Optician Certification Program

Program Duration: 6 months

Course Sequence	Suggested Study Schedule
Lesson 1: What Is an Optician?	Week 1
Lesson 2: The Parts of the Eye	Week 2
Lesson 3: Refractive Errors	Week 3
Lesson 4: Strabismus and Amblyopia	Week 4
Lesson 5: Other Common Ocular Conditions	Week 5
Lesson 6: Frame Basics	Week 6
Lesson 7: Frame Styling	Week 7
Lesson 8: Aligning Frames	Week 8
Lesson 9: Adjusting Frames	Week 9
Lesson 10: A Quick Look at Light	Week 10
Lesson 11: Reading a Prescription	Week 11
Lesson 12: More About Prescriptions and Lens Types	Week 12
Lesson 13: Lens Materials	Week 13
Lesson 14: Prism Basics	Week 14
Lesson 15: Fresnel Prisms	Week 15
Lesson 16: Optical Effects of Lens Curvature	Week 16
Lesson 17: Multifocal Lens Considerations	Week 17
Lesson 18: The Manual Lensometer	Week 18
Lesson 19: More About Opticianry Measurements and Calculations	Week 19
Lesson 20: Simple Math and Algebra	Week 20
Lesson 21: Soft Contact Lenses	Week 21
Lesson 22: Gas-Permeable Contact Lenses	Week 22
Lesson 23: Legal Responsibilities and Ethics	Week 23
Lesson 24: Preparing for the ABO Exam	Week 24
Office Procedures Level I	Week 25
Office Procedures Level II	Week 26

- The above schedule is provided as a generic guideline to help students manage their study pace efficiently towards on time completion.
- Students who are able to finish courses in a faster pace are allowed and encouraged to do so for earlier completion.
- We recommend students to follow the course sequence in the order listed above.