



LIFETIME OF OPPORTUNITY PATHWAYS PROGRAM

Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine

At Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine, our passion is training qualified students from a wide range of backgrounds to become the next generation of career-ready, compassionate veterinarians and researchers through our commitment to diversity and inclusion. It's time to explore the pathway to Ross Vet.



ROSS UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

WHY ROSS VET



Nationally recognized AVMA-accredited¹ Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) program



Broad-based curriculum and critical hands-on clinical skills, taught early on at the Ross Vet AAHA-accredited² Veterinary Clinic



Culturally distinct campus on the island of St. Kitts with access to native terrestrial and aquatic wildlife



Accelerated 3.25 years program where students learn the essential knowledge, skills, technical expertise, and attitudes of a DVM



A unique one-semester Vet Prep bridge program, designed to strengthen our students in core academic areas before the rigors of the DVM program



PROGRAM BENEFITS

Students who have completed their undergraduate junior year and have met the academic criteria established through our Pathways Program will receive these benefits:

- \$1,000 tuition deposit fee waived (as applicable)
- \$100 application fee waived (except where prohibited by law)
- Priority application consideration
- Personal admissions interview
- Designated seats for eligible students in each of our three semester starts: January, May, and September

Ross Vet applicants generally fit the following profile:

3.23

Average Cumulative*

301 GRE

average enrolled*

Extracurricular activities
and accomplishments

Do you have a student below this profile? Look at our one-semester **Vet Prep program**, a great alternative entry point to the DVM that teaches foundational knowledge, skills, and terminology to set students up for success.

*Based on averages from the incoming January 2020, May 2020 and September 2020 first-semester classes.



ALIGNED COURSEWORK

Our Pathways Program defines an aligned list of undergraduate coursework that meets these Ross Vet admissions prerequisites.

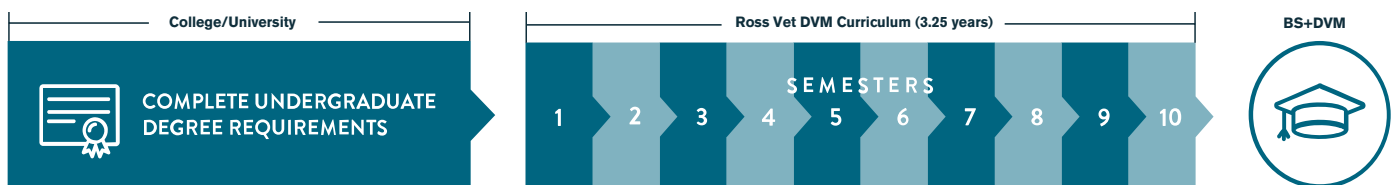
Completion of the following coursework:

- Two semesters of Biology (eight semester hours) with laboratory
- One course of either Cell Biology or Genetics (three semester hours); laboratory is recommended but not required
- One semester of General Chemistry (four semester hours) with laboratory
- One semester of Organic Chemistry (four semester hours) with laboratory
- One semester Biochemistry (three semester hours)
- One semester of Physics (four semester hours) with laboratory
- One semester of mathematics (three semester hours) to be chosen among pre-calculus, calculus, and statistics
- One semester of English (at least three semester hours), preferably to include one semester of English Composition for US students.
- Canadian Students may satisfy English requirements in 4 possible ways: (1) 2 semesters of University humanities where essays composed at least 40% of the overall mark, (2) those holding a grade 13 English credit in Ontario, (3) International Baccalaureate and (4) Advanced Placement English

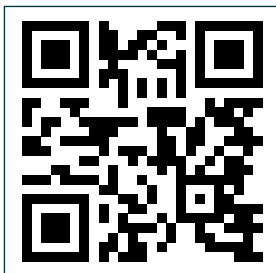
Nine semester hours; one of the courses to meet this requirement must be one of the following:

- Comparative Anatomy
- Medical Terminology
- Psychology
- Microbiology
- Nutrition
- Physiology
- Spanish (or other foreign language)
- Public Speaking
- Introduction to Business

CURRICULUM TIMELINE



EXPLORE MORE



[VETERINARY.ROSSU.EDU/PATHWAYS](https://www.veterinary.rossu.edu/pathways)

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²Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine's (RUSVM) Veterinary Clinic is accredited by the American Animal Hospital Association (AAHA, www.aaaha.org). The clinic provides a range of medical and surgical services for small animals, including preventive care and emergency medicine. RUSVM's initial accreditation was granted in July 2010.