
University of Pretoria Yearbook 2017

MSc Dentistry (10252090)

Duration of study 2 years

Total credits 180

Programme information

The programme consists of a dissertation related to the major subject.

Admission requirements

Subject to the stipulations of the General Regulations, the BChD degree or an equivalent qualification is required, as well as the Postgraduate Diploma in Dentistry [PGDipDent]. The candidate may be exempted from the latter qualification at the discretion of the head of the department concerned and with the Dean's approval.

Candidates in possession of an applicable bachelor honours degree or equivalent qualification may be admitted to study in certain specialised basic dental sciences at the discretion of the head of department concerned and according to the General Regulations, and with the Dean's approval.

Contact department before application.

Examinations and pass requirements

The stipulations of the General Regulations apply. A minimum pass mark of 50% is required for the dissertation.

Pass with distinction

A student must obtain a minimum of 75% for the dissertation.



Curriculum: Year 1

Core modules

Dissertation 890 (ODO 890)

Module credits	180.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Dentistry General
Period of presentation	Year

Applied research methodology 802 (TNM 802)

Module credits	0.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Health Sciences Dean's Office
Period of presentation	Year

Module content

*Attendance module only.

Curriculum: Final year

Core modules

Dissertation 890 (ODO 890)

Module credits	180.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Language of tuition	Separate classes for Afrikaans and English
Academic organisation	Dentistry General
Period of presentation	Year

Applied research methodology 802 (TNM 802)

Module credits	0.00
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Academic organisation	Health Sciences Dean's Office
Period of presentation	Year

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