, 2025

July 21, 2025

November 20, 2025

Registration

Enrollment is limited. To register, please fill out the form below and email to bethray@jeffersonstate.edu before the registration deadline or [Register Online](#).

Confirmation will be sent after the registration deadline.

Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

A Number: _____

Which seminar? (Please circle) May 6 Aug 4 Dec 4

Eligibility

All students interested in applying to the PTA Program by Jan 2026 are eligible.

Other Information

Attending a seminar **does not** guarantee admission to the PTA Program

Published guidelines and requirements are subject to change without notice. Updated information about the PTA Program is posted on the Jefferson State website as available.

College course credit is not awarded for this seminar.

Fee

There is no fee for this seminar.

Dress Code

Business Casual Attire; No jeans, no athleisure

Where?

Shelby-Hoover Campus, General Studies Building 311

Questions

If you have questions regarding these seminars, please feel free to contact the department:

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