The Doctorate of Audiology program offered at the University of North Texas does not require students to earn a Bachelors degree in Speech and Hearing Sciences. However, if the courses listed below are not part of the undergraduate studies, students will be required to complete the courses alongside their graduate-level coursework upon acceptance into the program. The students will be expected to satisfy these prerequisites prior to their externship year.

**Prerequisite Course Information**

**Knowledge and Skills Acquisition (KASA) For Certification in Audiology by ASHA**

1. The applicant must have prerequisite skills in oral and written or other forms of communication.

2. The applicant must have prerequisite skills and knowledge of:
   - Life Sciences (3 hrs)
   - Physical Sciences (3 hrs)
   - Behavioral Sciences (3 hrs)
   - Mathematics (3 hrs)

3. Normal development of speech and language (3 hrs)

**Speech and Language prerequisites for Texas Licensure**

1. A three-credit course in Speech Disorders

2. A three-credit course in Language Disorders