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2021-22 Students



*Students Practicing in the
EFDA Dental Clinic*

2023 EFDA PROGRAM

The Center for Technology, Essex Dental Assisting Program will be offering the Expanded Functions Dental Assisting Course. This course consists of classroom lecture and laboratory components for seven weeks followed by five months of clinical externship.

Classroom Dates:

- June 19 – August 4, 2023
- 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- Monday – Friday

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- **Expanded Functions Dental Assisting Program** ●



EFDA 2023 Financial Information and Important Dates

Applications are now being accepted for EFDA 2023

- Tuition: \$9,500.00. The 7 weeks of summer classroom and lab instruction are offered **June 19-August 4, 2023 (no class July 4)**. The Tooth Morphology course will take place June 19-21.
- **No applications will be accepted after December 31, 2022. A non-refundable deposit of \$100.00 must accompany your application.**
- Notification of acceptance after your application is reviewed and you have met all the necessary criteria.
- Balance of tuition payment will be due as follows:
\$2,000.00 due upon acceptance into the 2023 EFDA Program
\$3,750.00 due on or before March 15, 2023
\$3,750.00 due on or before April 15, 2023
- **There will be no refunds issued after May 1, 2023.**
 (see Form D – Refund, Withdrawal, Cancellation and Rescheduling Policies).
- Tuition include textbooks and a typodont.
- Personal loupes are mandatory for the EFDA Program. Bring loupes to the first day of class.
- We will accept eight qualified students into the EFDA Program. If we have fewer than eight students enrolled, the program will not run. If we have over eight qualified applicants, those not chosen for the program will be put on a waiting list.
- Students must have a sponsoring restorative dentist supervise them in the program as adjunct faculty. The dentist will be responsible for overseeing the student’s cooperative work experience/externship which starts immediately following the seven week classroom/lab instruction. The student and dentist have until **December 31, 2023** to complete the required clinical competencies. A bench test will be administered on **January 13, 2024**. After the bench test, students who have successfully completed the program will receive their certificate.
- There will be a MANDATORY Satellite Guidelines Meeting via Zoom for both sponsoring dentists and EFDA candidates on Saturday, **May 13, 2023 10:30-11:30 a.m.**. The purpose of the meeting will be for asking questions, meeting the faculty and reviewing expectations of the program. This meeting is mandatory – **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

Note: SkillTech reserves the right to change the dates, times or prices of classes due to instructor availability and to cancel courses if minimum number of students is not met.