

NURSING: RN TO BSN, BS

Degree Requirements

Requirements for Students Matriculating in or before Academic Year 2024-2025. Learn more about University Academic Regulation 3.1 (<http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/#matriculation>).

Minimum Overall Grade Point Average: 2.50

Total Hours: 120

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Requirements		
<i>English Composition</i>		
See Academic Regulation 3.5 (http://catalog.okstate.edu/university-academic-regulations/#english-composition)		
ENGL 1113	Composition I	3
or ENGL 1313	Critical Analysis and Writing I	
Select one of the following:		3
ENGL 1213	Composition II	
ENGL 1413	Critical Analysis and Writing II	
ENGL 3323	Technical Writing	
<i>American History & Government</i>		
Select one of the following:		3
HIST 1103	Survey of American History	
HIST 1483	American History to 1865 (H)	
HIST 1493	American History Since 1865 (DH)	
POLS 1113	American Government	3
<i>Analytical & Quantitative Thought (A)</i>		
MATH courses designated (A)		3
<i>Humanities (H)</i>		
Courses designated (H)		6
<i>Natural Sciences (N)</i>		
Must include one Laboratory Science (L) course		
CHEM 1215	Chemical Principles I (LN)	4
or CHEM 1314	Chemistry I (LN)	
NSCI 2013	Principles of Human Nutrition (N)	3
<i>Social & Behavioral Sciences (S)</i>		
Course designated (S)		3
<i>Additional General Education</i>		
Courses designated (A), (H), (N), or (S)		12
Hours Subtotal		43
Diversity (D) & International Dimension (I)		
May be completed in any part of the degree plan		
Select at least one Diversity (D) course		
Select at least one International Dimension (I) course		
College/Departmental Requirements		
Minimum GPA 2.50 with a minimum grade of "C" or "P" in each course		
UNIV 1111	First Year Seminar (or other approved first year seminar course)	1
EDHS 1111	First Year Seminar Supplement	1

MICR 2123 & MICR 2132	Introduction to Microbiology and Introduction to Microbiology Laboratory	5
BIOL 3204	Physiology (or appropriate transfer credits for 4 hours Physiology and Physiology Lab)	4
BIOL 3214	Human Anatomy (or appropriate transfer credits for 4 hours of Human Anatomy and Human Anatomy Lab)	4
Hours Subtotal		15
Major Requirements		
Minimum GPA of 2.50 with a minimum grade of "C" or "P" in each course.		
NURS 3000	Registered Nursing Experience/License (For Associate Degree or Diploma in Nursing + RN License)	30
HLTH 3723	Principles of Epidemiology	3
HLTH 4783	Public Health and Aging	3
NURS 3013	Theoretical and Conceptual Foundations of Nursing	3
NURS 3025	Health Assessment, Wellness and Community Health	5
NURS 3033	Cultural Considerations in Health Care	3
NURS 3043	Global and Public Health	3
NURS 4023	Trends and Issues in Nursing	3
NURS 4034	Leadership and Management in Nursing	4
NURS 4043	Nursing Research and Evidenced-Based Practice	3
NURS 4050	RN-BSN Capstone	2
Hours Subtotal		62
Total Hours		120

Other Requirements

- 40 hours of upper-division course work.
- Required for graduation:
 - 2.50 Overall GPA;
 - 2.50 GPA in College/Departmental Requirements; and
 - 2.50 GPA in Major Requirements.
- The student must earn minimum grades of "C" or "P" in the College/Departmental Requirements and Major Requirements.

Additional State/OSU Requirements

- At least: 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU.
- Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours.
- Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.
- Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2030.

Example Plan of Study

Finish in Four Plan of Study

The plan below is an **example** of how students can successfully complete degree requirements in four years. This suggested class schedule plan may be used as a guide and can be adjusted based on individual needs. Students are required to meet with an academic advisor prior to enrollment each semester to plan their class schedule, and students are ultimately responsible for completing all degree requirements.

Minimum Overall GPA: 2.50

Total Hours: 120

Prerequisite Coursework

Code	Title	Hours
ENGL 1113	Composition I	3
ENGL 1213	Composition II	3
or ENGL 1413	Critical Analysis and Writing II	
or ENGL 3323	Technical Writing	
HIST 1103	Survey of American History	3
or HIST 1483	American History to 1865 (H)	
or HIST 1493	American History Since 1865 (DH)	
POLS 1113	American Government	3
MATH course designated (A)		3
Course designated Humanities (H)		3
Course designated Humanities (H)		3
CHEM 1215	Chemical Principles I (LN)	5
or CHEM 1314	Chemistry I (LN)	
NSCI 2013	Principles of Human Nutrition (N)	3
Course designated (A), (H), (N) or (S)		3
Course designated (A), (H), (N) or (S)		3
Course designated (A), (H), (N) or (S)		2
One course designated Diversity (D)		
One course designated International Dimension (I)		
UNIV 1111	First Year Seminar	1
EDHS 1111	First Year Seminar Supplement	1
MICR 2123	Introduction to Microbiology	3
MICR 2132	Introduction to Microbiology Laboratory	2
STAT 2013	Elementary Statistics (A)	3
Human Anatomy		4
Physiology		4
Associate Degree or Diploma in Nursing ¹		
RN License ¹		

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NURS 3000 (30 credit hours) = Advanced Standing Credit received for completion of these prerequisites.

Semester 1

Code	Title	Hours
Block 1 (1st 8 weeks) ²		
NURS 3013	Theoretical and Conceptual Foundations of Nursing	3
NURS 3043	Global and Public Health	3
HLTH 4783	Public Health and Aging	3

Block 2 (2nd 8 weeks) ²

NURS 3033	Cultural Considerations in Health Care	3
NURS 3025	Health Assessment, Wellness and Community Health	5

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ALL prerequisite coursework and 3000-level NURS courses must be completed prior to enrollment in NURS 4000-level courses.

Semester 2

Code	Title	Hours
Block 1 (1st 8 weeks)		
NURS 4023	Trends and Issues in Nursing	3
NURS 4034	Leadership and Management in Nursing	4
HLTH 3723	Principles of Epidemiology	3
Block 2 (2nd 8 weeks)		
NURS 4043	Nursing Research and Evidenced-Based Practice	3
NURS 4050	RN-BSN Capstone	1-6