Courses Required for Admittance to Dental School:
If you are interested in pursuing a career in the dental sciences you will need to complete the following courses before attending dental school.

Standard:
Bio 111: Foundations of Biology
Bio 221: Genetics
Chm 110: Foundations of Chemistry
Chm 115: Introductory Kinetics and Thermodynamics
Chm 120: Organic Chemistry
Chm 220: Bio-Organic Chemistry
Phy 111: General Physics I
Phy 112: General Physics II

Additional School Specific Courses:
Anatomy and Physiology (HSC 210 & 211 or BIO 322 & 420/426)
Biochemistry (BIO 303, CHM 460, or SCI 380)
Microbiology (BIO 301)
Business/Finance (Various)
Statistics (MTH 241 or major specific)

DENTISTRY RELATED PROGRAMS AND OPPORTUNITIES:
1. Alpha Epsilon Delta (AED) The National Pre-Health Honor Society: Award winning chapter with a very active program and participation at the national level. AED runs Blood Drives & community service programs year round. This organization also runs monthly informational sessions on all aspects of health.
2. Pre-Dental Student Group schedules speakers in the dental profession and maintains an email forum to provide support for students interested in dentistry. This group also organizes dental education service opportunities.
3. Dental Observations: The pre-health experience coordinator (Susan Ybarra) coordinates internships and other experiences for students pursuing the dental profession.
4. Heller Service Corps: Student-run program providing volunteer positions in a variety of areas, including the Greenville Free Dental Clinic (www.hellerservicecorps.org).

DENTAL ADMISSION TEST (DAT): The Dental Admission Test is typically taken during the summer following the junior year. To prepare for the material covered on the DAT, you will need to complete BIO 111, BIO 221, CHM 110, CHM 115, CHM 120, and CHM 220 prior to taking the test.

ACCREDITED DENTAL SCHOOLS (66 SCHOOLS IN 36 STATES AND PUERTO RICO)

(The complete list of dental programs can be found on the American Dental Education Association website: www.adea.org)