



CURRICULUM – I ST YEAR (New) 2025–2026

UNIVERSITY	Cukurova University	STUDY PROGRAMME	Dental Science (Turkish Language)
FACULTY	Faculty of Dentistry	TITLE	Doctor of Dental Science
FIELD OF STUDY	Health Sciences	DURATION OF STUDIES	5 Years
LEVEL OF QUALIFICATION	Bachelor's	TRANSFERABLE CREDITS (ECTS)	60 (Compulsory + Elective)

Subject code/ Title	Subject / Duration	I st Semester/16 weeks			II nd Semester/16 weeks			Total Per Academic Year	
		Theoretical	Practical	ECTS	Theoretical	Practical	ECTS	*Yearly Hours	Yearly ECTS
DEN 119 / C	Medical Biology / YC	3	-	-	3	-	-	90	7
DEN 121 / C	Biophysics / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	4
DEN 123 / C	Biochemistry I / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	4
DEN 125 / C	Introduction to Dentistry and Dental Professionalism / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	3
DEN 127 / C	Dental Anatomy and Physiology / YC	1	8	-	1	8	-	270	12
DEN 129 / C	Dental Public Health / YC	1	3	-	1	3	-	120	5
DEN 131 / C	Anatomy / YC	2	1	-	2	1	-	90	7
UAI 105 / C	Principles of Atatürk and History of Turkish Revolution / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	4
UIN 105 / C	Foreign Language / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	4
UTD 105 / C	Turkish Language / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	4
DEN 133 / E	Manipulation in Dentistry / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3
DEN 135 / E	Professional Drawing / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3

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CURRICULUM – II ND YEAR (New) 2025–2026

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DEN 207 / C	Restorative Dentistry I / SC	1	5	6	-	-	-	90	6
DEN 209 / C	Physiology / YC	3	-	-	3	-	-	90	7
DEN 211 / C	Biochemistry II / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	6
DEN 213 / C	Prosthodontics I / YC	1	7	-	1	7	-	240	12
DEN 215 / C	Histology and Embryology / YC	2	2	-	2	2	-	120	8
DEN 233 / C	Medical Microbiology / YC	3	-	-	3	-	-	90	6
DEN 235 / C	Parasitology / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	1
DEN 237 / C	Evidence Based Dentistry / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 209 / C	Endodontics I / SC	-	-	-	1	5	6	90	6
DEN 223 / E	Biostatistics / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	60	3
DEN 225 / E	Research Designs in Dentistry / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	60	3
DEN 206 / E	Gender Equality / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	60	3
DEN 225 / E	Research Designs in Dentistry / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	60	3
DEN 227 / E	Entry to the European Union / SC	3	-	3	3	-	3	90	3

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DEN 301 / C	Pathology / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	3
DEN 303 / C	Pharmacology / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	3
DEN 307 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery I / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	3
DEN 309 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology-I / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	3
DEN 317 / C	Pedodontics I / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	3
DEN 321 / C	Periodontology I / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	3
DEN 325 / C	Dental Materials / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	40	2
DEN 327 / C	Orthodontics I / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 329 / C	Dental Anesthesia / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 333 / C	Prosthodontics II / YC	2	6	-	2	6	-	240	12
DEN 302 / C	Restorative Dentistry II/SC	-	-	-	2	4	7	90	7
DEN 335 / C	Dental Ergonomics and Patient-Healthcare Profession Safety / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	60	2
DEN 337 / C	Endodontics II/SC	2	4	7	-	-	-	90	7
DEN 339 / C	Behavioral Sciences / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 349 / E	Dental English / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3
DEN 351 / E	Dental Photography / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3
DEN 304 / E	Special Practicals in Restorative Dentistry / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3

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		Theoretical	Practical	ECTS	Theoretical	Practical	ECTS	*Yearly Hours	Yearly ECTS
DEN 413 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery II / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 421 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology-II / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 427 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Diseases / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 432 / C	Endodontics III / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 439 / C	Medical Emergency Interventions and Dental Anesthesia in Dentistry / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 441 / C	Orthodontics II / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	2
DEN 442 / C	Medical Ethics / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 443 / C	Restorative Dentistry III / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 451 / C	Pediatric Dentistry II / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 461 / C	Periodontology II / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 467 / C	Introduction to Clinical Courses**	20	-	-	-	-	-	20	1
DEN 473 / C	Prosthodontics III / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	1
DEN 475 / C	Basic Medical Skills / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	1
DEN 481 / C	Clinical Medical Science I / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	1
DEN 459 / E	Nutrition in Oral and Dental Health /SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3
DEN 463 / E	Health Communication / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3
DEN 465 / E	Behavioral Management at Pedodontics / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3
DEN 469 / E	Artificial Intelligence in Dentistry / SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	30	3

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**The lecture of "Introduction to Clinical Courses" is given 4 hours daily in one week.



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Clinical Courses																											
Subject code/ Title	Subject / Duration	I st Semester/20 weeks												II nd Semester/20 weeks												Total Year	
		5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			Yearly Hours	Yearly ECTS			
		T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E					
DEN 429 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinical Course / YC	5	20	4																					125	4	
DEN 435 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Clinical Course / YC				5	20	4																		125	4	
DEN 437 / C	Restorative Dentistry Clinical Course / YC							5	20	4															125	4	
DEN 445 / C	Orthodontics Clinical Course / YC										5	20	2												125	2	
DEN 447 / C	Endodontics Clinical Course / YC													5	20	4									125	4	
DEN 449 / C	Pediatric Dentistry Clinical Course / YC																5	20	4						125	4	
DEN 453 / C	Periodontology Clinical Course / YC																			5	20	4			125	4	
DEN 455 / C	Prosthodontics Clinical Course / YC																						5	20	4	125	4

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DEN 503 / C	Dental Implantology / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 547 / C	Dental Care for Individuals with Special Needs/SC	1	-	1	-	-	-	15	1
DEN 553 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery III / YC	2	-	-	2	-	-	60	5
DEN 555 / C	Emergency Approaches and General Anesthesia in Dentistry / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	1
DEN 580 / C	Clinical Pharmacology Course **	5	-	-	5	-	-	20	2
DEN 581 / C	Clinical Medical Sciences II / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 582 / C	Clinical Medical Sciences III / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 583 / C	Occupational Health and Safety / YC	1	-	-	1	-	-	30	2
DEN 523 / C	Dental Public Health II / SC	-	-	-	1	-	1	15	1
DEN 541 / E	Advanced Therapies in Pedodontics/SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	60	3
DEN 543 / E	Management of Early Primary Teeth Loss/SC	2	-	3	2	-	3	60	3

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Clinical Courses																											
Subject code/ Title	Subject / Duration	I st Semester/20 weeks												II nd Semester/20 weeks												Total Year	
		5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			5 Weeks			Yearly Hours	Yearly ECTS			
		T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E	T	P	E					
DEN 525 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Clinical Course / YC	5	20	5																						125	5
DEN 527 / C	Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Clinical Course / YC				5	20	5																			125	5
DEN 529 / C	Restorative Dentistry Clinical Course / YC							5	20	5																125	5
DEN 531 / C	Orthodontics Clinical Course / YC										5	20	3													125	3
DEN 533 / C	Endodontics Clinical Course / YC													5	20	5										125	5
DEN 535 / C	Pediatric Dentistry Clinical Course / YC																5	20	5							125	5
DEN 537 / C	Periodontology Clinical Course / YC																			5	20	5				125	5
DEN 539 / C	Prosthodontics Clinical Course / YC																						5	20	5	125	5

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