

SCHEME FOR A MEDICAL CURRICULUM (Preliminary)

1. In view of:
  - a. the limitations of our present system of preliminary education, and
  - b. the demands of medical training,it seems to be imperative that the education of a medical man should occupy at least seven years after leaving a high school.

2. These should be divided as follows:
  - a. Two years premedical training
  - b. Five years medical training, of which one year should be devoted to 'interne' hospital work.

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Standard of admission: a matriculation consisting of:

English,  
History,  
Latin,  
Elementary Mathematics  
Either French, German or Greek  
Either Chemistry, Physics, Botany or Geography,  
or its equivalent.

TWO PREMEDICAL YEARS: These should be given in a Faculty of Arts, and where conditions permit, under the supervision of a Faculty of Medicine.

(There would seem to be no valid reason why a satisfactory course definitely known as a "Premedical Course" could not be offered by the Faculty of Arts at McGill. All of the professors at present teaching the premedical subjects in this faculty are members of the Faculty of Arts.)

YEAR I: Latin, English, Mathematics including Mechanics, Elementary Chemistry, and either Greek, French or German.

Standard for entrance to Year II:

- a. Having passed the examinations of Year I.
- b. An examination equivalent to the above, e.g. as graduate or student of any acceptable college.

YEAR II: Chemistry, Inorganic and Organic  
All Biology  
All Physics, except Mechanics taken in Year I.

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FIVE MEDICAL YEARS:

Standard for entrance to the purely medical part of the course:

- a. having passed the examinations of the second pre-medical year,
- b. having passed elsewhere an equivalent examination,
- c. a graduate B.A. or B.Sc. who has had an equivalent amount of Chemistry, Physics and Biology.

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