DECLARATION OF PROGRAM
Texas State University – College of Education Advising Center

Pre-Physical Therapy

Degree: Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Science (ESS)
Major: Exercise and Sports Science (ESS)
Concentration: Pre-Physical Therapy (PPT)
Catalog Year: ________________________________

Optional Minor: ________________________________

Student Information
Name: ________________________________________ Texas State ID: A0 ________________ Effective Semester: ________________

 o Initial Declaration (New Student Orientation)
 o Readmitted Student (New Student Orientation)
 o Change from previous program: ________________________________

I understand that:

☐ The decision to change to a different major or program now or in a future semester will likely result in additional hours required for degree completion and delayed graduation and could potentially result in tuition for excessive attempted hours.
☐ To be a licensed Physical Therapist, additional education is required beyond this undergraduate program.
 - Completion of this program will not guarantee admittance into a graduate-level Physical Therapy program.
 - Other Physical Therapy schools may require additional prerequisite courses not included in this program.
 - Among other application requirements, Texas State’s Doctorate of Physical Therapy Program requires a minimum 3.0 GPA in all science courses, prerequisite courses, and the last 60 hours of coursework. Accepted students typically have a 3.5 or higher GPA in these areas. Application requirements for other programs may vary.
 - I am responsible for researching graduate-level PhysicalTherapy programs and admission requirements.

☐ A Texas State GPA of 2.75 and Overall GPA of 2.50 are required prior to registration for and enrollment in certain courses.
☐ A grade of ‘C’ or better in BIO 2430 is a prerequisite for certain courses.
☐ ESS 1128 Aquatic Ther. and ESS 1179 Weight Trn. are degree requirements and cannot be substituted with PFW ACT courses.
☐ PT 3400 Human Structure and Function should be taken after successful completion of BIO 2430, AT 3326, and AT 3328.
☐ AT 3326 Eval. of Upper Extrem. Inj. and AT 3328 Eval. of Lower Extrem. Inj. should not be taken in the same semester.
☐ Successful completion of an approved 200-hour internship experience is required for degree completion.
☐ Attendance at an Internship meeting the long semester prior to completion of the Internship course is required.
☐ A Texas State GPA of 2.75 (or 2.0 for students in catalog years prior to 2014) and a Major GPA of 2.25 are required for graduation.
☐ In order to graduate with honors, I must complete a minimum of 54 Texas State credit hours and earn a Texas State GPA of 3.40 or higher.
☐ Regardless of catalog year, I will be held to current academic policies and course prerequisites which are subject to change.

Additionally, I recognize that the AT and ESS courses in my major have limited enrollments and are sometimes offered on a rotational basis (fall only or spring only, etc.). I may not be able to register for these courses in my desired academic year and should adjust my long-range plan accordingly.

Student Signature: ______________________________________  Date: ________________________
Advisor Signature: ______________________________________  Date: ________________________

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