Cornell DVM Admissions  
Prerequisite Substitution Request

While it is not possible to waive prerequisite courses, we do offer students the opportunity to request a course substitution for similar courses for any of our prerequisites. Before completing this form, please be sure to read all policies on our website.

Your Name: ________________________________________________________________

Email Address: ___________________________________________________________________

Today’s Date: ____________ Year of Anticipated Enrollment: __________________________

College/University:______________________________________________________________
(Institution where the course will be taken (and will appear on a transcript)

I wish to substitute for:

- **□ English Composition or Writing Intensive**
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*

- **□ Biology or Zoology with Labs**
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*

- **□ General or Inorganic Chemistry with Labs**
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*

- **□ Organic Chemistry**
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*

- **□ Biochemistry**
  - (Course Code) ____________ (Course Title) __________________________ #Credits/Grade*
### Advanced Life Sciences Course

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### General Physics with Labs

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* Grade if course was already taken

I have compared your generic course description with my course description and I believe they are similar. I am submitting this form with one of the following:

- □ A course syllabus (preferred) or course description.
- □ A letter from my professor stating s/he agrees most topics in Cornell’s course description were/are covered in my course (needed if course descriptions do not compare well), or
- □ A letter from my academic department chairperson stating s/he agrees most topics in Cornell’s course description were/are covered in my course (needed if course descriptions do not compare well)

~Please send or email to contact information below~

**Please Note:**
- Our decision will be emailed to you within 3-4 weeks
- Recommended deadline for course substitution is September 15th of the year you will apply.
- You should also make copies of these materials for your records as we will not return the information you provide.