

Associate of Applied Science in Concept-Based RN Completion for LPN to Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Nursing for Registered Nurses

The B.S.N. Nursing for Registered Nurses Major is offered 100% online

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT STARK STATE COLLEGE			
Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Notes on Transfer Coursework to Kent State
Semester One: [13 Credit Hours] Stark State College			
BIO121 Anatomy and Physiology I (lab) ♦	4		BSCI 21010 (KBS)
ENG124 College Composition ^	3		ENG 11011 (KCP1)
MTH124 Statistics ^	3		MATH 10041 (KMCR)
PSY121 General Psychology ^	3		PSYC 11762 (KSS, DIVD)
Semester Two: [13 Credit Hours] Stark State College			
BIO122 Anatomy and Physiology II (lab)	4		BSCI 21020 (KBS, KLAB)
NSG101 Clinical Reasoning in Current Nursing Practice	2		NURS 1X000
NSG123 Transition for the LPN (lecture)	2		NURS 1X000
NSG123L Transition for the LPN (lab)	.5		NURS 1X000
NSG123C Transition for the LPN (clinical)	1.5		NURS 1X000
NSG141 Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Patients with Mental Illness Issues (lecture)	1.5		NURS 1X000
NSG141L Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Patients with Mental Illness Issues (lab)	.5		NURS 1X000
NSG141C Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Patients with Mental Illness Issues (clinical)	1		NURS 1X000
Semester Three: [16 Credit Hours] Stark State College			
NSG221 Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Reproducing and Developing Family (lecture)	2.5		NURS 2X000
NSG221L Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Reproducing and Developing Family (lab)	.5		NURS 2X000
NSG221C Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Reproducing and Developing Family (clinical)	1		NURS 2X000
PSY123 Human Growth and Development	3		NURS 20950 (KSS)
BIO221 Principles of Microbiology	4		BSCI 20021 AND BSCI 20022 (KBS, KLAB)
NSG241 Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Adult Patients with Stable and Unstable Acute Conditions (lecture)	3		NURS 2X000
NSG241L Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Adult Patients with Stable and Unstable Acute Conditions (lab)	.5		NURS 2X000
NSG241C Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Adult Patients with Stable and Unstable Acute Conditions (clinical)	1.5		NURS 2X000
Semester Four: [12 Credit Hours] Stark State College			
SOC121 Sociology	3		SOC 12050 (KSS, DIVD)
NSG261 Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Patients Across the Lifespan with Complex Conditions (lecture)	5		NURS 2X000
NSG261L Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Patients Across the Lifespan with Complex Conditions (lab)	1		NURS 2X000
NSN261C Concepts of Nursing Practice in the Care of Patients Across the Lifespan with Complex Conditions (clinical)	3		NURS 2X000

54 Total Credit Hours to Complete AAS from Stark State College

* Students will be permitted to take upper division NURS coursework upon completing CHEM 10050, CHEM 10055, or CHEM 10060. Please speak with a Kent State University academic advisor for more information.

^ Based on SSC placement scores

◆ Because of strong emphasis on science in this major, applicants must have successfully completed Biology in high school. Students who did not complete the courses in high school, and those who prefer to refresh their knowledge of the material, should complete the listed pre-requisites.

@ Course may be taken at Stark State College and transferred to Kent State. However, please be aware of Kent State's residence policy, which can be found in the Kent State University Catalog.

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT KENT STATE			
Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Notes on Transfer Coursework to Kent State
Semester Six: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University			
CHEM 10050 Fundamentals of Chemistry (KBS) or CHEM 10055 Molecules of Life (KBS) or CHEM 10060 General Chemistry I (KBS) *	3		@CHM123 @CHM141
ENG 21011 Research Writing (KCP2)	3		@
Kent Core Humanities (KHUM)	3		@
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Semester Seven: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University			
Kent Core Fine Arts (KFA)	3		@
NUTR 23511 Science of Human Nutrition (KBS)	3		@NTR121
BSCI 30050 Human Genetics or BSCI 30156 Elements of Genetics	3	■	
Upper Division Elective	3	■	
Semester Eight: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University			
NURS 40075 Info and Patient Care Tech for Healthcare Professionals	3	■	
NURS 41000 Concepts & Issues for Professional Nursing Practice	3	■	
NURS 42000 Leadership & Management for Professional Nursing Practice	3	■	
Upper Division Elective	3	■	
Semester Nine: [12 Credit Hours] Kent State University			
NURS 43001 Health Promotion in Professional Nursing Practice (ELR)	3	■	
NURS 44001 Population-Based Nursing for Professional Nursing Practice (DIVG)	3	■	
NURS 45000 Health Maintenance & Restoration for Professional Nursing Practice	3	■	
NURS 40873 Intro to Evidence Based Practice for Registered Nurses	3	■	
Semester Ten: [9-18 Credit Hours] Kent State University			
NURS 46000 Health Care Policy	3	■	
NURS 47000 Capstone Clinical for Professional Nursing Practice (WIC) or NURS 47099 Capstone for Professional Nursing Practice (ELR) (WIC)	3	■	
Upper-Division Nursing Elective	3	■	
General Electives	9		(if needed to reach minimum credit hour requirement)
120 Total Credit Hours to Complete BSN from KSU, Including Transfer Coursework			

Admission Requirements

Admission to the Nursing for Registered Nurses major is selective. Criteria for admission includes the following: Evidence of admission in good standing from a state-approved associate degree or diploma nursing program with a minimum 2.000 (on a 4.0 scale) overall GPA.

Graduation Requirements

Requirements to graduate with the BSN degree program: To graduate, students must have minimum 120 credit hours, 39 upper-division credit hours of coursework, a minimum 2.000 major GPA and minimum 2.000 cumulative GPA. They must also fulfill an approved experiential learning experience, a two-course diversity requirement (domestic and global), complete a writing intensive course with a minimum C (2.000) grade. More specific graduation requirement information can be found in the Academic Policies section of the Kent State University Catalog (www.kent.edu/catalog).

To be eligible to register for nursing (NURS) courses, students must have successfully completed:

- Active, unrestricted registered nurse (RN) license in the state in which practica will be completed
- Completion of required science courses or their direct equivalents with a cumulative 2.0 GPA
- Anatomy and Physiology: BSCI 21010 and BSCI 21020
- Chemistry: CHEM 10050, CHEM 10055, or CHEM 10060
- Microbiology: BSCI 20021
- All Kent Core requirements
- Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning course with minimum C grade
- BSCI 30050 or BSCI 30156 (or equivalent) with minimum C grade
- The following courses (or their equivalents): NUTR 23511; PSYC 11762; SOC 12050; and MATH 10041 (or NURS 31010 or PH 30002 or PSYC 21621)

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It is recommended that students intending to pursue the BSN in Nursing for Registered Nurses through Kent State University consult with academic advisors at both Stark State College and Kent State University.

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