

Nursing**Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree Completion**

The Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree Completion for Registered Nurses (RN-BSN program) was designed for licensed RN's to earn a bachelor's degree in nursing. Students admitted to the RN-BSN program must have graduated from an accredited program of nursing ~ either a two year associate degree nursing program or a hospital based diploma degree program.

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| I. | Requirements for Major | |
| A. | Requirements for admission into the RN-BSN program: | |
| | 1. An unencumbered license to practice as a registered nurse (RN). | |
| | 2. 40 semester hours of transfer credit in approved nursing Courses. | |
| B. | Program Requirements | 24 semester hours at SHU |
| | 1. *NUR 301 Transition to Professional Nursing (Online) | 4 |
| | 2. NUR 375 Health Care of Communities and Vulnerable Populations | 4 |
| | 3. NUR 380 Evidenced Based Research in Nursing Practice (Online) | 4 |
| | 4. NUR 395 Health Policy and Informatics | 4 |
| | 5. NUR 460 The Art of Ethical, Cultural, and Spiritual Nursing Practice | 4 |
| | 6. NUR 480 Leadership & Health Care Organizations (Online) | 4 |
| C. | Cognate Requirements | 6 semester hours at SHU |
| | 1. RST or PHI Religion or Philosophy Course | 3 |
| | 2. LAS 401 Senior Seminar: Integrative Experience | 3 |
| D. | Approved nursing courses prior to Siena up to 90 hours. | |
| E. | Approved elective courses. | |
| II. | Liberal Arts | 14-16 semester hours |
| III. | Total for Degree | 120 semester hours |
| IV. | Other Requirements | |
| | 1. *Substitute course for LAS 301. | |
| | 2. All students must apply and be accepted into the Nursing program before enrolling in nursing courses. | |
| | 3. All students must meet SHU proficiency requirements. | |

Nursing**Bachelor of Science in Nursing Pre-Licensure Program**

I.	Requirements		
A.	Requirements for admission into the program		28 semester hours
1.	BIO 121	Anatomy and Physiology I	4
2.	BIO 122	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
3.	BIO 245	Bacteriology	4
4.	CHE 110	Intro to General, Organic, and Biological Chemistry	4
5.	English*	(ENG102)	3
6.	Math*	(Liberal Arts)	3
7.	NUR 190	Nutrition for Health	3
	*The level will be based upon the student's ACT scores and Siena Heights Admission testing.		
B.	Program Requirements		77 semester hours
1.	NUR 201	Introduction to Nursing Knowledge	3
2.	NUR 210	Communication in Health Care	3
3.	NUR 230	Fundamentals in Nursing	5
4.	NUR 250	Health Assessment	5
5.	NUR 340	Nursing Care of Adults I	5
6.	NUR 341	Ethical, Cultural, & Spiritual Nursing Practice	3
7.	NUR 342	Pharmacology/Pathophysiology I	4
8.	NUR 346	Gerontology & End-of-Life Nursing Care	5
9.	NUR 348	Nursing Care of Adults II	5
10.	NUR 349	Simulations in Clinical Reasoning	2
11.	NUR 350	Mental Health Nursing	4
12.	NUR 360	Pharmacology/Pathophysiology II	3
13.	NUR 385	Introduction to Nursing Research	3
14.	NUR 445	Nursing Systems and Informatics	2
15.	NUR 450	Community, Population and Global Health Care	4
16.	NUR 456	Nursing Care of Childbearing Families	4
17.	NUR 458	Pediatric Health and Illness	4
18.	NUR 465	Leadership & Management in Nursing	4
19.	NUR 470	Nursing Care of the Patient with Complex Needs	3
20.	NUR 475	Nursing Practicum	4
21.	NUR 485	Prep. for Licensure & Professional Practice	2
C.	Total for Major		105 semester hours
II.	Liberal Arts		18-20 semester hours
III.	Total for Degree		123-125 semester hours
IV.	Other Requirements		
1.	All students must apply and be accepted into the Nursing program before enrolling in nursing courses.		
2.	Once admitted to the Nursing Major, all nursing courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or higher.		
3.	Graduation requirements of Math proficiency must be met by program completion.		