Guide for Pre- Physical Therapy Advising:

While most pre-physical therapy students will pursue a Kinesiology major, major-prep for Kinesiology often *does not* include all DPT prerequisites. So, students may want to consider adding additional courses to their education plan to meet both transfer and DPT prerequisites.

So, students will need:

- 1. GE
- 2. Major prep
- 3. Additional DPT prep depending on target program/s (at either MCC or transfer school)

Please encourage students to start researching DPT programs & familiarize themselves with these requirements. Here is a <u>comprehensive chart</u> of PT programs in the US & the various prerequisites from the American Physical Therapy Association.

| Prerequisite | MiraCosta Course | |
|------------------------|--|--|
| Biology I & Biology II | BIO 202 & 204 | |
| Anatomy & Physiology | BIO 210 & 220 | |
| Chemistry I & II | CHEM 150 & 151 (may vary*) | |
| Physics I & Physics II | PHYS 111 & 112 or 151 & 152 (please verify with each program*) | |
| Psychology | PSYC 101 | |
| Statistics | MATH 103/PSYC 104/etc. | |

We have confirmed the Physics requirements for the following programs:

| PT Programs: | Take PHYS 111/112? | links |
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| SDSU | NO – SDSU requires 151/152 | <u>dpt@sdsu.edu</u> |
| | | SDSU Pre-Reqs |
| CSULB | YES | CSULB Pre-Reqs |
| CSUN | YES | CSUN Pre-Reqs |
| Fresno State | YES | Fresno State Pre-Reqs |
| SFSU | YES | SFSU Pre-Reqs |
| | | SFSU equivalence chart |
| Sac State | YES | SAC State Pre-Reqs Chart |
| St. Augustine | YES | St. Augustine TES |
| Loma Linda | YES | <u>Loma Linda Pre-Reqs</u> |