

McMURRY UNIVERSITY
Patty Hanks Shelton School of Nursing

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

This curriculum plan is for those seeking a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree and initial licensure as a Registered Nurse (RN). *If you are already licensed as an RN, refer to the RN-BSN sample degree plan.*

FRESHMAN YEAR							
Fall Semester			Hours	Spring Semester			Hours
General/Organic Chemistry 1	CHEM 1405		4	Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 1310		3
College Algebra	MATH 1311		3	Lead, Exc, Virtue	HIST 2330, 2340, RELI 2309, SCIE 2310, SRLD 1300, 1310, SOCI 1300		3
Principles of Communication	COMM 1310		3	Composition & Literature	ENGL 1320		3
Composition & Rhetoric	ENGL 1310		3	Fine Arts	ARTS 1300, 1313 FNAR 2310, MULH 2301, THRE 1300		3
Freshman Seminar	ACAD 1340		3	Fitness for Living	HF 1210		2
			Total Hours				16
Summer Semester			Hours				
Foreign Language	*see catalog		8				
			Total Hours				8
						Total Hours	14

SOPHOMORE YEAR							
Fall Semester			Hours	Spring Semester			Hours
Anatomy & Physiology 1	BIOL 2401		4	Anatomy & Physiology 2	BIOL 2402		4
Introduction to Psychology	PSYC 1340		3	Developmental Psychology	PSYC 2360		3
Statistics	MATH 3351		3	Critical Reasoning	BIMS 1300, COMM 2350, COSC 1322, 1325, ENGL 2300, 2310, 2320, 2350, MATH 2315, PHIL 2350, 2360		3
Religion	RELI 1310, 1330, 2330, 2340		3	Foundations of Microbiology	BIOL 3403		4
			Total Hours				13
Summer/Spring Semester** (Fall)			Hours				
Introduction to Nursing Skills	NURS 2301		3	** Depending on the term the student begins the nursing course sequence, please follow the color-coded timeline headings: Summer/Spring = black Fall = red			
Dimensions in Nursing (online)	NURS 3324		3				
Pathophysiology	NURS 3410		4				
			Total Hours				10
						Total Hours	14

JUNIOR YEAR							
Fall Semester (Spring)			Hours	Spring Semester (Fall)			Hours
Fundamentals of Nursing (Process 1)	NURS 3622		6	Pediatric & Obstetric Nursing (Process 2)	NURS 3836		8
Health Assessment	NURS 3421		4	Mental Health Nursing	NURS 3335		3
Pharmacology	NURS 3323		3	Elective	Nursing*		3
			Total Hours	<i>English Proficiency Exam</i>	credit/no credit		
			Total Hours				13
						Total Hours	14

SENIOR YEAR							
Fall Semester (Spring)			Hours	Spring Semester (Fall)			Hours
Medical-Surgical Nursing (Process 3)	NURS 4846		8	Critical Care Nursing (Process 4)	NURS 4651		6
Nursing Theories & Research	NURS 4343		3	Leadership & Management	NURS 4352		3
Community Nursing	NURS 4335		3	Professional Nursing Practicum	NURS 4453		4
			Total Hours				14
						Total Hours	13

**Refer to catalog for options*

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