



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT

WSSC OTA Applicant Requirements: Fall 2022 Application

Due to ongoing COVID-19 restrictions, students are required to submit 30 observation hours **or** the Alternative Assignment for the Fall 2022 admission cycle.

Alternative Assignment Directions: Use a separate document to complete items 1-3. Include your full name and WSSC W number on the top of your document. Summaries are to be typed using 12-point font, double-spaced with standard margins. Please be sure to attend to proper grammar, syntax and legibility. Once you have completed items 1-3, **upload your assignment to the application portal** for inclusion in your completed application packet. Print, sign, and date page two (2) of this assignment and include it in your application via scan.

1. Please review the following informational video approved by the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA). **Summarize what you have learned in 300-500 words.**
 - a. [What Can Occupational Therapy Do For You](#)
2. Please review the information on the following link provided by the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA). **Summarize what you have learned in 200-300 words.**
 - a. Considering an OT Career?
<https://www.aota.org/Education-Careers/Considering-OT-Career.aspx>
3. Obtain one (1) letter of recommendation from a healthcare professional that includes date and signature and include it in your completed application packet as a scanned document.
4. Please print, sign and date the *WSSC OTA Alternative Assignment Attestation Form* located on the next page and include it in your completed application packet as a scanned document.



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WSCC OTA Alternative Assignment Attestation Form: Fall 2022 Application Cycle

I attest that I have reviewed the provided information and videos about occupational therapy in lieu of observation hours for the Fall 2022 application cycle, and am thoughtfully making the decision to pursue a career as an occupational therapy assistant with a clear understanding of the job opportunities and expectations. I feel pursuing this career path aligns with my professional goals and skill set and I submit this application willingly and purposefully.

Student Printed Name

Student Signature

Date

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Observation hours directions: Applicants may submit 30 observation hours in lieu of completing the alternative assignment directions. Observation hours must be completed under an occupational therapist or occupational therapy assistant. Hours conducted under another rehab professional will not be accepted. WSCC OTA Program faculty does not provide recommendations or resources on connecting with occupational therapy practitioners. Applicants are responsible for contacting practitioners and arranging observation hours independently.

1. Maintain and document hours in the provided log which includes the date, facility, hours observed and practitioner's signature attesting to hours observed. Upload completed log as a scanned document into your completed application.
2. Obtain one (1) letter of recommendation from the supervising OT practitioner that includes date and signature and include it in your completed application packet as a scanned document.



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Applicants Name: _____ W _____

Date	Facility	Hours Observed	OT Practitioner's Signature
Total Hours Observed:			