

Suggested General Studies courses that are also required (or recommended) within the major requirements or are prerequisites to major requirements:

BIO 101 Principles of Biology (required)	PHL 231 Healthcare Ethics OR PHL 230 Ethics (required)
CHE 101 Introductory Chemistry OR CHE 111 General Chemistry I (required)	PSY 101 General Psychology (required)
BIO 250 Anatomy & Physiology (required)	PSY 240 Life-Span Developmental Psychology (required)
Please consult the university catalog for the complete general studies curriculum and all course options. http://catalog.missouriwestern.edu/undergraduate/	

Sample Plan

FRESHMAN YEAR – First Semester			FRESHMAN YEAR – Second Semester		
UNV 101	The University Experience	1	ENG 108 or ETC 200	College Writing/Research or Intro to Technical Communication	3
ENG 104	College Writing/Rhetoric	3	CHE 101 or 111	Introductory Chemistry w/ lab * OR General Chemistry I	4-5
BIO 101	Principles of Biology *	4	Gen Studies	Humanities & Fine Arts	3
PSY 101	General Psychology *	3	Gen Studies	HIS 140, HIS 150 or PSC 101	3
MAT	College math requirement *	3			
	(Modified if developmental courses are required)				
	SEMESTER TOTAL	14		SEMESTER TOTAL	13-14
SOPHOMORE YEAR – First Semester			SOPHOMORE YEAR – Second Semester		
BIO 250	Anatomy & Physiology	5	BIO 251	Medical & Public Health Microbiology	4
Free	Elective	3	Gen Studies	Humanities & Fine Arts	3
PHL	Ethics requirement (PHL 231 or 230) *	3	PSY 240	Life-Span Developmental Psychology *	3
COM 104	Oral Communication	3	BIO 375	Pathophysiology	4
ALH 106	Medical Terminology	2	Free	Elective	2
	SEMESTER TOTAL	16		SEMESTER TOTAL	16
JUNIOR YEAR – First Semester - NURSING			JUNIOR YEAR – Second Semester - NURSING		
NUR 302	Introduction to Standards-Based Nursing	4	NUR 314	Quantitative Analysis for Health Prof	3
NUR 303	Introduction to Clinical Nursing Practice	3	NUR 336	Pharmacology II	2
NUR 306	Holistic Assessment	3	NUR 363	Adult Health I	4
NUR 307	Nutrition in Nursing	2	NUR 364	Adult Health Clinical I	4
NUR 308	Professional Concepts in Nursing	1	NUR 435	Mental Health Nursing	3
NUR 334	Pharmacology I	2			
	SEMESTER TOTAL	15		SEMESTER TOTAL	16
SENIOR YEAR – First Semester - NURSING			SENIOR YEAR – Second Semester - NURSING		
NUR 402	Maternal/Newborn Nursing	3	NUR 424	Care Coordination Across the Lifespan	2
NUR 403	Pediatric Nursing	3	NUR 453	Community and Population Health	5
NUR 422	Adult Health II	4	NUR 474	Leadership & Management in Nursing	3
NUR 423	Adult Health Clinical II	2	NUR 475	Senior Capstone Clinical	3
NUR 390	Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing	3	NUR 488	Senior Seminar	2
	SEMESTER TOTAL	15		SEMESTER TOTAL	15

***Required Support Courses or equivalents with a grade of C or better**

**This sample plan does not include any developmental coursework or minor courses.

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Degree Requirements for Bachelor of Science in Nursing:

A minimum of 120 credits is required for graduation (including 60 from a senior college). A Bachelor of Science in Nursing requires completion of all general studies, all nursing support courses and all nursing required courses. General studies and nursing support courses must be completed prior to beginning the nursing program.

Nursing Support Courses

(Prerequisites to complete prior to nursing school)

	ALH	106	Medical Terminology	2
	BIO	101	Principles of Biology	4
*	BIO	250	Anatomy and Physiology	5
*	BIO	251	Medical and Public Health Microbiology	4
*	BIO	375	Pathophysiology	4
	CHE		Chemistry w/ lab (CHE 101, or 111)	4/5
	PHL		Ethics (PHL 230 or 231)	3
	PSY	101	General Psychology	3
*	PSY	240	Life-Span Developmental Psychology	3

***Specific nursing support courses (other than general education courses) must have been completed within the previous ten years.**

Additional BSN Admission Requirements/Application Deadlines

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 or higher
- Test of Essential Academic Skills (ATI TEAS) score of 58.7% or above.
- Application Deadlines:
 - January 15 for fall admission
 - August 15 for spring admission

Requirements – Nursing Courses

(Must be admitted to nursing program to take these courses)

	NUR	302	Introduction to Standards-Based Nursing	4
	NUR	303	Introduction to Clinical Nursing Practice	3
	NUR	306	Holistic Assessment	3
	NUR	307	Nutrition in Nursing	2
	NUR	308	Professional Concepts in Nursing	1
	NUR	314	Quantitative Analysis for the Health Professions	3
	NUR	334	Pharmacology I	2
	NUR	336	Pharmacology II	2
	NUR	363	Adult Health I	4
	NUR	364	Adult Health Clinical I	4
	NUR	390	Evidence-based Practice in Nursing	3
	NUR	402	Maternal/Newborn Nursing	3
	NUR	403	Pediatric Nursing	3
	NUR	422	Adult Health II	4
	NUR	423	Adult Health II Clinical	2
	NUR	424	Care Coordination Across the Lifespan	2
	NUR	435	Mental Health Nursing	3
	NUR	453	Community and Population Health	5
	NUR	474	Leadership and Management in Nursing	3
	NUR	475	Senior Capstone Clinical	3
	NUR	488	Senior Seminar	2