

IF YOU HAVE A BACHELOR'S DEGREE

TIMELINE TO BECOMING A REGISTERED DIETITIAN NUTRITIONIST (RDN) AT CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH*

These are estimates and not a guaranteed timeline. Your pace may vary depending on your educational background, academic performance, and course availability. Use this document for informational purposes only.

DEGREE-HOLDER WITH PRE-REQS MET

Application cycle opens for GP in summer

Notified of acceptance by October 31

Begin GP in January (Year 1)

19 months

Complete in August of Year 2. (Receive M.S. & RDN readiness)

**Total time:
19 months**

DEGREE-HOLDER NEEDING PRE-REQUISITE COURSES

Complete required pre-reqs at community college or CSULB

1-2 years depending on courses needed

Application cycle opens for GP in summer

Notified of acceptance by October 31

Begin GP in January (Year 1)

19 months

Complete in August of Year 2. (Receive M.S. & RDN readiness)

**Total time:
2.5 - 4 years**

Note: Admission to the GP via the Blended Track is not guaranteed. Applicants must meet all requirements and be selected via the application process.